



OCTOBER 13-15th

**Walk an hour,
an afternoon,
a day,
all three days**

**Simple overnight
lodging will be
available.**

CHICAGO PILGRIM WALK

(for an end to gun violence)

Walking on holy ground, we honor it as such.

Chicago Pilgrim Walk is a pilgrimage to holy sites in Chicago: sites made holy by their participation in the Passion of Christ (via death by gun); sites made holy by the people working to transform this violence into peace. We are walking in the neighborhoods most affected by gun deaths to show our care and concern for those who are suffering, to support people in the community working for positive change, and to better understand our role and responsibility in confronting the systemic racism that plagues Chicago and directly contributes to gun violence.

Packing List: Bring food or money for six meals, a refillable water bottle, and a sleeping bag and pillow. Snacks for the group are welcome.

**Register by
emailing:**

peterkbuttitta@gmail.com

**\$35 (covers
lodging, modest
stipends for
peacemaking
organizations)**

**Checks can be made out
to 8th Day / Pilgrim Walk**

Meeting Times and Places

Feel free to be a part of this walk at the times you can. We will meet up as a group at the following times. Our pace will be fairly relaxed and we won't be walking as a group the whole time so these times of meeting will be important to regroup and good places to leave the walk or join the walk.

Friday, October 13: approximately 13.5 miles

8 am 8th Day Center of Justice (205 W Monroe)
12 pm Precious Blood Ministries (5125 S Elizabeth)
6 pm St. Kilian Church (8725 S May St.)

Saturday, October 14: approximately 14.5 miles

8 am St. Kilian Church (8725 S May St.)
9 am Dawes Park (8052 S Damen)
11 am Marquette Park MLK Monument (6743 S Kedzie)
3 pm Brighton Park Neighborhood Council (4477 S Archer)
5 pm Cook County Corrections (26th and California)

Sunday, October 15: approximately 6 miles

8 am Christian Peacemaker Teams (2649 W 21st St)
9 am Mt. Sinai Hospital (1500 S Fairfield)
10 am St. Agatha (3147 W Douglas Blvd)
1 pm First Church of the Brethren (425 S Central Park)
2:30pm BUILD (5100 W Harrison)
4 pm St Martin de Porres (5112 W Washington Blvd)

Please email Peter Buttitta at peterkbuttitta@gmail.com if interested in any part of the walk so you can receive a phone number to check on progress throughout the day to see if there are delays.

Donations can be sent to 8th Day Center for Justice at 205 W Monroe St # 500, Chicago, IL 60606, with Chicago Pilgrim Walk in the memo line.

Logistics:

The planning committee is working on simple lodging each night. Most people will be sleeping on cots or the floor of a church or non-profit. Please let us know if you want to stay and need a bed, we will do our best to make sure we reserve one for you.

Participants should bring food or money for 6 meals - Sunday lunch will be provided. We will stop for lunch near a local business to eat and in a place that eating a packed meal will cause little problem.

Bringing snacks for the group are welcome. Bring a refillable water bottle, sleeping bag and pillow for overnight. A "Sag Wagon" will be provided to carry all but walkers need on their person.

Cost is \$35 which will cover lodging and stipends for peacemaking organizations that we are visiting. We do not want money to be a barrier. If \$35 is a hindrance, let us know and plan on coming anyway. If you can afford more, please consider donating more.