

## **Holy See**

**Appointment.** On 22 March 2002, Cardinal Angelo Sodano, Vatican Secretary of State, communicated to **Fr. Benjamín Romo, C.M.**, that, after having studied the list of three candidates presented by the AIC, he has been named *Ecclesiastical Assistant of the International Association of Charities (AIC)*, for a period of three years.

**Appointment.** On 17 April 2002, by a decree from the Congregation for Institutes of Consecrated Life and Societies of Apostolic Life, **Fr. Robert P. Maloney, C.M.**, was named *Delegate of the Holy See to preside at the General Chapter of the Religious of St. Vincent de Paul* (founded in 1845) from May 4-19, 2002, in Rome.

**Beatification Ceremony.** On 11 June 2002, the Secretariat of State communicated to Fr. Roberto D'Amico, Postulator General, that the Holy Father has decided that **the Beatification Ceremony of the Servant of God Marcantonio Durando, C.M.**, (1801-1880), Founder of the Congregation of the Sisters of Jesus the Nazorean, *will take place on World Mission Sunday, 22 October 2002, in St. Peter's Square, Rome*, together with the beatification of the Servants of God Maria of the Passion, Liduina Meneguzzi, David Okelo and Gildo Irwa.