

BERRUTI Celestino Maria

Was born in Cinaglio (Asti) on 24th August 1804. He took his vows as a Redemptorist at Scifelli on 6th January 1821 and was ordained priest at Narni on 10th May 1827. After his ordination he was engaged in preaching missions until in 1855 he was elected Rector Major of the Congregation in the Kingdom of the Sicilies, a position he held until the reunion of the institute in 1869. Until his death he retained the title of Rector Major of the provinces of Naples and Sicily. He died in Resina on 18th May 1872. Father Berruti, devoted to St. Alphonsus, published in 1857 *Lo spirito di S. Alfonso*, a study which complements the biography of Tannoia.

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