

# Blessed Father Saint Joseph - pray for us

1. Thanks be to God and for the greater Honor and Glory of God, this year we hope to observe the full Liturgical Ceremony for Holy Thursday and Good Friday. Please pray that all will proceed in good order. The Holy Thursday Mass will begin at 7:00 PM. The Liturgical Solemnity of Good Friday will begin at 12:00 Noon. Everyone should make a real effort to be present at these very Holy Ceremonies.
2. There will be Catechism class today after the 10:00 AM Mass.
3. March 19, 2010 is the Feast of St. Joseph. It goes without saying that after our prayer in honor of our most Blessed Mother Mary, our prayer should next be directed to our most Holy and Blessed Father, St. Joseph. St. Joseph together with our Blessed Mother should hold the place of highest honor in our household. May St. Joseph help and protect and pray for us, and our families.
4. The Novena in Honor of St. Benedict is in progress.
5. **Stations of the Cross and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday night of Lent at 7:00 PM.**
6. Our Presentation of the "Power of Prayer," by Father Richard Gräf will be interrupted until Low Sunday.
7. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-ins of our Chapels. Pray also for the injured and the dead victims of the earthquakes that have recently taken place.
8. Easter Sunday: there will be no Mass at St. Pius V Chapel, Birmingham; there will be Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel, Montgomery – Mass will begin on time 10:45 AM
9. **MASSES FOR THE WEEK: (Father Abbot Leonard's schedule only)**
  - SUNDAY: For the People of our Chapels
  - MONDAY: Dec Father Joseph Sanchez O.F.M.
  - TUESDAY: Special Int. Linda Mader
  - WEDNESDAY: For Paul Dumbacher and family
  - THURSDAY: For Special Int. Father Joseph O.S.B. - Nameday
  - FRIDAY: Welfare St Joseph Convent - Patron
  - SATURDAY: Welfare of our Abbey Church - Patron

On Friday March 19, 2010, the Feast of St. Joseph,  
**Douglas LeBlanc**  
will enter the Novitiate of Christ the King Monastery  
as an aspirant to the Holy Priesthood  
Mass will be at 8:00 AM  
Please pray ardently for Mr. Douglas LeBlanc

## Assignments for the Ceremonies of Holy Thursday:

1. Celebrant: Father Abbot Leonard OSB
2. Master of Ceremonies:
  - (1) Father Michael OSB
  - (2) Father Sebastian OSB
3. Acolytes: Daniel Henderson and Ronald Roberts.
4. Censors bearers: (Mass and Procession) Novice Douglas LeBlanc  
(For Procession only) Kenneth LeBlanc
5. Cross Bearer for Procession: Brother Louis OSB
6. Chanters: Father Joseph OSB and Novice Douglas LeBlanc
7. Organist: Father Bernard OSB
8. Umbrellino: Donald Mullan

All night Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament begins immediately after the ceremony.

## *A Thought To Remember ...*

**"There is no possibility of receiving the Life of Christ in our members,  
unless the activity of corrupt nature in those members is paralyzed  
by self-inflicted privations."**

Father Edward Leen C.S.S.P.