

Elections then take place for six other positions in the Congregation. Next, discussions are held and decisions are made about the observance of the Constitutions and the expansion of the works done by the Congregation. At the conclusion of the General Chapter, the convent bell is again rung to call all the Sisters together to pray the Consecration of Our Congregation to the Divine Heart of Jesus.

### Prayers for the Chapter

We ask that you join with us in praying for our upcoming Chapter. We hope our meetings will enlighten us with ideas to further promote the glory of God, the salvation of souls, and the devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. As St. John Bosco said to his fellow Religious at the time of their General Chapter, "Our Divine Savior tells us in the Gospel that where two or three are gathered in His name He will be there among them. Our sessions have no other purpose than God's greater glory and the salvation of souls, redeemed by the Precious Blood of Jesus Christ." With St. John Bosco we pray "that the Lord will be in our midst and will personally lead our discussions to His greater glory."

In the Sacred Heart,

*Mother Mary Bosco, F.M.*

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*A Sister will ring the convent tower bell to announce the election of the new Mother General.*



*The members of the 2016 General Chapter meet for discussions after the elections.*