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**Consolato Generale d'Italia  
CHICAGO**



## EVENTI ITALIANI A CHICAGO E DINTORNI CHICAGO EVENTS

**GENNAIO 2015  
JANUARY 2015**

### **INIZIO CORSI DI LINGUA ITALIANA PER BAMBINI BEGINNING OF ITALIAN LANGUAGE COURSES FOR CHILDREN**

Corsi d'italiano per bambini eta' 3-5 e 5-7 anni  
Italian courses for children 3-5 years and 5-7 years of age  
I corsi sono tenuti interamente in italiano  
Courses are held entirely in italian  
Per maggiori informazioni rivolgersi a:  
for further information contact: [privatecourses@italideamidwest.org](mailto:privatecourses@italideamidwest.org)



Website: <http://italideamidwest.org>

**SABATO 1 NOVEMBRE 2014 - DOMENICA 1 FEBBRAIO 2015  
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1 2014 - SUNDAY FEBRUARY 1 2015**

**STROKES OF GENIUS: ITALIAN DRAWINGS FROM THE GOLDMAN COLLECTION**



Focusing on the periods of Mannerism and the early Baroque, Strokes of Genius showcases over 80 masterpieces of Italian draftsmanship selected from the collection of Chicagoans Jean and Steven Goldman, including nearly 60 drawings never before seen in public.

Two sheets by Francesco Vanni (1563-1610) for The Coronation of the Virgin, created for the Chiesa del Santuccio in Siena between 1610 and 1614, beautifully illustrate this process.

A set of the Four Evangelists by Guercino (1591?-1666).



## ART INSTITUTE CHICAGO Gallery 124-127

### 1 GENNAIO JANUARY 1

CASA ITALIA (Stone Park) | noon Mass in Italian | 708-345-5933

### FINO AL 4 GENNAIO 2015

OF HEAVEN AND EARTH: 500 YEARS OF ITALIAN PAINTINGS

Baker/Rowland Galleries Milwaukee art museum  
700 N Art Museum Drive  
Milwaukee WI  
Informazioni e biglietti: 444-224-3200  
[mam@mam.org](mailto:mam@mam.org)



### 3 GENNAIO 2015 JANUARY 3 2015

#### GALLERY TALK: CELEBRAZIONI! (IN ITALIANO)

**2:00PM-3:00PM**  
**Meet in Gallery 100**  
**Free with museum admission**

Celebrazioni! Esploreremo diversi tipi di celebrazioni tra epoche e culture in questa visita guidata in italiano.

Keep the holiday festivities going with this tour conducted entirely in Italian.

#### ART INSTITUTE CHICAGO - GALLERY 100



### 4 GENNAIO ORE 14.00 JANUARY 4, 2 PM

#### CONCERTO NATALIZIO DI MUSICA SACRA



## CHRISTMAS CONCERT OF SACRED MUSIC

Per festeggiare in musica il Natale 2014 i Turchini, diretti da Alessandro Ciccolini, propongono un programma di musica sacra di autori attivi nell'Italia del XVII e XVIII secolo. Presentato dall'Istituto Italiano di Cultura di Chicago, in collaborazione con l'Art Institute di Chicago



In celebration of Christmas 2014, i Turchini, conducted by Alessandro Ciccolini, will perform a concert of sacred music by Italian composers of the 17th and 18th century. Presented by the Italian Cultural Institute in Chicago in collaboration with the Art Institute of Chicago.

## ART INSTITUTE CHICAGO - FULLERTON HALL

### 4 GENNAIO JANUARY 4

SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF POMPEII (Chicago) La Befana children's pilgrimage ph. 312-421-3757  
ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION, BRANCH 392 Epiphany party featuring a visit by La Befana  
Pescatore Palace (Franklin Park) ph. 773-763-0507

### 7 GENNAIO JANUARY 7

I CICERONI Dinner and conversational Italian Nonna Graziella's at Casa Italia (Stone Park)  
ph. 708-562-7915

### NEAPOLITAN CRECHE (MOSTRA DI PRESEPI) FINO ALL'11 GENNAIO

Sacred imagery reenacting the Nativity has its roots in fourth-century Rome but by the 13th and 14th centuries, in part due to its association with St. Francis of Assisi, such scenes had become a permanent feature of Neapolitan churches. The Art Institute's crèche represents the pinnacle of this artistic practice, born of the centuries-old tradition of Nativity scenes yet bursting with the energy of 18th-century Neapolitan life.



ART INSTITUTE CHICAGO Gallery 209

### 12 GENNAIO JANUARY 12

"Benvenuti! Sign up for our Italian language classes being taught downtown on Michigan Avenue! Daytime, evening, and Saturday classes are available. Classes begin the week of January 12th. Learn more at [LearnItalianChicago.com](http://LearnItalianChicago.com) or by calling 312-245-0652."



**15, 16 E 17 GENNAIO**  
**JANUARY 15, 16, 17**

**MUTI AND BRONFMAN**  
**CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**

Jan 15-16-17 @8pm Brahms, Tchaikovsky  
 Riccardo Muti conductor  
 Yefim Bronfman piano  
[www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)



**15 GENNAIO - 28 FEBBRAIO**  
**JANUARY 15 - FEBRUARY 28**

**THE ROSE TATTOO**  
**LA ROSA TATUATA**

Celebrating the Italian-American community with Tennessee Williams Tony Award-Winning comedy/drama "The Rose Tattoo". In its 1955 film adaptation the late Anna Magnani won an Academy Award as best actress.  
 THEATER WIT, 1229 W BELMONT AVENUE - CHICAGO  
[www.theaterwit.org](http://www.theaterwit.org)

**17 GENNAIO**  
**JANUARY 17**

BERWYN PARK DISTRICT Positively Pasta fundraiser Family-style meal prepared by guest chefs Mario Manfredini and Frank Amaro, live entertainment, Liberty Cultural Center (Berwyn) ph. 708-788-1701

COLUMBIAN CLUB OF CHICAGO Black-tie optional installation gala Medinah Country Club (Medinah) ph. 708-456-9203

ELMHURST SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA "Viva Vivaldi!" Mayslake Peabody Estate (Oak Brook) ph. 630-941-0202 [www.elmhurstsymphony.org](http://www.elmhurstsymphony.org)

JOE PUG (Pugliese) Folk singer/songwriter House of Blues (Chicago) ph. 312-923-2000  
[www.houseofblues.com](http://www.houseofblues.com)

**19 GENNAIO**  
**JANUARY 19**

CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Salvatore Sciarrino's "Ai limiti della notte" ph. 312-294-3000  
[www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)

**22, 23 24 GENNAIO**  
**JANUARY 22, 23, 24**

**MUTI CONDUCTS PROKOFIEV AND SCRIBIN**  
**CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**



Jan 22 - 23 - 24 @ 8:00 PM  
Prokofiev, Scriabin



Riccardo Muti conducts works by two Russian composers for whom he has a remarkable affinity.  
[www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)

**24 GENNAIO  
JANUARY 24**

AMICI NAPERVILLE AREA ITALIAN AMERICAN CLUB Wine tasting ph. 630 445 3741

SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF POMPEII (Chicago) Winter Spirituality Series Moment to Moment: Finding God in the Everyday ph. 312-421-3757

**24 GENNAIO -14 MARZO 2015  
JANUARY 24 - MARCH 14, 2015**

**TOSCA**  
di Giacomo PUCCINI

Jan24 7:30 PM

Jan27 7:30 PM

Jan30 2:00PM

<http://www.lyricopera.org>

Find out how these two outstanding casts bring you Puccini at his most theatrical and passionate



**25 GENNAIO  
JANUARY 25**

ELMHURST SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA "Visual Vivaldi" Elmhurst Christian Reformed Church ph. 630-941-0202  
[www.elmhurstsymphony.org](http://www.elmhurstsymphony.org)

**27 GENNAIO GIORNO DELLA MEMORIA  
JANUARY 27 INTERNATIONAL HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY**



Continuation of "A Journey in the Holocaust"



followed by remarks by members of Jews and Italian-American communities.

Istituto Italiano di Cultura, 500 Michigan Avenue, Suite 1450 @ 6pm



The Consulate General of Italy wishes you  
Happy Holidays and a Bright New Year!



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