



OBLATES OF THE VIRGIN MARY AT SAINT FRANCIS CHAPEL

Encountering the Heart of Christ in the Heart of Boston

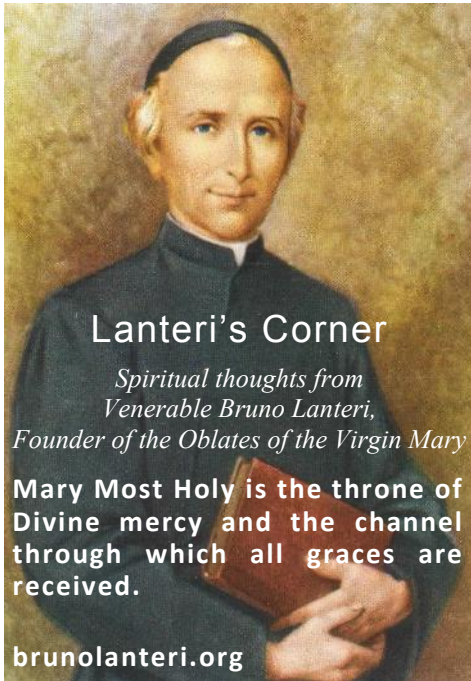
Third Sunday of Advent - December 11, 2016

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Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas. Feast Day — December 12.





Lanteri's Corner

*Spiritual thoughts from
Venerable Bruno Lanteri,
Founder of the Oblates of the Virgin Mary*

**Mary Most Holy is the throne of
Divine mercy and the channel
through which all graces are
received.**

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**Is God calling you to join
the Oblates of the Virgin Mary?**



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The Chapel's Store Item of the Week...



San Damiano Mug

Are you looking for a gift for your child's teacher or for your favorite mail carrier or for the relative who has everything? What about one of our beautiful selection of mugs filled with candy? Come in our store and see all the new gift items we now carry.

Christmas Novena Cards are now available at the store.



Enroll your friends and family, living and deceased, in a novena of Masses to be celebrated at St. Francis Chapel beginning on Christmas day.

Suggested donation for the Oblate Mission: \$10

... and she gave birth to a Son, her firstborn. She wrapped Him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger because there was no room for them in the inn.

Luke 2:6-8

CHAPEL SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00 PM, 5:30 PM, 7:00 PM en español
Sunday 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM, 10:30 AM, 11:45 AM,
1:15 PM en español, 4:00 PM, 5:30 PM

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday 8:00 AM, 12:05 PM, 4:45 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM, 12 Noon

Confessions

Monday - Friday 11:15-11:50 AM, 12:45 - 4:15 PM
Saturday 9:45 - 11:45 AM, 12:45-3:30 PM

Devotions

Tuesday after Mass: Memorare
Thursday after Mass: St. Jude
Mon-Fri after 4:45 p.m. Mass: Rosary

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday - Friday 8:30-11:45 AM, 1:00-4:30 PM
Saturday 9:30 - 11:30 AM 12:30 - 3:30 PM
Sunday 2:30-3:30 PM

Store Hours

M, W, F - 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM; T, Th - 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
Saturday 9:30 AM - 6:45 PM*; Sunday 8:45 AM - 6:45 PM*
*Closed during Sunday Masses and Saturday Vigil Masses

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till Christmas!**
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your support!



LIGHT A CANDLE ONLINE AND LET US PRAY FOR YOU



The rising smoke from a candle symbolizes our desires, our thoughts and prayers burning upwards toward the heavens as we pour out the fire in our hearts to God.

Light a candle online by going to our website — stfrancischapel.org — and clicking on the candles. For every donation you make, we will light a candle here at the chapel and pray for your intention.

Masses at the chapel are celebrated in Latin (Ordinary Form) on Fridays and at 11:45 AM on Sunday in accordance with the unbroken tradition of the Roman Catholic Church.

“Particular law remaining in force, the use of the Latin language is to be preserved in the Latin rites.” (Vatican II, Sacrosanctum Concilium, n. 36)

“Pastors of souls should take care that besides the vernacular the faithful may also be able to say or sing together in Latin those parts of the Ordinary Form of the Mass which pertain to them.” (Sacred Congregation of Rites, Musicam Sacram (1967), n. 47)

“The Roman Church has special obligations towards Latin, the splendid language of ancient Rome, and she must manifest them whenever the occasion presents itself.” (John Paul II, Dominicae Cenae (1980), n. 10)

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sunday, December 11

8:00 AM + Claude Edward Broom Sr.
 9:15 AM Intentions of Elaine Heile
 10:30 AM + Florence & + Joseph DiMaina
 11:45 AM (Latin) + Jorge Cardenas
 1:15 PM (esp) + Ercilia Nuñez
 4:00 PM + Romelia & + Sergio Norena
 5:30 PM Souls in Purgatory

Monday, December 12

8:00 AM Joe & Jenni Carzon
 12:05 PM Guadalupe Torres
 4:45 PM Helen & James

Tuesday, December 13

8:00 AM + Claude Edward Broom Sr.
 12:05 PM Johanna Smith — guidance
 4:45 PM Sarah Thomas

Wednesday, December 14

8:00 AM + George Sherenda
 12:05 PM + Claude Edward Broom Sr.
 4:45 PM Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, December 15

8:00 AM Special Intention
 12:05 PM + Angelica Merino R.
 4:45 PM + Claude Edward Broom Sr.

Friday, December 16

8:00 AM (Latin) + Claude Edward Broom Sr.
 12:05 PM (Latin) Kelli Esposito
 4:45 PM (Latin) + Clara & + Bernardo Manansala

Saturday, December 17

9:00 AM + Claude Edward Broom Sr.
 12:00 Noon + Stephen J. Tarsa
 4:00 PM + Sr. Mary Louise Twomey
 5:30 PM Johanna Smith — guidance
 7:00 PM (esp) + Maria Rodriguez

Fatima + Avila + Loyola + Lourdes

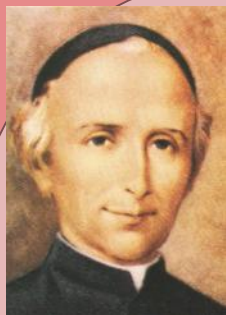
Celebrate 100 Years Under
 Our Lady's Mantle
 with the Oblates of the Virgin Mary

Join the Pilgrimage
 May 30 to June 7, 2017

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Oblates of the Virgin Mary – USA



Fr. Bruno Lanteri (1759-1830)

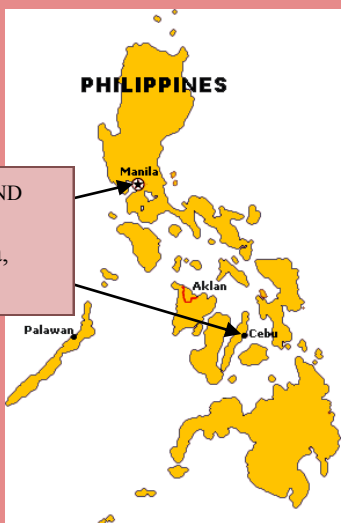
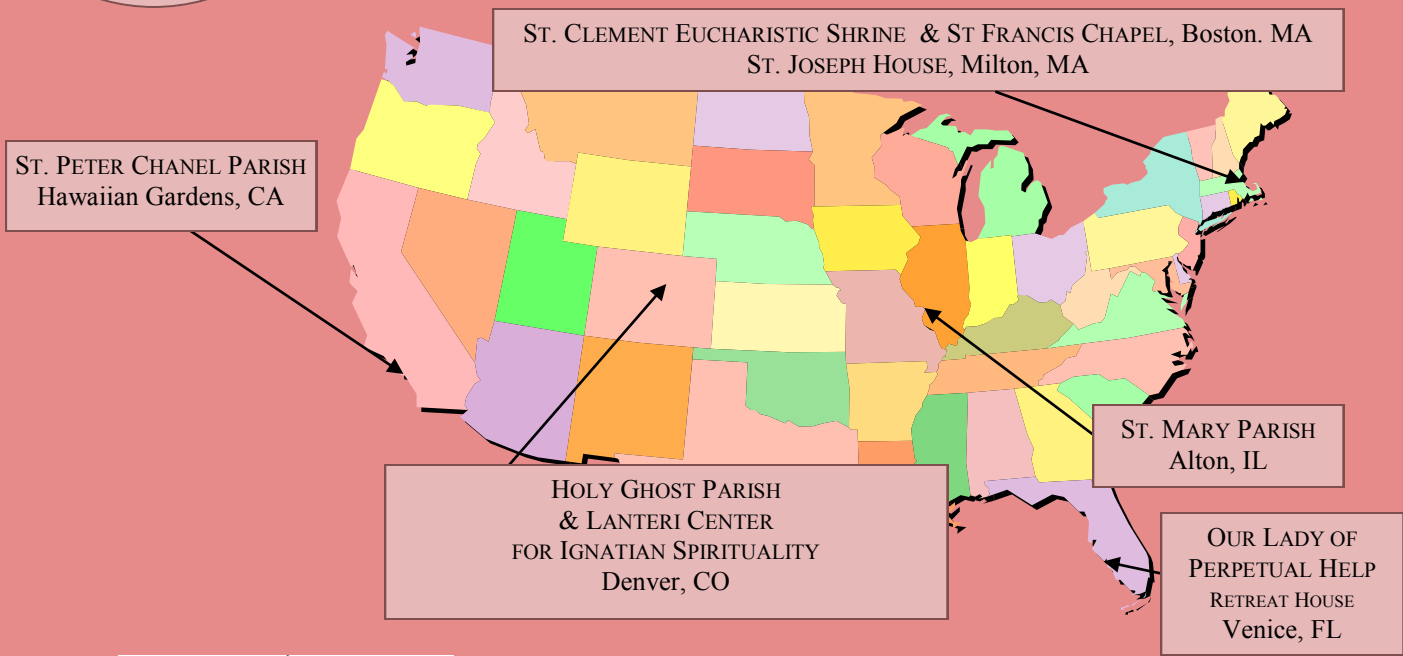
The Founder of the Oblates of the Virgin Mary.

Declared “Venerable” - the first step to Sainthood.

The Oblates of the Virgin Mary is an international religious community of priests and brothers serving in Italy, France, Austria, Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Nigeria, the United States and the Philippines. The Oblates are involved in retreat and parish missions, spiritual direction, parish work, the mass media, clergy formation, and the foreign missions.

The US Province of the Oblates of the Virgin Mary is dedicated to St. Ignatius of Loyola, and includes communities in Massachusetts, Illinois, Colorado, California and the Philippines.

The OMV US Province House is at St. Clement’s in Boston.



OMV FORMATION AND RETREAT CENTERS
Cebu City & Manila, Philippines

The OMV motto,
 “*MARIAM COGITA,
 MARIAM INVOCA*”
 “*THINK OF MARY,
 CALL ON MARY*”
 is taken from a homily
 by
 St. Bernard.