



15 The LORD took me from following the flock, and said to me, Go, prophesy to my people Israel."

Responsorial Psalm - Psalms 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14

R. (8) Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

9 I will hear what God proclaims; the LORD for he proclaims peace.
10 Near indeed is his salvation to those who fear him, glory dwelling in our land.

R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

11 Kindness and truth shall meet; justice and peace shall kiss.
12 Truth shall spring out of the earth, and justice shall look down from heaven.

R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

13 The LORD himself will give his benefits; our land shall yield its increase.
14 Justice shall walk before him, and prepare the way of his steps.

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2nd Reading - Ephesians 1:3-14

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavens,
4 as he chose us in him, before the foundation of the world, to be holy and without blemish before him. In love
5 he destined us for adoption to himself through Jesus Christ, in accord with the favor of his will,
6 for the praise of the glory of his grace that he granted us in the beloved.
7 In him we have redemption by his blood, the forgiveness of transgressions, in accord with the riches of his grace
8 that he lavished upon us. In all wisdom and insight,
9 he has made known to us the mystery of his will in accord with his favor
that he set forth in him
10 as a plan for the fullness of times, to sum up all things in Christ, in heaven and on earth.
11 In him we were also chosen, destined in accord with the purpose of the One who accomplishes all things according to the intention of his will,
12 so that we might exist for the praise of his glory, we who first hoped in Christ.
13 In him you also, who have heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and have believed in him, were sealed with the promised holy Spirit,
14 which is the first installment of our inheritance toward redemption as God's possession, to the praise of his glory.

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Sunday Mass Readings for 14th July 2024, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B	
1st Reading	Amos 7:12-15
Responsorial Psalm	Psalms 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14
2nd Reading	Ephesians 1:3-14 or Ephesians 1:3-10
Alleluia	Ephesians 1:17-18
Gospel	Mark 6:7-13

1st Reading - Amos 7:12-15

12 Amaziah, priest of Bethel, said to Amos, "Off with you, visionary, flee to the land of Judah! There earn your bread by prophesying,
13 but never again prophesy in Bethel; for it is the king's sanctuary and a royal temple."
14 Amos answered Amaziah, "I was no prophet, nor have I belonged to a company of prophets; I was a shepherd and a dresser of sycamores."

or Ephesians 1:3-10

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10 as a plan for the fullness of times, to sum up all things in Christ, in heaven and on earth.

Alleluia - CF. Ephesians 1:17-18

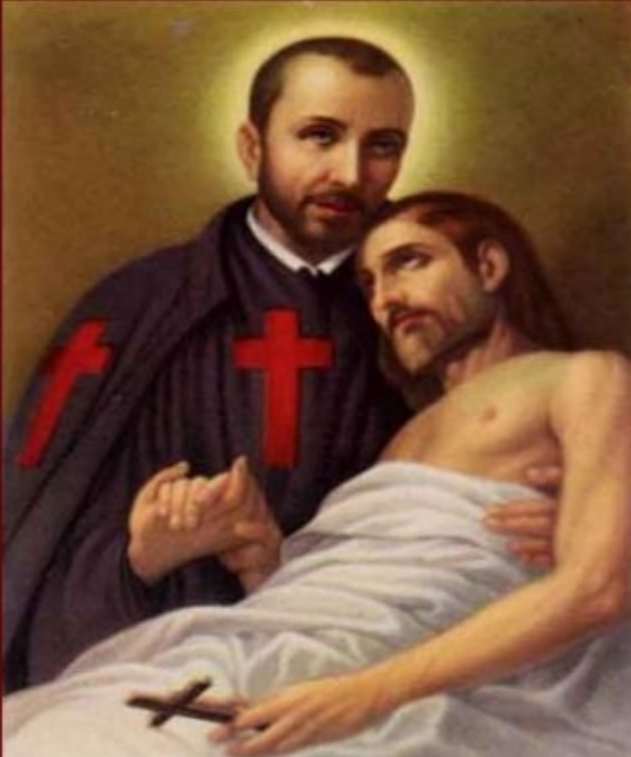
R. Alleluia, alleluia.
17 May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts,
18 that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call.
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Gospel - Mark 6:7-13

7 Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits.
8 He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick
no food, no sack, no money in their belts.
9 They were, however, to wear sandals but not a second tunic.
10 He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave.
11 Whatever place does not welcome you or listen to you, leave there and shake the dust off your feet in testimony against them."
12 So they went off and preached repentance.
13 The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

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Saints of the Day

Saint Camillus de Lellis Biography	
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St Camillus de Lellis	
Feast Day	
July 14	
July 18 (US)	
St Camillus de Lellis – Feast Day – July 14 and (July 18 in the US)	
Date of Birth	May 25 1550
Place of Birth	Bocchivico, Abruzzi, Kingdom of Naples, Italy
Profession	Priest and Caregiver of the sick and the wounded
Place of Work	Italy
Date of Death	July 14 1614
Place of Death	Genoa, Italy
Feast Day	14 th July and July 18 th in the US
Beatification	By Pope Benedict XIV on April 7 1742 in Papal States, Rome
Canonization	By Pope Benedict XIV on June 29 1746 in Papal States, Rome
Patron Saint of	<ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Sick people❖ Nurses❖ Hospitals❖ Hospital workers❖ Against sickness❖ Against illness❖ Against bodily ills❖ Abruzzi, Italy

St Camillus de Lellis Life History

St Camillus de Lellis was born in Bucchianico in Abruzzo, Italy on May 25 1550. His hot-tempered father was an officer in the French royal and Neapolitan armies and therefore was mostly away from home. His mother was called Camilla Compelli de Laureto and was advanced in age (around fifty years) when she gave birth to Camillus.

Camillus was very hot-tempered, just like his father, and his mother was mostly unable to control him as he was growing. His mother died in 1562 and he was taken care of by other family members who continually neglected him. At the age of sixteen years, he joined the Venetian army and fought against the Turks. It is in these wars that he was wounded in the leg and this wound would not heal. In 1575, his unit in the army was disbanded and after that, he gambled all his possessions. Having been left penniless, the Capuchin friary at Manfredonia gave Camillus work as a laborer. He still continued to gamble his wages away but the guardian at the Capuchin friary tolerated him, preached to him, and persuaded him to stop gambling. In 1575, he had a religious conversion and wanted to enter the novitiate of the Capuchin friars but because of his incurable wound in the leg, which troubled him a lot, he was denied admission. He went to Rome and started working as a caregiver in the San Giacomo Hospital, which cared for desperate and incurable cases. After some time, he was rewarded with the position of Superintendent.

All this time at San Giacomo Hospital, St Camillus de Lellis continued with his strict and pious life, full of penance under the guidance of the local priest St Philip Neri. His call to take care of the poor and the sick continued to manifest itself and eventually, he organized a group of other pious men and guided them on how to serve God through taking care of the sick at the hospital. St Camillus de Lellis eventually, felt the desire to establish a religious community to take care of the sick and consequently, with the approval of St Philip Neri, started his seminary studies. In 1584, he was ordained as a priest by Lord Thomas Goldwell, Bishop of St Asaph, Wales. In 1586, Pope Sixtus V gave the Camillians (or Order of Clerics Regular, Ministers to the Sick) formal recognition as a congregation. They have a vow that says "to serve the sick, even with danger to one's own life." Up to today, the large red cross on their cassock remains their Congregation symbol as a universal symbol of service and charity. It is said that the Cross spoke to Camillus, and asked him, "Why are you afraid? Do you not realize that this is not your work but mine?" This Red Cross symbol is now being used by the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movements. In 1601, the Camillians were taking care of the wounded in their tent, during the Battle of Canizza. Unfortunately, their tent which was full of equipment and supplies caught fire and was razed to the ground. The only thing that remained intact was the red cross, a religious habit belonging to one of the Camillians. This rubberstamped their belief that their mission of the Red Cross of St Camillus was divine. The Camillians took care of the victims of the Bubonic plague and it is at this time that the residents of Rome recognized St Camillus De Lellis for helping tame the plague in the city of Rome. He was occasionally referred to as the "Saint of Rome". St Camillus De Lellis realized that due to haste some sick people and the wounded would be buried alive. He instructed the Camillians that they wait fifteen minutes after the patients look like they have died and continue with the prayers for the dying, in order to avoid this. Despite his ailing leg, he would not delay anyone when they went to take care of the sick and wounded. He would crawl when his leg wouldn't support him. In 1607, he resigned as Superior General of the Order and took the lower rank of Vicar General.

St Camillus de Lellis Birth

St Camillus de Lellis was born at Bocchianico, Italy. He fought for the Venetians against the Turks, was addicted to gambling, and by 1574 was penniless in Naples.

St Camillus de Lellis Death

The Camillians order had spread all over Italy and on one occasion in 1614, while on a tour to inspect all the hospitals of the Order in Italy, St Camillus de Lellis fell ill and died in Genoa, Italy on 14th July 1614.

Relics

Saint Camillus de Lelli's remains are located on the altar in the Church of St Mary Magdalene in Rome, Italy.

St Camillus De Lellis Feast Day

Initially, the feast of St Camillus De Lellis was celebrated on 18th July. After 1969, it was made an optional memorial and moved to 14th July, the day of his death.

Because on 14th July there is the obligatory Memorial of Kateri Tekakwitha, the Church in the United States celebrates his memorial on 18th July

Churches, Places, features, and institutions named after St Camillus De Lellis

- ❖ United Doctors of Saint Camillus de Lellis Hospital, Batangas City, Philippines
- ❖ Town Of Camillus, New York
- ❖ The Congregation of the Servants of the Sick of St Camillus
- ❖ St. Camillus College of Manaoag, Luzon, Philippines
- ❖ St Camillus rehabilitation and nursing home in Syracuse, New York
- ❖ St Camillus Health Center, in Massachusetts, USA
- ❖ St Camillus Health Center in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, USA
- ❖ St Camillus Hall at Holy Family Hospital, Methuen, Massachusetts, USA
- ❖ St Camillus College of Manaoag Foundation, Inc. in Manaoag, Pangasinan, Philippines
- ❖ St Camillus Centre in Mohale's Hoek, Lesotho
- ❖ St Camillus Academy - Corbin, Kentucky, USA
- ❖ St Camille Association, West Africa
- ❖ Secular Institutes of Missionaries of the Sick Christ Our Hope, of the Kamillianische Schwestern (Camillian Sisters)
- ❖ San Camillo de Lellis Church, Rome, Italy
- ❖ Saint-Camille-de-Lellis Catholic Parish, Quebec, Canada
- ❖ Saint-Camille Town, Quebec, Canada
- ❖ Saint Camillus Medical Center, in Hurst, Texas
- ❖ Saint Camillus Foundation, in Thailand, including the Camillian social center in Rayong
- ❖ Lay Camillian Family, were born later of the charism and spirituality of De Lellis.
- ❖ Daughters of St Camillus
- ❖ Camillian Hospital, in Bangkok, Thailand
- ❖ Camillian Family Foundation in Philippines

Attributes


St Camillus de Lellis is often depicted in art form as a Catholic priest holding a sick person

St Camillus de Lellis is the Patron Saint of

- ❖ Sick people
- ❖ Nurses
- ❖ Hospitals
- ❖ Hospital workers
- ❖ Against sickness
- ❖ Against illness
- ❖ Against bodily ills
- ❖ Abruzzi, Italy

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Sick Of The Parish:

	<p>Please pray for all the Sick in our three Parishes "My Payers and Good Wishes to All."</p>
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