

1. **CATECHISM CLASS:** Children 6 to 14 please meet Father Joseph in the vestibule right after the 10:00 Mass.
2. There WILL be 5:00 PM Sunday Vespers and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament this afternoon.
3. Beginning tomorrow, October 1, 2007, each evening during the month of October at 7:10 PM, we will pray the Rosary in the Abbey Church. If you can not be present, at least join us in spirit in your Home Chapels.
4. Tuesday, October 2, 2007, is the Feast of the Holy Guardian Angels, Patronal Feast of our Benedictine Monks and Nuns. Please pray most specially for the welfare of our Abbey and Convent.
5. Wednesday, October 3, 2007, is the Feast of Saint Therese the Little Flower, Patronal Feast of Christ the King Abbey Church. Pray that we be spared of all mischief or vandalism of any sort.
6. Thursday, October 4, 2007, is the first Thursday of October, with Holy Hour and Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM and 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM.
7. Thursday, is also the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi, and is the Name day of our Father Francis, OSB. Please keep Father Francis in your special prayers this Thursday.
8. Friday, October 5, 2007, is the First Friday of October, with Masses in the Abbey Church at 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM, and all-day adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 9:00 AM until 6:00 PM.
9. Saturday, October 6, 2007, is the First Saturday of October, with Masses in the Abbey Church at 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM.
10. Next Sunday, October 7, 2007, is the first Sunday of October. **Therefore there will be NO Mass at Saint Pius V Chapel in Birmingham next Sunday.**
11. **NOTICE:** On the Second Sunday of October (October 14, 2007), Miss Ashley Sawyer will enter the Novitiate of Saint Joseph's Convent during the 10:00 AM Mass at the Abbey Church. **THEREFORE THERE WILL BE NO MASS AT SAINT PIUS V CHAPEL IN BIRMINGHAM ON THE SECOND SUNDAY OF OCTOBER.**
12. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-ins of our Chapels. LET US ALSO PRAY FOR EVERYONE. Let us pray for ALL the priests and religious men and women of the world. NO MAN, WOMAN, OR CHILD SHOULD BE LEFT OUT OF OUR PRAYER. God made all men to be with Him in heaven for all eternity, and this includes every human being on earth, regardless of station or condition or place. While Our Blessed Lord was hanging on the Cross He did not look around and pick and choose those for whom He was dying. He did not exclude a single member of the Human Race – even His enemies – from the wounded Love that came forth from Him during those momentous moments. Weak human nature and erroneous persuasions will prevent some from achieving the purpose intended for them by God, but that matter remains entirely between all such and God. Our only duty is to pray for **souls**. We make **no** judgments concerning such matters. If there is any sifting to be done, it is to be done by God, Himself alone. We are **NOT** the ones to do the sifting.
13. **MASSES FOR THE WEEK:** (Father Abbot Leonard's schedule only)

SUNDAY:	For the people of our Chapels
MONDAY:	For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
TUESDAY:	For Christ the King Abbey and Saint Joseph's Convent
WEDNESDAY:	For Christ the King Abbey Church
THURSDAY:	For Father Francis, OSB (<i>Name day</i>)
FRIDAY:	For the Parents of Barbara Hopkins
SATURDAY:	Special intention Paul Roy Family

Let us note well that the power of our conversation with God does not lie in the quality of the spoken words of the prayer that issues forth from our lips.

The strength of our prayer lies entirely in the quality of the interior and peaceful dispositions which predominate in our hearts, and the humble state of mind that springs forth from the true and pure love within our hearts!

So much do we love —

So strong is our prayer!

A Thought To Remember ...

Some souls are so cold that even the burning flame
of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
fails to warm them!