



## **From Your Chaplain, Fr. Dan Brandt...**

Thanks to the many who made our annual outdoor Fathers Day Mass at Gold Star Families Memorial and Park a tremendous success. It was the best-attended such Mass I've seen and Mother Nature came through for us as always.

Last month, Police Chaplains Ministry hosted hundreds of **Gold Star Family** members on a luncheon cruise aboard the Spirit of Chicago. It was a first-class outing and a chance to again remind our esteemed guests that the loved ones they lost in the line of duty are **NEVER FORGOTTEN!**

**Thank you** to all who financially supported this outing! If you would like to join our mailing list so that you can help us with these worthwhile endeavors in the future, please visit our website, listed below, and click on the appropriate link.

We continue to remember those killed in the line of duty (as well as other deceased CPD family members) at the regular **CPD Mass**, celebrated the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month (this month, that's the 14<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>) from 1100-1130 hrs at Mercy Home: 1140 W. Jackson Boulevard. No matter your faith tradition, ALL ARE WELCOME.

**Congratulations to CPD Chaplain Kimberly Lewis-Davis**, who after five years of graduate-level study, recently earned her Master of Divinity degree from Chicago Theological Seminary!

**Kudos also to CPD Chaplain Bob Montelongo**, who just celebrated his first anniversary of ordination as a Deacon of the Catholic Archdiocese of Chicago!

Finally, I'd like to call your attention to the **Police Chaplains Ministry website: [www.ChicagoPCM.org](http://www.ChicagoPCM.org)**. On this site, you can request Mass cards, contact a chaplain, make a prayer request or donation, read archived FOP newsletter submissions from the chaplains, check out links to related sites, view memorial cards from recent line-of-duty deaths, request a ride-along by a chaplain, research several police-related resources, obtain information on the regular police Mass and many other outreaches/ministries—as well as a host of other “cyber-stuff.” There is also a photo album page with some terrific pictures...check it out as you may see yourself there!

God bless you in your most noble, God-ordained work,

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