

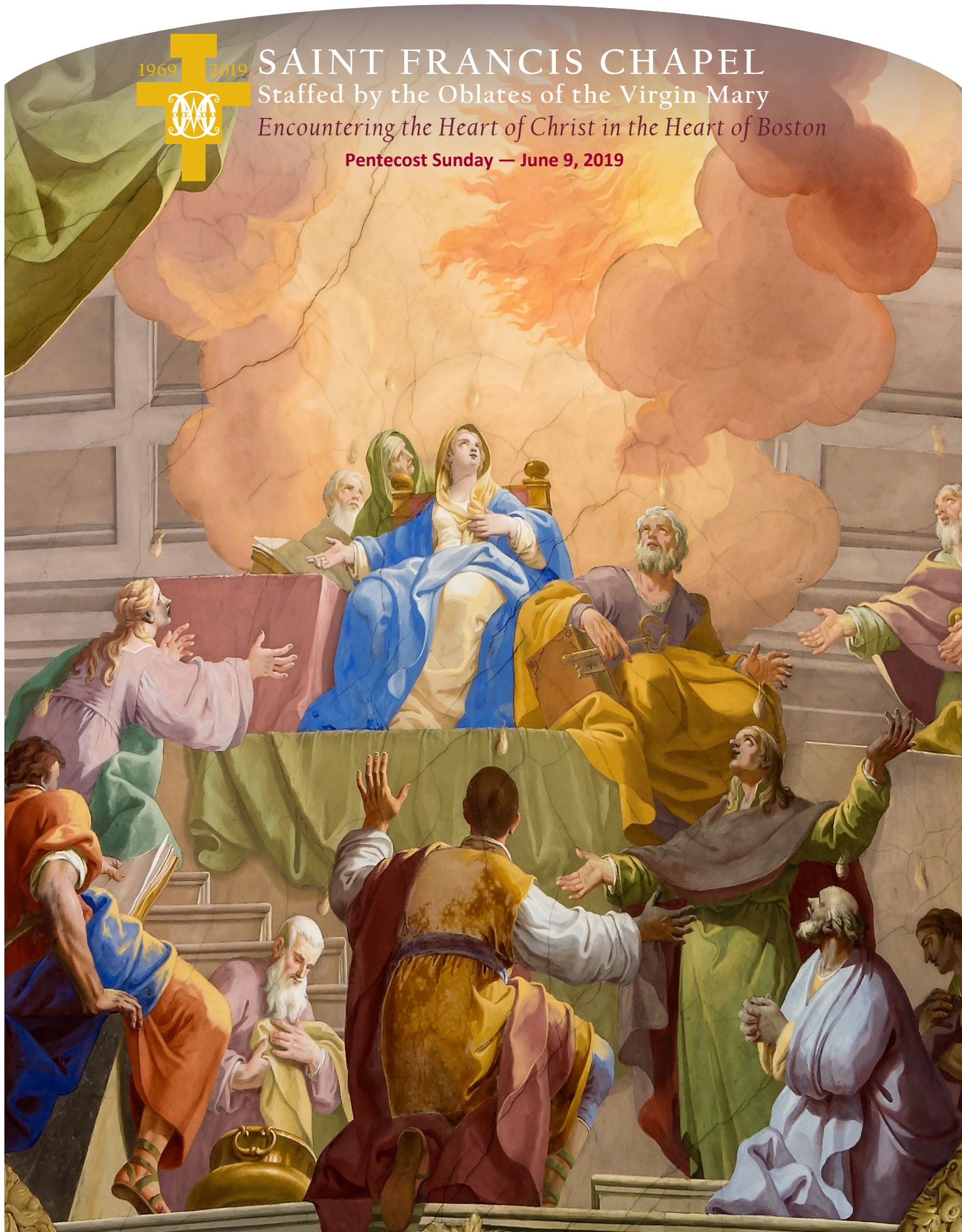


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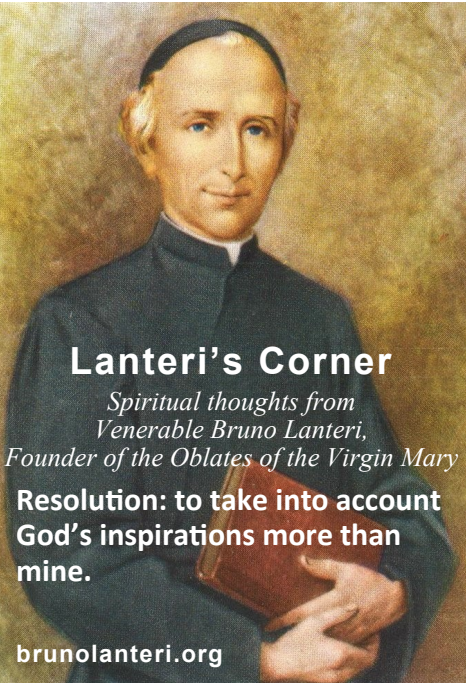
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Encountering the Heart of Christ in the Heart of Boston

Pentecost Sunday — June 9, 2019



The Miracle of Pentecost, ceiling fresco, Herzogenburg Abbey Church, Daniel Gran



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

**Resolution: to take into account
 God's inspirations more than
 mine.**

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



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*If you are interested in joining our
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 Rehearsals are at 4:45 PM
 every Saturday.*



*If you are interested in joining our
 choir for the 10:30 AM Mass on
 Sundays, please email Michael at
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CHAPEL SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses:

Sat. Vigil 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:

Mon. - Fri. 8:00 AM,
 12:05 PM, 4:45 PM;
 Saturday 9:00 AM, 12 PM

Confessions:

Mon. - Fri. 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,
 5:30 p.m. Vespers;
 Thursday after Mass:
 St. Jude;

Monday - Friday after
 4:45 p.m. Mass: Rosary

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Mon. - Fri. 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

Gift Shop Hours:

Monday — Friday
 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM;
 Sat. 9:30 AM - 6:45 PM*;
 Sun. 8:45 AM - 5:30 PM*
 (*Closed during Sunday and
 Saturday Vigil Masses)

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Congratulations to Deacon Paul Kallal, OMV

Deacon Paul, from
 Jerseyville IL, was
 ordained on June 8 at the
 Cathedral of the Holy
 Cross, Boston, by the laying of hands by
 Sean Patrick Cardinal O'Malley.
 The newest deacon of the Oblates of the
 Virgin Mary is in 3rd Theology at Saint
 John's Seminary in Brighton.
 Last year, Deacon Paul served at the
 Chapel during his pastoral year. He
 delivers his first homily at the 9:15 AM
 Mass this Pentecost Sunday.
 Please pray for Deacon Paul as he
 continues on to his final year of formation.



(Left to right) Fr. Tom Carzon, OMV, Br. Joe O'Connor,
 OMV, Oblate of the Virgin Mary seminarians including
 Deacon Paul Kallal, OMV (right) at St. Clement Shrine,
 Boston.

FATHER'S DAY NOVENA
 MASS CARDS ARE NOW AVAILABLE
 IN THE CHAPEL ENTRANCE.
 THE NOVENA OF MASSES FOR DADS
 BEGINS ON FATHER'S DAY, JUNE 16.

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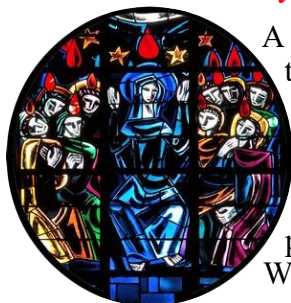
June 9 2019



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A Reflection on Pentecost by Fr. James Doran, OMV



A few years ago, my nephew sent me an email to ask a question: a theological question, a question on Mariology. What could the Holy Spirit do for Our Lady if she was already perfect?

I was reminded of that question as I prepared today's Mass.

What happened to the Mother of Jesus after He ascended into Heaven? Acts of the Apostles tells

us that the Apostles returned to Jerusalem and devoted themselves with one accord to prayer, together with some women and Mary the mother of Jesus and His relatives.

Mary prayed with these men who Her Son had chosen to spread His Word. She prayed that they would receive the Holy Spirit because they were not yet ready to face the world. He did not leave them as orphans.

She knew all about the Holy Spirit since He had already descended upon her at the Annunciation, He overshadowed her and brought about the Incarnation — the conception of Jesus. Since she had already experienced the gift of the Holy Spirit, she could appreciate Him more than anyone. It was the Spirit that made her a mother and Mother of the Savior. Unlike the others who were waiting in fearful expectation, she helped them get ready to receive the Paraclete. It was appropriate that she receive a renewed gift of the Spirit. The first time, she became Mother of Christ. This time she received the gift of **spiritual** motherhood. The disciples **needed** her intercession and love.

Mary is the image and model of the Church. Pope St. John Paul wrote that she waited for "*Pentecost and implored a multiplicity of gifts for everyone, in accordance with each one's personality and mission...Just as in the Incarnation the Spirit had formed the physical body of Christ in her virginal womb, in the upper room the same Spirit came down to give life to the Mystical Body*" of Christ.

Pentecost is the fruit of the Blessed Virgin's constant prayer. For this reason, Christians have had recourse to her throughout the ages.

Our Lady passed on to the disciples her memories of the Incarnation, the infancy and the hidden life of Jesus as a precious treasure. She helped to make Him known as nobody else knew Him.

Pope St. John Paul explains; "*We have no information about Mary's activity in the early Church, but we may suppose that after Pentecost her life would have continued to be hidden and discreet, watchful and effective. Since she was enlightened and guided by the Spirit, she exercised a deep influence on the community of the Lord's disciples.*"

So, what did I tell my nephew? Mary was a perfect Mother to her Son Jesus, but she again needed the Spirit's help to become **Our** Blessed Mother, the Mother of the Church. He did not leave us as orphans.



Praying the Rosary with Venerable Bruno Lanteri

The latest book by the Oblates of the Virgin Mary and the first in the Nunc Coepi Series. A Scriptural passage and an excerpt from the writings of Venerable Bruno help us to meditate on the fruits of each Mystery of the Holy Rosary. Available at the Gift Shop and our online bookstore!



MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 9

8:00 AM + Frank & + Genevieve Palermo
9:15 AM The Picardi Family Deceased Members
10:30 AM + Veronica Sum
11:45 AM + Josephine DeSesa
1:15 PM (esp) Margarita Gallego y Sergio
4:00 PM John Valleli — health
5:30 PM + Mrs. Jean Lowrey

Monday, June 10

8:00 AM + Grace Gaston Sabal
12:05 PM Len Nolan
4:45 PM Fr. George Szal — special intention

Tuesday, June 11

8:00 AM + Mrs. Mauk
12:05 PM + Jeorge Cardenas
4:45 PM Sergei

Wednesday, June 12

8:00 AM Arman A.
12:05 PM James C. Tryon — healing of soul & body
4:45 PM + Nora Hoaly

Thursday, June 13

8:00 AM In Honor of St. Anthony
12:05 PM + Inge Sutopo
4:45 PM + Nicholas & + Maria Lavit

Friday, June 14

8:00 AM + John Finneran
12:05 PM Donald Trump — birthday
4:45 PM Owen O'Dwyer — full recovery

Saturday, June 15

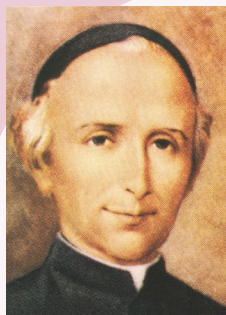
9:00 AM Arman A.
12:00 PM Janice Henry
4:00 PM + Oscar Mejía Duque
5:30 PM Meagan Monaco
7:00 PM (esp) + Agustin Rojas — anniversary

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

June 9: Pentecost

June 11: St. Barnabas, Apostle
June 13: St. Anthony of Padua,
Patron of Lost Things

Oblates of the Virgin Mary—USA



Fr. Bruno
Lanteri
(1759-1830)

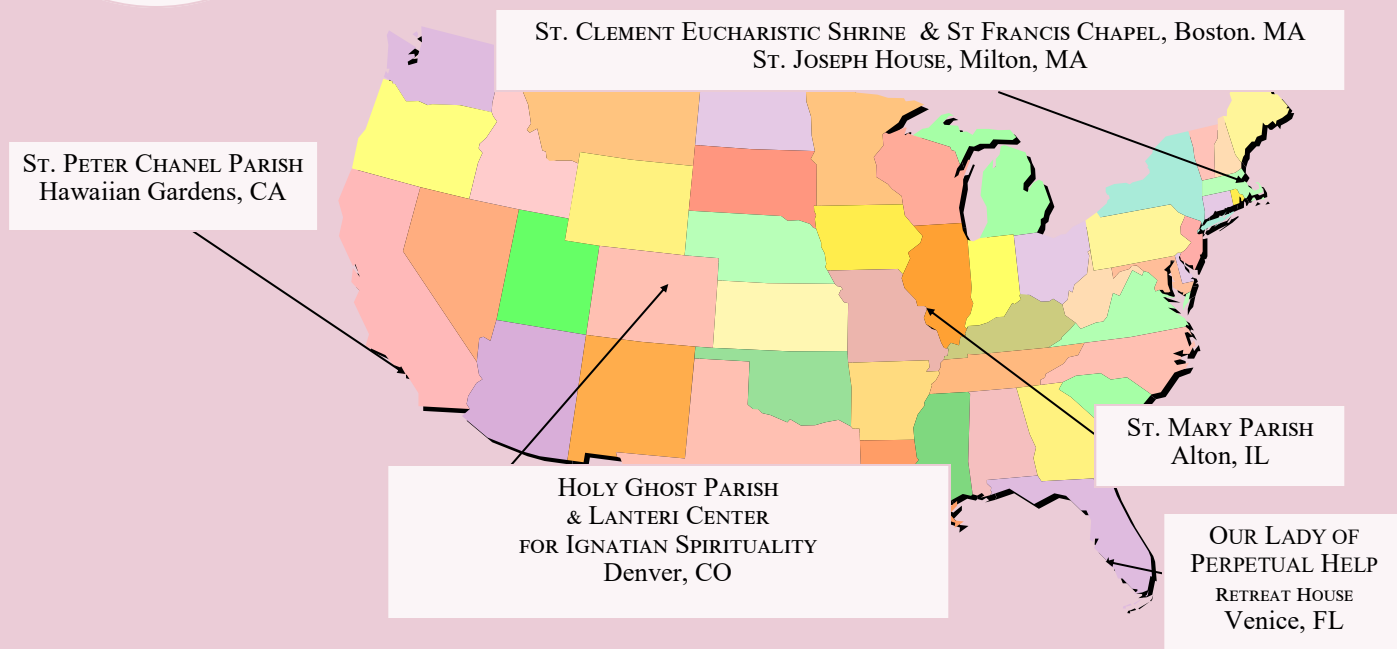
The Founder of the
Oblates of the Virgin Mary.

Declared “Venerable” -
the first step to
Sainthood.

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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.



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