

PROFILE: MISSIO AD GENTES IN CAMBRIDGE

“Dear families, brothers and sisters, I encourage you to bring everywhere, even in the most de-Christianized environments, especially in the existential peripheries, the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Evangelize with love, bring to everyone the love of God. Tell everyone you will meet on the streets of your mission that God loves man as he is, even with his limits, with his mistakes, with his sins. For this, he sent his Son, so that he could take our sins upon himself. Be messengers and witnesses of the infinite goodness and the inexhaustible mercy of the Father. I entrust you to the Virgin Mary, that she may inspire and always sustain your apostolate. In the school of this tender Mother, be zealous and joyful missionaries.”

Pope Francis



GROUP PICTURE OF CAMBRIDGE MISSIO AD GENTES SATURDAY MORNING IN HARVARD SQUARE...

SEMINARIANS PARTICIPATE IN THE NEW EVANGELIZATION AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE...



AND BEYOND:
IN THE ITINERANCY!



ANDREA POVERO,
WASHINGTON D.C.



WELLINGTON OLIVEIRA,
COLORADO



JEFREY BARRANTES,
OREGON-MONTANA



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EMANUEL GONZALEZ,
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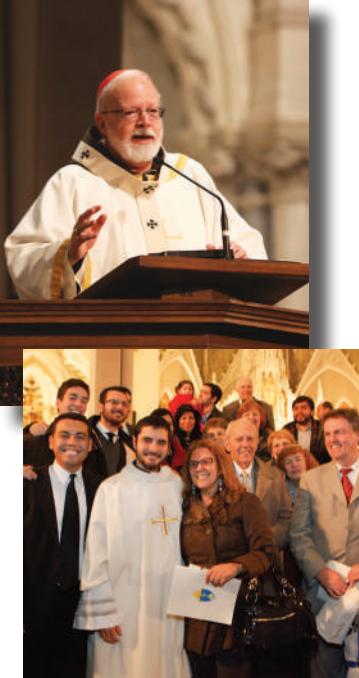
Newsletter of the Redemptoris Mater Seminary of Boston

“Love for the poor and the suffering must characterize all ministry. When our people are most in need is when the presence of the deacon or the priest is most crucial.”

From Cardinal Seán's homily during the Ordination



CARDINAL O'MALLEY CONGRATULATES NEWLY ORDAINED DEACON STEVEN CLEMENCE



"I thank the Lord for the joy of your faith and for the ardor of your Christian witness."



February 1st, 2014: Pope Francis' audience with the Neocatechumenal Way

Dear Friends

In this issue of our Seminary's newsletter, you will find some pictures of the ordination to the Diaconate of Steven Clemence. Steven is one of nine transitional deacons ordained last January and, as Cardinal Seán mentioned in his homily, he is also the first Brazilian ordained for the Archdiocese of Boston.

We give thanks to God for the four new men who were added to our Seminary this year: Mateus, from Brazil; Salomon, from Venezuela; and Giovanni and Michael, both from Colombia. Please keep them in your prayers, as well as all the others, including our itinerants, that the trials of the mission and the difficulties of their formation may help them grow in intimacy with the Lord and in zeal to announce the Gospel.

Besides serving as our Seminary's Vice-Rector, Fr. Lukasz Wisniewski is also the presbyter of the *Missio ad Gentes* in Cambridge, a new pastoral outreach of the Archdiocese of Boston to bring a closer presence of the Church especially to the people and students at Harvard Square.

The pictures above are from a recent audience of Pope Francis with some families of the Neocatechumenal Way, during which he sent out 42 new *Missio ad Gentes* all over the world, especially to the Far Eastern countries of China, Vietnam, Cambodia, Mongolia, and Thailand.

Finally, may I ask you to **SAVE THE DATE** for our annual Gala Dinner, which will be held on June 22 and during which we will honor two men who have distinguished themselves by their contribution to the life of the Church in general, and to our Seminary in particular: President John Garvey, of the Catholic University of America and Mr. Robert Mahoney, the Chief Executive Officer of Belmont Savings Bank.

With best wishes for a holy season of Lent, and asking for your prayers, I remain, fraternally in Christ,

Fri. Antonio F. Medeiros

January 2014 Washington D.C., March For Life



GREETINGS from two of our four new Seminarians!



Mateus Martin from Brazil



Salomon Sepulveda from Venezuela

INSTITUTION TO THE MINISTRY OF ACOLYTE



MARCH 8TH, 2014 - Cardinal Seán O'Malley institutes seminarian Andrea Filippucci to the Ministry of Acolyte in the Chapel of the Seminary



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UNITED STATES	5	
COSTA RICA	1	
ITALY	3	
HONDURAS	1	
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	1	
COLOMBIA	2	
NICARAGUA	1	
POLAND	2	
BRAZIL	4	
VENEZUELA	1	
MEXICO	1	
SPAIN	1	

Save the Date!
June 22, 2014 at 5 pm

Redemptoris Mater Seminary
Fifth Gala Dinner
Honoring

Mr. John H. Garvey,
President of the Catholic
University of America



Mr. Robert M. Mahoney,
President and C.E.O. of
Belmont Savings Bank



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