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Bishop Daniel Verstraete OMI and fellow clergy during a commemorative event.

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Bishop Daniel Verstraete Omi 102 Years Of Following In The Footsteps Of The Spirit

Leo VANDENEDE, OMI Some lives are measured not by honors, but by faithfulness and a life given to the Lord. Their stories invite us to look across more than a century with the confidence of faith and the joy of the Gospel. **Read more** →



Oblate Bishops Gather in Rome: “Welcome to Your Mother House” (Photo: OMI World)

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OMIWORLD Rome, May 18, 2026 , As part of the bicentenary celebrations of the papal approbation of the Constitutions and Rules (1826–2026), the General Administration has welcomed Oblate Bishops from around the world to the General House for a special time of encounter, reflection, and shared missionary experience. In his welcoming address, Fr. Benedict greeted the Superior General, the members of... [Read more →](#)



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Alphonse RAKOTONDRAVELO, OMI Just weeks after a devastating storm struck the northwest of the island, a second, more powerful cyclone has devastated the eastern coast. The Oblate parishes in the port city of Toamasina have suffered catastrophic damage and urgently need our prayers and solidarity. [Read more →](#)

News from the Vatican



The Pope's international charity: A helping hand to the world's suffering (Photo: Vatican News)

The Pope's international charity: A helping hand to the world's suffering - Vatican News

The Pope's international charity: A helping hand to the world's suffering By Edoardo Giribaldi "Charity cannot be delayed," Pope Leo XIV said on 6 June, the first day of his apostolic journey to Spain, as he addressed staff and beneficiaries of the Cedia 24 Horas social project in Madrid. Those words have not remained merely words, they have taken on human faces. [Read more](#) →



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Medjugorje parish condemns vandalism, urges prayer and forgiveness Vatican News The parish of Medjugorje has condemned acts of vandalism that damaged several of its places of prayer overnight and has invited the faithful to respond with “prayer, fasting, and forgiveness.” “It is with great sadness that we received the news of the act of vandalism,” the Medjugorje Parish Office said in a statement... [Read more](#)

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Pope Leo XIV: Technology must serve truth and the common good (Photo: Vatican News)

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Pope Leo XIV: Technology must serve truth and the common good By Giovanni Zavatta Pope Leo XIV has encouraged communicators to ensure that every technological tool is placed "at the service of truth and the common good," as the Church reflects on the opportunities and challenges presented by artificial intelligence. His message, signed by Cardinal Secretary of State Pietro Parolin, was sent to... **Read more**

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Ongoing Missions



Guatemala Delegation Grateful For 38 Years Of Missionary Life (Photo: OMI World)

In Chicamán, Quiché, the Oblates of Guatemala gathered to mark 38 years of missionary life in the country, renewing their commitment during their annual assembly on July 2, the anniversary of the first five Oblates' arrival. The celebration included prayer, shared reflections on joys and challenges, and gratitude for martyrs, lay communities, and collaborators who have sustained the mission. Nine Guatemalan Oblates have become priests and two Oblate Brothers, while others in initial formation continue discerning their vocation. Oblates from 12 nations have served in Guatemala, an intercultural

Delegation within the Province of Mexico, as they entrusted their future to God's call for new missionaries.

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