

**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 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
September 19, 1993 - - - Green

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The first step in carrying out the Will of God is to avoid mortal sin. Where there is a habit of mortal sin WHICH ONE DOES NOT INTEND TO GIVE UP, there is no spiritual life. The DECISION to avoid mortal sin is vital to the spiritual life. When this condition exists, the soul of such a one is dead. If a man is in that state, he has urgent need of making a good confession and of making that decision to fight manfully against his bad habits. The fight may not be easy; he may, perhaps even fall again and again; but he must be resolutely determined that even if he falls down again, HE WILL NOT STAY DOWN, and he must follow out that determination grimly. The argument that since he continues to fall again and again, what is the good of going to confession, is simply not a valid or wise argument. The argument that the confession of the same sin over and over again is embarrassing and boring is not a valid argument. If a person, place or thing is the source of our sin and the cause of our sin, then one must decide between that person and God; between that place and God, between that thing and God! It is quite impossible to possess both. Mortal sin must be regarded as the greatest possible evil - one to be avoided at all or any cost. On this point there can be no compromise. An offense against God is an offense against God, and no human speculation or analysis can change the fact that GOD MUST NEVER BE OFFENDED!! Neither can any human agency or tribunal remove sinfulness from an offense which God has preordained to be sinful and offensive. The law of God is unchangeable, and its application is not open to anyone's private interpretation.

1. SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT\*\*\*\*\*

VOWS AT THE MONASTERY - - Venerable Frater Paul May, O.S.B.  
SUNDAY - - October 3, 1993

10:00 A.M. - St. Francis Chapel

(1) Therefore there will be no mass at Our Lady of Lourdes.

(2) Therefore, Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes the following Sunday - October 10, at the usual time.

(3) Therefore there will be No 9:30 A.M. Mass at St. Pius V on Sunday October 10.

and

there will be NO 12:30 P.M. Mass at St. Francis chapel on Sunday October 10.

2. The 1945 Father Lasance Roman Missal has been reprinted. The original text and the original appearance have been faithfully reproduced. There are a few available at the pre-publishing price of \$25.00. Contact Lillian Griffin at 404-424-0857 for information, or speak to her at St. Pius Chapel on Sunday Mornings. Father Leonard recommends these wonderful missals.

3. Please pray for the Sick and Shut-Ins of Our Chapels, especially remembering our Brother Al Sachs.