

TRADITIONAL CHAPELS IN ALABAMA

Our Lady of Lourdes
Roman Catholic Chapel
Montgomery, Alabama

St. Francis of Assisi
Roman Catholic Chapel
Cullman, Alabama

St. Pius V
Roman Catholic Chapel
Birmingham, Alabama

S C H E D U L E O F M A S S E S

10:30 A.M. - Rosary
10:45 A.M. - Mass
(ONLY on First Sunday
of each month)

6:00 A.M. - Mass
(EVERY SUNDAY)
12:30 P.M. - Mass
(EXCEPT on first
Sunday of each month)

9:10 A.M. - Rosary
9:30 A.M. - Mass
(EXCEPT on first
Sunday of each month)

THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING - - - White
October 28, 1990

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TODAY IS THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING, AND THE PATRONAL FEAST DAY OF CHRIST THE KING MONASTERY. LET US ALL WORK TOGETHER AS BEST WE CAN IN THE EFFORT OF RESTORING THE KINGSHIP OF CHRIST ON EARTH, AND IN THE HOLY CHURCH WHICH HE, HIMSELF, FOUNDED. PLEASE PRAY THAT OUR MONASTERY CAN AND WILL BE A TYPICAL BENEDICTING HELP IN THIS REGARD. YOU CAN BE SURE THAT YOU ARE IN THE VERY SPECIAL PRAYERS AND GOOD WORKS OF THE MONASTERY OF CHRIST THE KING!!!

God does not condemn man to suffering; man condemns himself to suffering. God tells man what is needed for happiness, and in refusing God's terms man condemns himself to unhappiness. This happened in the beginning, when Adam turned down the happiness which was his for the taking, and it has happened ever since, when the sons of Adam turn down the conditions on which happiness may be enjoyed. If there is a difference between Adam's case and ours, it is that the conditions are more explicitly formulated now than they were then. Christ has told us the secret of his happiness in the Father. The only happiness which is proof against suffering is the happiness which Christ came on earth to bring. Suffering is powerless to extinguish the happiness which is conditioned by faith and hope. WHY? Because faith and hope are evidence of the love which accepts the essential condition of being obedient to God's will. Original sin condemns man to suffering; actual sin condemns man to suffering; mistaking pleasure for happiness condemns man to suffering. If man thinks he can make better rules for happiness than those laid down by God, he must bear the consequences of his arrogance: he must bear the weight of his suffering.

1. Thursday, November 1, 1990 is the FEAST OF ALL SAINTS - - A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION. Masses are at St. Francis Chapel - 6:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M.
2. Friday, November 2, 1990 is THE SOLEMN COMMEMORATION OF THE SOULS IN PURGATORY - NOT a holy day. Masses are at St. Francis Chapel - 6:00 A.M. and 6:30 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. Take careful note of these Mass times. Even though this day is not a holy day, every effort should be made to attend mass on this priceless day when we pray most sincerely for our departed loved ones.
3. ALL SOULS DAY envelopes are available. Please return these on or before November 1. They will remain next to the TABERNACLE throughout the coming year.
4. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-Ins of our Chapels, especially remembering our dear Brother Al Sachs.
5. Please order your 1991 Calendars now: (\$5.00 each) Contact:
Laurelyn Niebuhr in Birmingham
Mrs. Paul Roy in Montgomery
Father Leonard, O.S.B. in Cullman.
6. Josephine Luyben, mother of our Rita Frey (Cullman) departed this life on Thursday, October 25, 1990. Let us, with fervent prayer, recommend her soul to the loving mercy of God.