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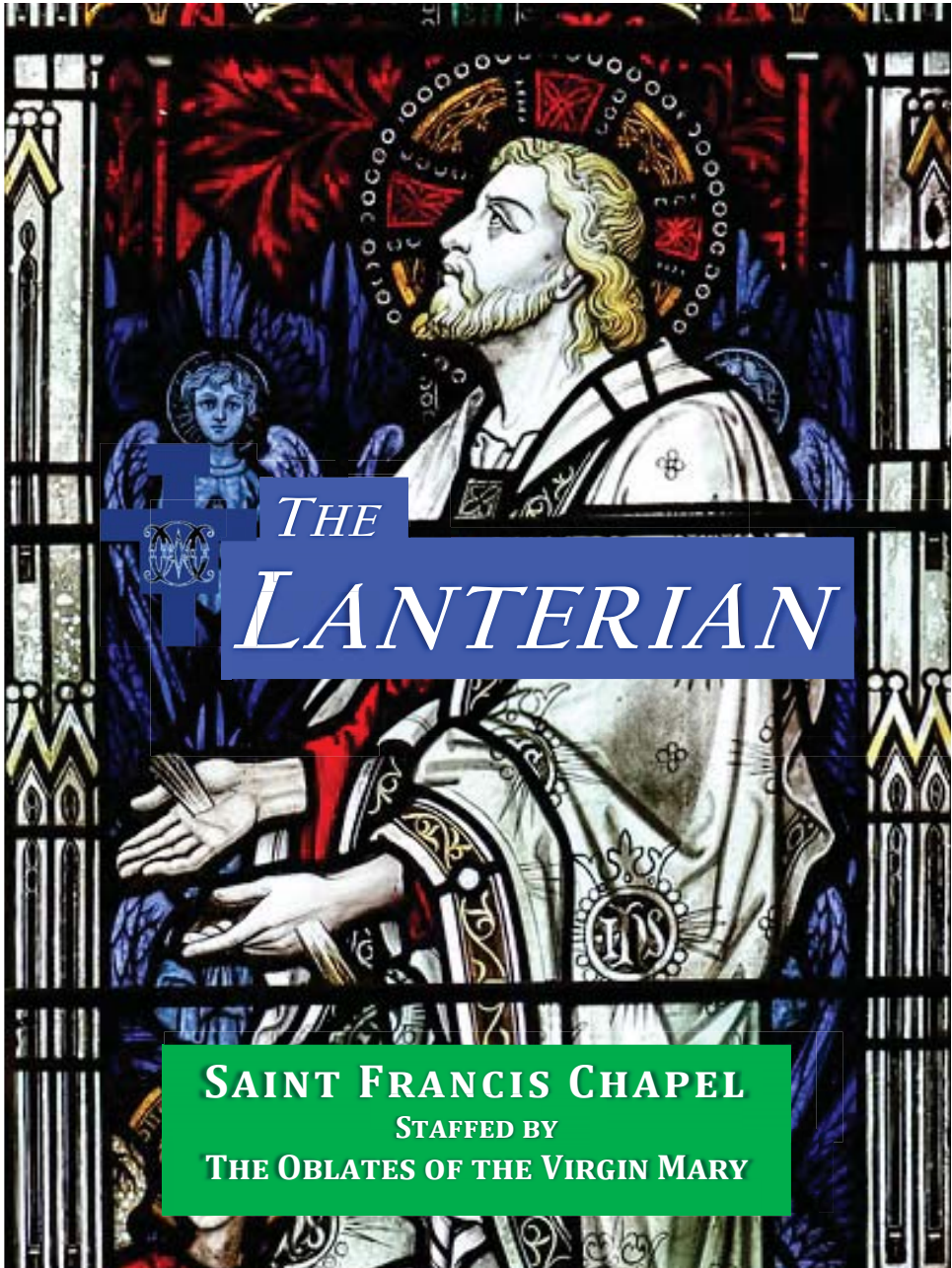
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AUGUST 28, 2022
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY



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Cleaning of Chapel

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The Pope's Prayer Intention for August:

We pray for small and medium sized
businesses; in the midst of economic
and social crisis, may they find ways
to continue operating, and serving
their communities.



Cover Art:

Christ the High Priest. Stained glass from St Chad's Cathedral in Birmingham, England. Photo by Lawrence Lew, O.P.

SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil 4:00PM,
5:30 PM, (en español)

Sun. 8 AM, 9:15AM, 10:30AM, 11:45AM,
1:15 PM (en español), 4:00PM, 5:30PM

Weekday Masses:

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

Confessions:

Mon.—Fri. 11:15 -11:50AM, 12:45-4:15PM
Saturday 9:30 - 11:45 AM, 12:45-3:30PM

Devotions:

Tuesday after Mass: Our Lady
Wednesday after Mass: St. Joseph
Thursday after Mass: St. Jude

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Mon.—Fri. 8:30-11:50AM, 12:30-4:30PM;
Sat. 9:30-11:30AM, 12:30-3:30PM;
Sunday 2:30-3:30PM

Gift Shop Hours:

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

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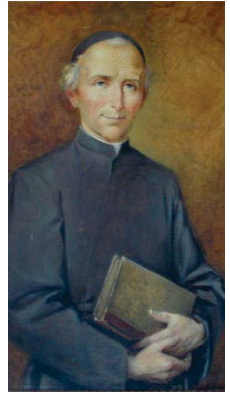
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Reflection by Ven. Bruno Lanteri

What has induced Jesus to confer on us the benefits of his body and his blood? His humility: "if God had not humbled himself, we would not be able either to eat or drink of him" (St. Augustine). He is Word made flesh: divinity in the mire. Humility is the daughter of the Grandeur of God, for she is born of the consciousness of his infinite perfections. There is nothing more powerful for annihilating our pride: Who is like God? His effects of Grace all tend to the humbling of man and to the glory of God.



The first thing that Grace must do is to make the soul comprehend that the first use of its understanding, of its will, of its other powers is to [humble] them before the supreme Majesty of the Creator, just as the [old sacrifices] that were offered to him were destroyed in order to demonstrate that before him creatures must consider themselves as nothing, who can neither subsist nor act without his particular assistance (all the more so in the supernatural order). Send forth your Spirit and they will be created, and you will renew the face of the earth. How is it that humility is no less necessary for good works than grace on the part of God? We love all the grandeur [of God], but the ladder for arriving there is humility. [Pride] was the old evil of Lucifer. Whoever knows that God is all, must hold himself as nothing before him. St. Ignatius never sent someone to work before recommending to him the exercise of humility, for whether he succeeded or failed, there was equal need of humility.

If you fall, get up immediately, with humility, and do not hold yourself in contempt, for this is self-love... A child falls a thousand times, but it never stays there on the ground. It cries, yes, and runs to its mother. And so do we with the crucifix. How many kinds of grace, of glory [do we gain, giving] honor to God, each time, every time we do this.

More than anything, I beg you with all my might to defend yourself from discouragement, disturbance and sadness wherefore let it be your constant occupation to calm your poor heart and encourage it, and to serve God always with holy joy; and let your resolutions always be two, which I counsel you to renew frequently with holy resolve: first, never to offend God knowingly, and second, if it happens that you commit some failing, never persevere in it with the will, but right away lift yourself up, humbly and courageously, to begin anew, truly convinced that you are forgiven by God the moment you ask Him pardon with humility and trust.



**Come to the
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I knew God had forgiven me,
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A Project Rachel Retreat Participant

Fall 2022 Dates

Saturday, October 1
Saturday, October 29
Saturday, November 19
9:00AM – 5:00 PM



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MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sunday, August 28

8:00 AM James & Joanne Ooi & Family
9:15 AM Campo Erazo—health
10:30 AM +Maria Petruzzello
11:45 AM Olive Chukwuonu—special intention
1:15 PM +Alvaro Castrol, Eduvina Castanela, Diomedes Orjuela & Bernardo Quintero
4:00 PM Special Intention
5:30 PM +Edgar & +Odilla Castillo

Monday, August 29

8:00 AM +Sheila Dunne Feitelberg—birthday anniversary
12:05 PM +Gladys Marhefka
4:45 PM Special Intention

Tuesday, August 30

8:00 AM +Allan Bogorad
12:05 PM +Julia Teresa Valdez-Rodriguez—1st year anniv.
4:45 PM Raja E. and Family

Wednesday, August 31

8:00 AM +Rocco Russa
12:05 PM Safe trip for Dang Tran & John
4:45 PM In honor of St. Joseph

Thursday, Sept. 1

8:00 AM +Laurien Fitzgerald
12:05 PM Special Intention
4:45 PM Cecilia & +Antonio Ozaeta—wedding anniv.

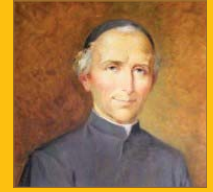
Friday, Sept. 2

8:00 AM +Patricia Readon
12:05 PM Mr. & Mrs. Jason Allain
4:45 PM Special Intention

Saturday, Sept. 3

9:00 AM Special Intention
12:00 PM +Ercilia Nunez
4:00 PM +Ruth & +William Tehan
5:30 PM Matthew Nieto & Perez Zanabria

Prayer Before Mass



by Ven. Bruno Lanteri

My God, I offer you this holy sacrifice to proclaim, honor and glorify your infinite greatness, and in recognition of the supreme dominion which, as the first principle and last end, you have above all created things. I give you this homage for all those who still do not know you or do not want to recognize you.

I offer this too in thanksgiving for the benefits that I and all the world have received and will receive from your infinite goodness; in satisfaction for my sins and those of the whole world; to implore the graces that are necessary for my eternal salvation and for all mankind. Oh, my God, I offer to you the merits of Jesus Christ; grant me at this Holy Mass a profound adoration of him.

My God, my Creator, I implore you to grant me the grace of final perseverance. I know by faith that I do not deserve it, nor can I deserve it, but your Divine Son deserves it for me with all his virtues and with all the wounds he shows you in his Most Holy Body, on behalf of my wounded love. Amen.

August is the Month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

30 Days with Mary: Our Lady Around the World



August 14—September 12

We will pray to Our Lady after the Masses at the Chapel each day from August 14 through September 12. Each day's prayer will be dedicated to Our Lady under a unique cultural title. We will celebrate Our Lady as she is known and loved in the various cultures of the world. Booklets can be found in the vestibule of the Chapel. A digital version can be found on our website: omvusa.org/st-francis-chapel

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