



**SAINT JOHN BAPTIST SCALABRINI**

(1839-1905)

Bishop of Piacenza  
Apostle of Catechism  
Father to the Migrants

## Prayer to Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini

O Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini,  
with the heart of a bishop  
and the zeal of an apostle  
you gave yourself completely to all.  
You listened to the cries of migrants,  
spoke in their name, defended their rights.  
You found sustenance in the Eucharist  
solace in the cross of Jesus,  
comfort in Mary, Mother of the Church.  
Through your intercession  
may God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
grant peace to all humanity,  
protect those who cross  
seas and borders sustained by hope,  
bless us and our loved ones  
and grant us the grace  
that we entrust to your fatherly love. Amen

*Three Glory to the Father in honor of the Holy Spirit*

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Founder of the Missionaries of St. Charles - Scalabrinians  
and the Missionary Sisters of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians  
Inspirer of the Scalabrinian Secular Missionaries

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