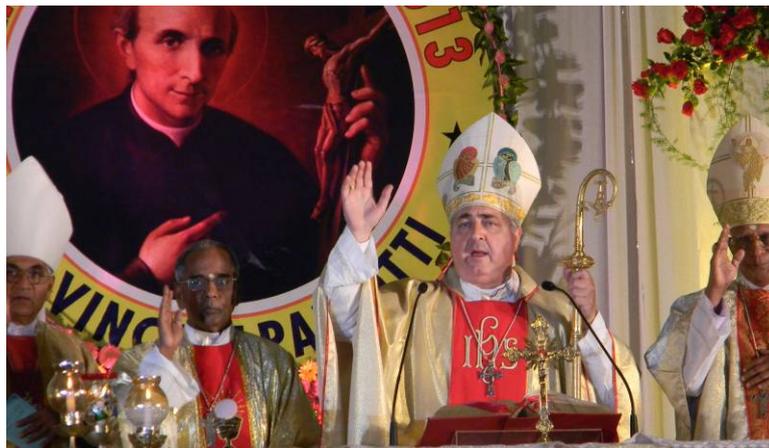

"Let the holiness of God shine forth" (cf. Mt 5,16)

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with utmost reverence...

A celebration to mark the golden jubilee of the canonisation of St Vincent Pallotti was held with utmost reverence and pomp at St Vincent Pallotti School Complex, Anant Nagar, Nagpur on Tuesday evening of 22nd January 2013.



Apostolic Nuncio to India, Archbishop Salvatore Pennacchio presided over the concelebrated Eucharist together with Nagpur Archbishop Abraham Viruthakulangara, Provincial Fr Augustine Varickakal, several bishops from dioceses where Prabhu Prakash [Nagpur] Province serves, and many conferes as well as priests from the Archdiocese.

The ceremony was attended by over three thousand dignitaries, friends and well wishers of the Pallottines. In his address Pennacchio highlighted the life of exceptional holiness of St Vincent and his vision and mission for the Church, and lauded the contribution of Pallottines particularly in the Indian context. Other bishops endorsed this, expressing high words of appreciation. A cultural presentation included a life of the saint, folk dances from regions where we minister, and honoured the dignitaries.

The whole event was meticulously planned and arranged. Confreres and members of the UAC worked hard to make it memorable. Guests were all praise for the beautiful celebration and hospitality.

To mark the occasion a **Jubilee Memorial Pallotti Visual Gallery**, designed and built under the direction of Fr Royichan Pindamangalath, was created at the Provincialate. This was blessed and inaugurated by Archbishop Pennacchio. Highlights of the gallery are: Vincent's life and apostolate, a replica of his



incorrupt body, activities of various Pallottines in India and around the world, glimpses of the latest mission ventures, different writings and articles on Pallotti.

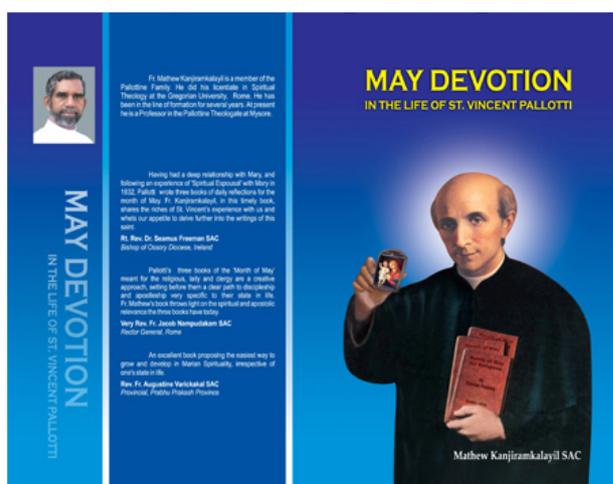
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new books on Vincent

To mark the canonization jubilee **Fr Mathew Kanjiramkalayil**, spiritual director of Prabodhana, released two new publications on St Vincent Pallotti:

- the first, titled **May Devotion**, was launched on 06 January by Rev Fr Jacob Nampudakam, Rector General of the Pallottine Fathers and Brothers
- the second, titled **St Vincent Pallotti: Founder of the Pallottines**, was launched on 22 January, feast day of our founder, by Apostolic Nuncio Salvatore Pennacchio



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