

## Some restaurants in Chicago

1. Hyde Park
  - (a) Cafe Medici, 1327 E. 57th St. Burgers, Pizza, etc. The canonical Hyde park informal dinner place.
  - (b) Mesler Kitchen, 1401 E 53rd St. Need reservation. Very good upscale fare.
  - (c) The Promontory, 5311 S Lake Park Ave W. Need reservation. Very good upscale fare.
  - (d) Harold's Fried Chicken Shack, Kimbark Plaza, 1208 E 53rd St. Awful atmosphere. Awful fries. Best fried chicken in the world.
2. Lincoln Park (all within a short walk from Cenacle House): there are lots of place on Lincoln Ave., between 2200-2500, and also on Clark St, both North and South of Fullerton, going all the way up to (and past) Diversey.
  - (a) Bourgeois Pig Cafe, 736 W Fullerton Ave. Place to get coffee, salads, sandwiches, etc. Depaul student hangout.
  - (b) Chez Moi, 2100 N Halsted St. Very good upscale French bistro. Can often get in without a reservation (just call).
  - (c) Mon Ami Gabi, 2300 N Lincoln Park W. Very good upscale French Bistro. Reservation useful, although walk-ins are possible (you should call first).
  - (d) Allende Restaurant, 2408 N Lincoln. Hole-in-wall Mexican place, but very tasty.
  - (e) La Crosta Woodfire Pizza, 2360 N Lincoln Ave. Outstanding slightly upscale pizza place.
  - (f) Gemini Bistro, 2075 N Lincoln Ave. Good upscale american. May require reservation.
  - (g) Del Seoul, 2568 N Clark St. Quick and good Korean fare.
  - (h) Toro Sushi, 2546 N Clark St. Super popular sushi.
  - (i) Five Guys, corner of Fullerton and Clark, 2368 N Clark. Stone's throw from Cenacle House.
  - (j) Frances' Deli, 2552 N Clark St. Yummy deli food. Spotty hours.
  - (k) Sakura Teppanyaki, 730 W Diversey, ok food but fun since they cook it at your table in a kind of performance a la Benihana.
  - (l) Philly Bros Steaks, 34 W Fullerton Ave. Good Philly cheesesteak, wings, etc.
3. Outside of Hyde Park and Lincoln Park (a few of my favorite places).

- (a) Gibson's Steakhouse, 1028 N Rush St. Awesome steakhouse. Pricey but worth it. Requires reservation, although you can often get seated and eat in the bar area. Hugo's Frog Bar is next door, and share's a kitchen with Gibsons.
- (b) Sun Wah BBQ, 5039 N Broadway. Very good Chinese. Best Peking duck \*anywhere\* (including Beijing). Closed multiple times for health violations, but I still go. It's worth the risk. No reservation needed.
- (c) Andy's Thai Kitchen, 946 W Wellington Ave. Good Thai food.
- (d) La Sardine, 111 N Carpenter St. My favorite french Bistro. Reservation required.