

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

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

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)

SUNDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF ASCENSION
May 15, 1994 - - - White

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Everyone is called upon to be HOLY (to be a SAINT), and the model of all holiness is our Lord, and unless we grow to be holy as He is holy, we will never get anywhere in holiness. This does not mean that all who follow Him will end up exactly alike. Our Lord appears to us in HIS way, and we answer Him in OUR way. If twenty artists are told to paint a picture of the crucifixion, they will all show the same thing, but in TWENTY DIFFERENT ways. There will be TWENTY quite separate pictures, NO TWO ALIKE. This is how God wants our response to be: EACH ONE HIS OWN. Now just as it would show a weakness in one of those twenty artists to copy as closely as possible the painting of the artist next to him, so it would be a weakness for one follower of our Lord to COPY as closely as possible the particular holiness of another follower. He should make it his FIRST JOB to follow our Lord. The ways by which others have followed our Lord can be a tremendous help, just as the ways other people use can be a great help to painting, but our Lord, Who is HIMSELF "the Way, the Truth, and the Life" wants something out of which is YOUR OWN TO GIVE AND IS NOT JUST A COPY. OF SOMEONE ELSE. The saints produce masterpieces because of EACH ONE'S likeness to our Lord, not because of each one's likeness to another. By all means let us imitate the way in which the saints went about it, BUT BY NO MEANS LET US COPY THE RESULTS. GOD WANTS AN ORIGINAL REPRODUCTION OF HIMSELF - NOT A FORGERY OR A CARBON COPY!!!!

- 1, NEXT SUNDAY IS THE VERY GREAT FEAST OF THE HOLY GHOST - PENTECOST. NOVENA TO THE HOLY GHOST IN PROGRESS. LET US PREPARE OURSELVES WELL FOR THIS GREAT FEAST.
2. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-Ins of our Chapels, especially remembering our Brother, Al Sachs.
3. Please remember the EASTER DUTY obligation. Sunday, May 29, 1994 is Trinity Sunday and the last day for one to make his Easter Confession and Communion. This is a serious obligation. Confessions before Masses on Sunday.
4. ALSO - - be reminded that Fridays of the year are days of Abstinence - completely meatless days.
5. SATURDAY May 21, 1994 is the Vigil of Pentecost, and is, therefore, a day of FAST AND ABSTINENCE. Meat may be taken at the main meal of the day.

