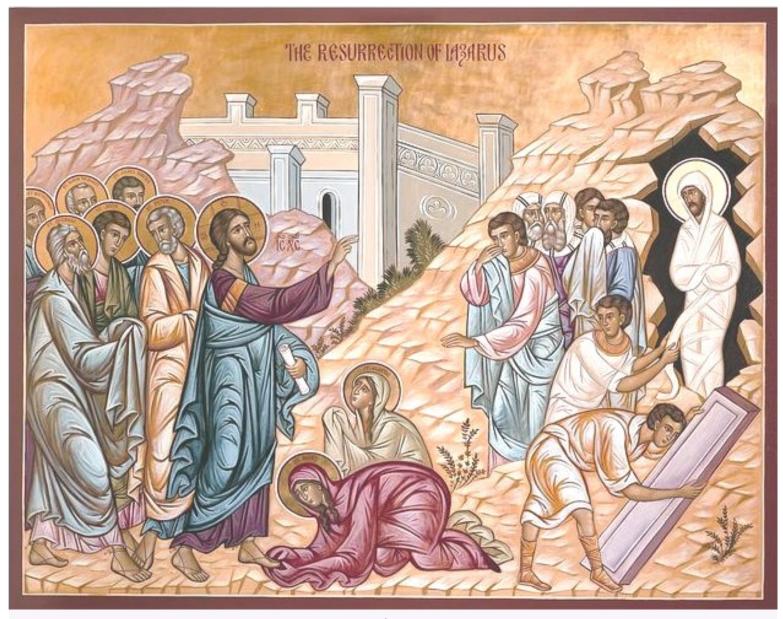


SAINT FRANCIS CHAPEL Staffed by the Oblates of the Virgin Mary Encountering the Heart of Christ in the Heart of Boston Fifth Sunday of Lent — April 2, 2017



Lenten Observances:

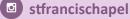
Wednesdays: additional hours of confession — 5:30 to 8:00 PM Fridays: The Way of the Cross — after the 4:45 Mass and Rosary

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

Holy Thursday, April 13 — 5:10 PM -- Mass of the Lord's Supper; 7:00 PM -- Misa de la Cena del Señor
Good Friday, April 14 — 12:00 PM -- Stations of the Cross; 3:00 PM -- Divine Mercy Novena;
5:10 PM -- Passion of the Lord; 7:00 PM -- Pasion del Cristo
Holy Saturday, April 15 — 8:30 PM -- Vigilia Pascual







Prudential Center, Boston



Lanteri's Corner

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

I, by myself, am able to do nothing good, but I am able to do everything in God Who is so thoughtful about my salvation, that He never fails with His grace.

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



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Cleaning of Chapel Environment: Nubia Viasus EASTER NOVENA CARDS are now available at the chapel's store Give your loved ones the gift of prayer this holy season! Suggested donations for the Oblate mission: \$10

P A R I S H

Saint Cecilia Parish is pleased to present

An Evening with James Martin, SJ



Encountering Jesus: Meeting the Jesus of History and the Christ of Faith

Monday, April 24, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

Saint Cecilia Church 18 Belvidere Street, Boston, MA 02115 617-536- 4548

<u>The Chapel's Store</u> Item of the Week...

Resurrection Mug

This and other great gift ideas for Easter now available at our store!



CHAPEL SCHEDULE

<u>Weekend Masses</u> 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

<u>Weekday Masses</u> Monday - Friday 8:00 AM, 12:05 PM, 4:45 PM; Saturday 9:00 AM, 12 Noon

> <u>Confessions</u> Monday - Friday 11:15-11:50 AM, 12:45 - 4:15 PM Wednesday 5:30 - 8:00 PM Saturday 9:45 - 11:45 AM, 12:45-3:30 PM

<u>Devotions</u> Tuesday after Mass: Memorare; Thursday after Mass: St. Jude Mon-Fri after 4:45 p.m. Mass: Rosary Friday after 4:45 Mass and Rosary: The Way of the Cross

<u>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</u> 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

<u>Store Hours</u> 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 - 5:30 PM*

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*Closed during Sunday Masses and Saturday Vigil Masses

Celebrate 100 Years Under Our Lady's Mantle MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK





Join Fr. Dave, OMV and Fr. Jeremy, OMV on a pilgrimage to Fatima, Spain and Lourdes! This unique trip includes visits to the birthplace of St. Anthony of Padua, the Eucharistic Miracle in Santarém, and the Capelinha in Fatima where our Lady appeared five times. We celebrate Mass there and enjoy a candle-lit rosary procession. We visit the birthplace and convent of St. Teresa

of Avila in Spain and Loyola, home of St. Ignatius. We enjoy a breathtaking passage over the Pyrenees as we journey to Lourdes, where we visit St. Bernadette's home, bathe in healing waters and have time at leisure. Join our pilgrimage in honor of Our Lady!

For more info & reservations, visit CANTERBURYPILGRIMAGES.COM Canterbury Pilgrimages & Tours, Inc. 1-800-653-0017

"And Jesus wept".

*I*sn't ironic that the One who said, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in Me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in Me will never die", should weep?

Simeon was right when he told our Lady "this Child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, He will be a sign of contradiction".

He is God, and so the author of life and yet He is man so He weeps. This Gospel reminds me always of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Jesus

appeared to a nun named Margaret Mary(17th cen.) and with His Heart exposed. Encircled with thorns because of our sins yet on fire with love for humanity.

Why? He wanted to remind us that He is human and divine. A divine person with a divine nature and a human nature. He did suffer all the pain that we feel. He knew what it was like to be rejected, to suffer insults, to feel abandoned, to lose a friend. He wept.

Why did he allow his friend to die? Why didn't He go to him as soon as Lazarus' sisters sent word, saying "Master, the one you love is ill?"

Jesus gives the answer when He says, "This illness is not to end in death, but is for the glory of God". He told Martha, "Did I not tell you that if you believe you will see **the glory** of God?". Martha did believe and she saw the glory of God.

She believed in Jesus. She didn't know **what** He was going to do, but she **believed in Him**. That has to be your attitude. God has the best plan.

Sunday, April 2

8:00 AM	+ Mary Kennedy
9:15 AM	+ Richard Torto
10:30 AM	+ Florence & +Joseph Dimaina
11:45 AM	+ Joyce M. Geiman
1:15 PM (esp)	+ Alonzo Rodriguez y familia
4:00 PM	+ Ignacio Villa Lobos Garcia
5:30 PM	Holy Souls in Purgatory

<u>Monday, April 3</u>

8:00 AM	+ Michael J. McKeon
12:05 PM	John F. Valleli — health
4:45 PM	Br. Francis, FPO
Tuesday, April 4	

8:00 AM	Diep Nguyen
12:05 PM	Souls in Purgatory
4:45 PM	Richard & Walter Horsley

Wednesday, April 5

8:00 AM	+ Bud Salmon
12:05 PM	+ Frederick McCarthy
4:45 PM	+ Magdalena Zurita

Thursday, April 6

8:00 AM	+ Piraino Family
12:05 PM	Heidi Manago
4:45 PM	Richard & Carol McCulloch —
	health

Friday, April 7

8:00 AM	Souls in Purgatory
12:05 PM	+ Raul & + Samuel Mejia
4:45 PM	+ Romelia & + Sergio Norena

Saturday, April 8

9:00 AM	Donald Trump
12:00 Noon	Fr. Ed Broom, OMV

4:00 PM	+ Anthony & + Helen Lupi
5:30 PM	+ Thomas Keady — 20th
	anniversary
7:00 PM (esp)	+ Isabel Martinez, + Pedro,
	+ Jorge y + Hugo Calderon

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