TRADITIONAL CHAPELS IN ALABAMA

St. Francis of Assisi Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Chapel Roman Catholic Chapel Roman Catholic Chapel Cullman, Alabama Birmingham, Alabama Montgomery, Alabama OF MASSES SCHEDULE 6:00 A.M. - Mass 9:10 A.M. - Rosary (EVERY SUNDAY) 10:30 A.M. - Rosary 9:30 A.M. - Mass 12:30 P.M. - Mass 10:45 A.M. - Mass (EXCEPT on first (EXCEPT on first (ONLY on First Sunday Sunday of each month)

THE TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (Extra) VI Sunday after Epiphany

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of each month)

Christ rejected pleasure and accepted suffering as His lot because He bitterly opposed the world's theory of happiness. And yet His life was far from being a cheerless or a joyless or a loveless one. He was the living proof of His own theory - that suffering is NOT INCOMPATIBLE with happiness. Christ was extremely happy. He had the satisfaction that comes of the possession of a MANHOOD that was perfect in all its elements and that rose superior to all the little silly attractions of earth bound people. Who can measure the bliss of knowing that one loves God with all his heart and mind and soul and being, and the God RETURNS that same love. WHAT TREASURE IS BETTER????? One moment of Christ's life contained a satisfaction and contentment of soul that OUT-WEIGHED in value and intensity the accumulated joys of the entire earthly lives of all the saints of God together. Jesus chose to suffer, but He did not choose to be unhappy. He did not reject happiness from His life. He but looked for it where alone it is to be found: in the INTENSE LOVE OF GOD!!!

ALFRED AND CORNELIA SACHS will be blessed with the celebration of their FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY on Saturday, November 25, 1989. Please pray that God will shower these two wonderful people with His Choicest graces and blessings. The 12:30 P.M. Mass on Sunday, November 26 is offered for their joy.

- On Sunday, November 5, 1989, Geraldine (Jerry) Jordan, was Baptized into the Roman Catholic Church, and therefore, became a Member of St. Francis of Assisi Chapel - Cullman. On Tuesday, November 14, 1989, Geraldine Jordan, answered a very peaceful call from Almighty God, and departed this life. May her soul rest in peace. In your charity please pray for her soul. Holy Mass will be offered at St. Francis Chapel, Thursday morning for her.
- 2. Please pray for the sick and shut-ins of our chapels.
- 3. Confessions are heard before all masses on Sunday. Everyone is reminded of the importance of the Sacrament of Penance, and is likewise reminded to make proper use of it.
- Each year at this time, we update our address files. Any change in address or new addresses should be reported. Please place any such information in the collection basket.
- Lest we forget: November is the Month which is dedicated to the Souls in Purgatory. Your best prayers should be offered to God for the welfare of our departed loved ones.
- MASSES FOR THE WEEK:

6:00 A.M. For Prayer Promises and Benefactors SUNDAY:

9:30 A.M. For the People of the Chapels

12:30 P.M. Dec. Mary Ellen Martinez

MONDAY: Dec. Edwin Swenson Dec. Edna Drippe TUESDAY:

Dec. of Pillowski Family WEDNESDAY:

THURSDAY: Dec. Jerry Jordan

Dec. Andrew & Mary Zimbauer FRIDAY: SATURDAY: Dec. Florine Brisbois