

Conclusion

By his rich legacy, Saint Vincent himself calls us to ongoing formation and conversion. In his own life this call led our Founder to hear the cries of the poor, found seminaries, hold Tuesday Conferences and retreats for clergy, send missionaries far and wide, and imagine that his Little Company could make a lasting contribution to the Church and to the world. St. Vincent never stopped rekindling the gift of God that was within him. As his life moved on, he continued to find new ways to respond to the call of the Lord, while recognizing the need to let go of some aspects of his earlier ministry. With Saint Vincent, we embrace a life of ongoing formation. May God, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion.