

## **LOSITO Antonio Maria**

Was born in Canosa, Bari, on 16th December 1838. He took his vows in Ciorani on 24th October 1856 and was ordained priest on 5th April 1862. Since his poor health did not permit him to be an active missionary, he devoted himself especially to the work of the confessional, counting among his penitents Blessed Bartolo Longo. He was entrusted with positions of authority, including those of prefect of students and provincial. He died in Pagani on 18th July 1917, and the cause of his beatification has been commenced.

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