



# SAINT FRANCIS CHAPEL

Staffed by the Oblates of the Virgin Mary

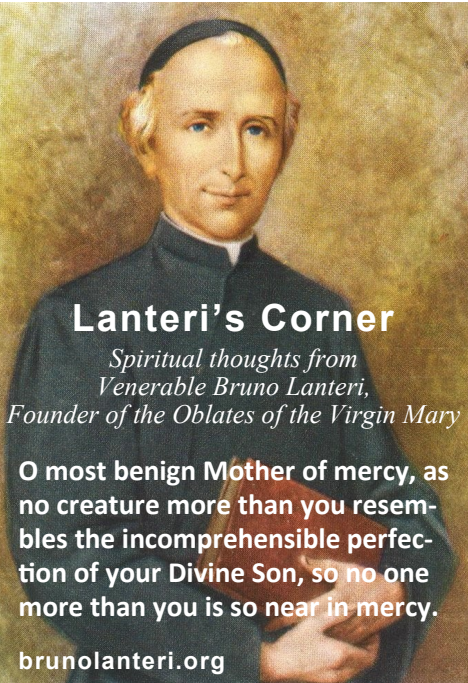
*Encountering the Heart of Christ in the Heart of Boston*

Third Sunday of Easter — May 5, 2019



*Madonna and Child, Marianne Stokes*





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

O most benign Mother of mercy, as  
 no creature more than you resem-  
 bles the incomprehensible perfec-  
 tion of your Divine Son, so no one  
 more than you is so near in mercy.

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

Contact our Vocation Director  
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*If you are interested in joining our  
 choir for the 5:30 PM Vigil Mass on  
 Saturdays, please email Kim at  
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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  
[michaelenwright@me.com](mailto:michaelenwright@me.com).*

#### 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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 blue cards in the chapel  
 entrance and drop it off at  
 the Gift Shop.

Thank you for your  
 continued  
 support.

God bless you!



#### *The Chapel Gift Shop Item of the Week...*



#### *A Pilgrimage to ROME, ASSISI, TURIN, MONTE CARLO AND NICE*

*with Fr. Jim Walther*

**12 Days**

**June 2-13, 2019**



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#### **YOUNG ADULT GROUP**

Sundays, after the 11:45 AM Mass

Contact: [jmariebria@yahoo.com](mailto:jmariebria@yahoo.com)

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 CHAPEL, leave a space and then the  
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May 5 2019

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 at the chapel and link to  
 articles on the website and  
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## *The May Magnificat* by Gerard Manley Hopkins

MAY is Mary's month, and I  
Muse at that and wonder why:  
Her feasts follow reason,  
Dated due to season—

Candlemas, Lady Day;  
But the Lady Month, May,  
Why fasten that upon her,  
With a feasting in her honour?

Is it only its being brighter  
Than the most are must delight her?  
Is it opportunist  
And flowers finds soonest?

Ask of her, the mighty mother:  
Her reply puts this other  
Question: What is Spring?—  
Growth in every thing—

Flesh and fleece, fur and feather,  
Grass and greenworld all together;  
Star-eyed strawberry-breasted  
Throstle above her nested

Cluster of bugle blue eggs thin  
Forms and warms the life within;  
And bird and blossom swell  
In sod or sheath or shell.

All things rising, all things sizing  
Mary sees, sympathising  
With that world of good,  
Nature's motherhood.

Their magnifying of each its kind  
With delight calls to mind  
How she did in her stored  
Magnify the Lord.

Well but there was more than this:  
Spring's universal bliss  
Much, had much to say  
To offering Mary May.

When drop-of-blood-and-foam-dapple  
Bloom lights the orchard-apple  
And thicket and thorp are merry  
With silver-surfed cherry

And azuring-over greybell makes  
Wood banks and brakes wash wet like lakes  
And magic cuckoo-call  
Caps, clears, and clinches all—

This ecstasy all through mothering earth  
Tells Mary her mirth till Christ's birth  
To remember and exultation  
In God who was her salvation.



## *MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK*

### Sunday, May 5

8:00 AM + Barbara Carrington  
9:15 AM In Thanksgiving — 52nd birthday  
10:30 AM + The Svendsen Family  
11:45 AM + James William Patricelli  
1:15 PM (esp) + Maria Inez Suarez  
4:00 PM Holy Souls in Purgatory  
5:30 PM Divine Mercy Novena Enrollees

### Monday, May 6

8:00 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory  
12:05 PM Divine Mercy Novena Enrollees  
4:45 PM + Americo Ursileo

### Tuesday, May 7

8:00 AM The Albert Family  
12:05 PM Mary Ann Lysiak — special intention  
4:45 PM + Mary G. Maciora - Jacobs

### Wednesday, May 8

8:00 AM Lily Feitelberg  
12:05 PM Holy Souls in Purgatory  
4:45 PM + Nora Hoaly

### Thursday, May 9

8:00 AM + Gregory Salvaggio  
12:05 PM Christine Irene March  
4:45 PM + Matt Goulat

### Friday, May 10

8:00 AM Miguel Maravi  
12:05 PM + Stanley Wodziak  
4:45 PM + Bernard Cardinal Law

### Saturday, May 11

9:00 AM + Michael Meads  
12:00 PM + Dorothy O'Connor  
4:00 PM + Charles J. Kustner  
5:30 PM + John Scadutto  
7:00 PM (esp) + Adela Gomez

## *FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK*

### **May 10: St. Damien de Veuster of Moloka'i**

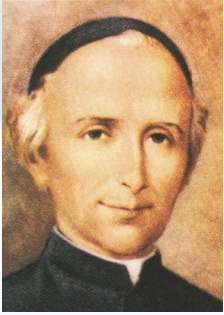
*Priest; Patron of those who suffer from leprosy*

Fr. Damien served in a leper colony on the Kalaupapa Peninsula of Moloka'i island, Hawaii from 1873 until his death from leprosy in 1889.

He wrote of prayer: "It is at the foot of the altar that we find the strength we need in our isolation."



# Oblates of the Virgin Mary—USA



Fr. Bruno  
Lanteri  
(1759-1830)

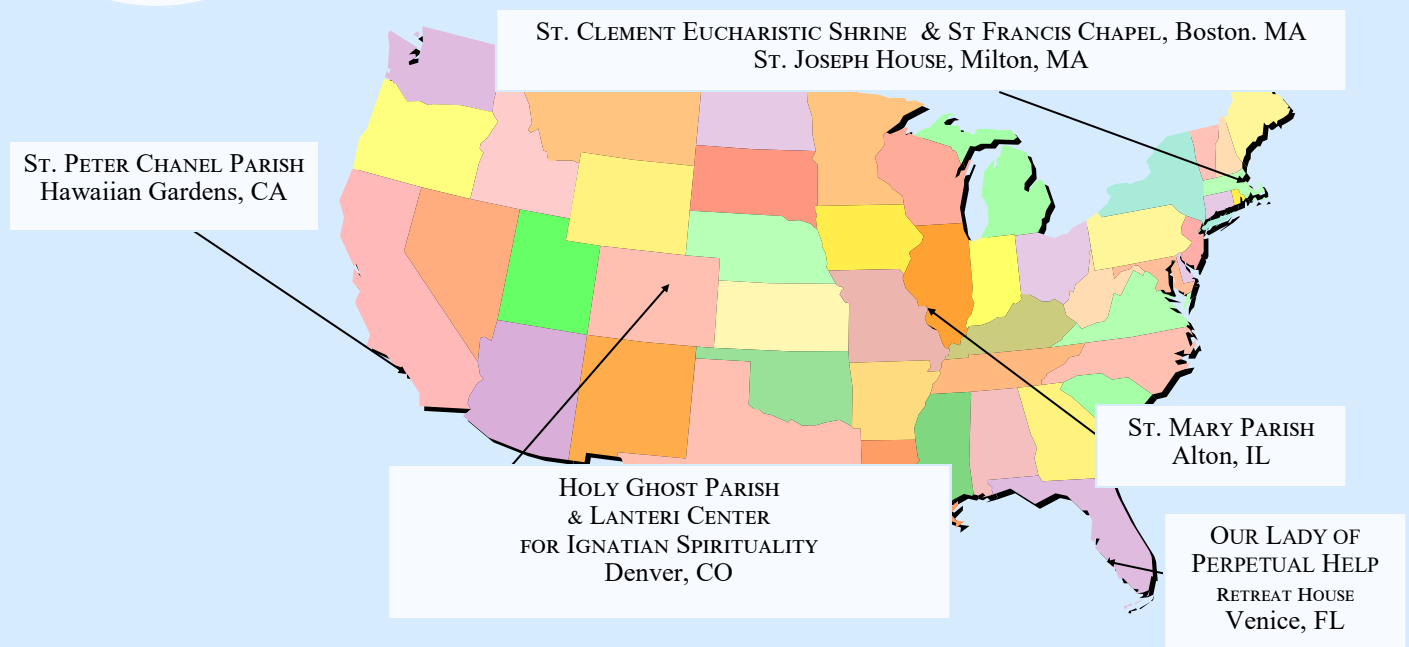
The Founder of the  
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Declared “Venerable” -  
the first step to  
Sainthood.

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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.