

Roman Culture

Day 4



76. Jupiter

(Zeus) - king of gods, god of sky, lightning, eagle



77. Neptune

(Poseidon) - god of the sea, horses, earthquakes, trident



78. Vulcan

(Hephaestus) - god of the forge, blacksmith, metalworking, anvil



79. Juno

(Hera) - queen of the gods, marriage, family, peacock



80. Apollo

(Apollo) - god of the sun, music, poetry, prophecy



81. Mercury

(Hermes) - messenger of the gods, travelers, caduceus, winged sandals



82. Mars

(Ares) - god of war, dogs, vultures, father of Romulus / Remus



83. Ceres

(Demeter) - goddess of grain, agriculture, mother of Proserpina



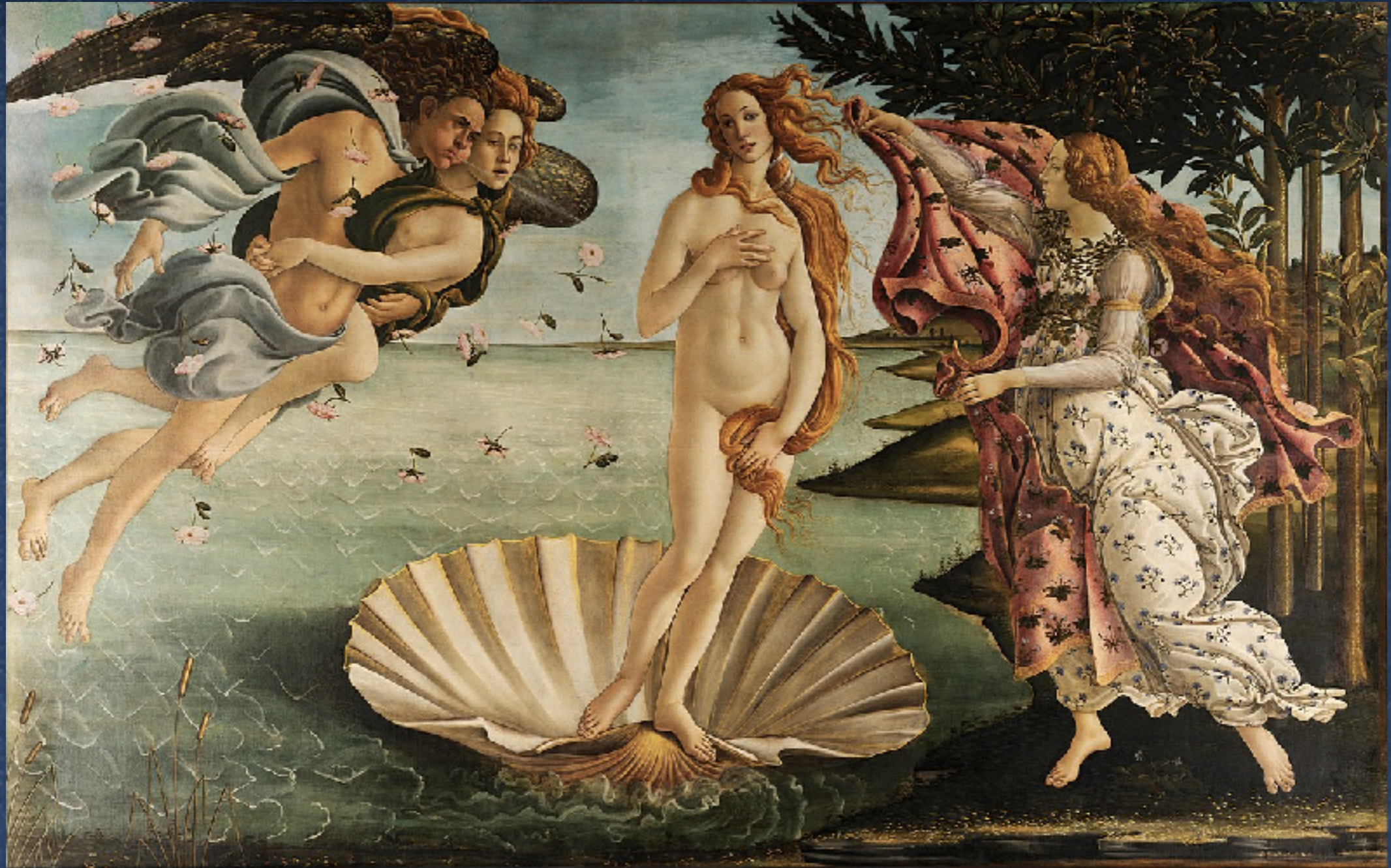
84. Diana

(Artemis) - goddess of the moon, hunting, virginity



85. Minerva

(Athena) - goddess of wisdom / war, owl, aegis



86. Venus

(Aphrodite) - goddess of love, beauty, always naked



87. Vesta

(Hestia) - goddess of the hearth and home, temple in Rome



88. Janus

Two-headed god of beginnings, endings, doorways



89. Fortuna

Goddess of luck and fortune, seen with horn and wheel



90. Saturn

(Chronos) - father of the Olympian gods, ruled during Golden Age



91. Pluto

(Hades) - god of death, underworld, and wealth (Dis)



92. Quirinus

Deified Romulus, became a god after his death, one of Rome's hills



Jean-François Detroy - National Gallery (UK)

93. Jason

Quest for the Golden Fleece, traveled on the Argo



94. Theseus

Killed the Minotaur in the labyrinth on Crete, love of Ariadne



95. Perseus

Killed Medusa, rescued Andromeda



96. Hercules

(Herakles) - performed 12 labors after murdering his family



97. Bellerophon

Tamed Pegasus, killed the Chimera



98. Cerberus

Three-headed dog, guardian of the Underworld



99. Sphinx

Half-woman, half-lion, Thebes, killed those who couldn't answer her riddle



100. Uranus and Gaea

Father Sky and Mother Earth, ancient deities