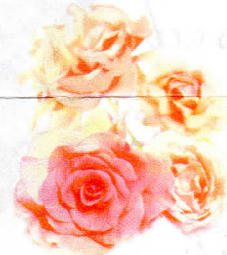


By the grace of God  
 Sunday, May 10, 2009, during the 10:00 AM Mass in our Abbey Church,  
 Sister Mary Philomena OSB will pronounce her Triennial Vows (3 Years)  
 Please pray for her and for all the Sisters.

1. There will be Catechism Class this morning after the 10:00 A.M. Mass.
2. Friday of this week, May 1, 2009, is the wonderful Feast of St. Joseph the Worker, He is a most glorious and most powerful Saint, and is the Virgin Father of the Word Incarnate. But as is usual for him, he is passed over and overlooked by so many of us. Our petition to him is never overlooked by him. Therefore, come Friday, let us **DO SOMETHING** to prove our special love for him and also our gratitude for all that he has done for us. St. Joseph, indeed, is a most special Saint.
3. Friday, May 1, 2009, is the First Friday of May, with Masses in the Abbey Church at 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM, and all-day Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 10:00 AM until **5:00 PM**.
4. Saturday, May 2, 2009, is the First Saturday of May, with Masses at 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM.
5. Beginning Friday, May 1, 2009, also, we begin May Daily Rosary with procession in honor of our Most Blessed Lady. Every evening of May the Rosary begins in the Abbey Church at 7:10 PM followed immediately by Compline. Many because of distance cannot be here for the Rosary. This is understood. However, no one should omit the daily Rosary during May.
6. Sunday May 10, 2009 is Mothers Day. There will be May Crowning of the Blessed Mother on that day. Miss Theresa Patterson will place the crown on our Holy Lady.
7. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-ins of our Chapels. **LET US ALSO PRAY FOR EVERYONE.**
8. June 7, 2009 is the First Sunday of June - we will have graduation exercises on that day.
9. **MASSES FOR THE WEEK: (Father Abbot Leonard's schedule only)**

SUNDAY:	For the People of our Chapels
MONDAY:	Dec Exilia and Napoleon Richer
TUESDAY:	Special Int. Brother Louis OSB - Nameday
WEDNESDAY:	For the Poor Souls
THURSDAY:	Dec. Bernardo Gennarelli
FRIDAY: ****	Welfare of our Monks, Nuns and Oblates
SATURDAY:	Special Int. Paul Roy Family



## *Pride At Work*

*Everywhere sin is increasing to an appalling degree. The pride of man leads him to discard his God and attempt to make a paradise of earth. He has so far succeeded only in making it a vestibule of hell, where impiety, immorality, and the worst passions have free scope; wars rage that are more terrible than any yet heard of, the majority of mankind suffers poverty and slavery, and killings, and hate and all without the comfort which faith alone can impart.*

*The Heart of God inclines in pity towards His forlorn children, and He points out to them the way of happiness, peace, and salvation.*

*How sad that so many of God's forlorn and suffering children do not hear what God is trying so hard to tell them.*

***May God have mercy on us all***

### *A Thought To Remember ...*

**The freedoms which Protestantism gives on the one hand, and the woeful agonies of Jansenism on the other, have, during these last centuries, extinguished, little by little, the sacred fire within the very heart of Christianity, and have killed it altogether in so many good souls.**