## TRADITIONAL CHAPELS IN ALABAMA

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

THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 20, 1995 - - Green Feast of St. Bernard - Doctor

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SANCTITY leads to courage. A person has to have great courage if he is to turn away from his own ideas about the safety of the things that he is attempting and place his trust in somebody else - - even if that somebody else is God. But one has to understand that this courage is not the kind which is called daring. To be daring may be far more fun, and we admire the dashing hero when we see him in a film, but courage is far more pleasing to God. Daring may be no more than boldness, the exciting instinct which takes risks, whereas courage is a deliberately built-state of mind. The saints were not dare-devils, plunging about because they loved danger. There were cool and calm men and women who went about on and on serving God because it was their duty to do so, and not just their duty - it was their love to do so!!! This slow kind of stable, consistent and persevering courage is sheer virtue, and is all the more valuable to God because it is SO LITTLE noticed by human beings.

The saints were ready enough to take risks when the occasions came up as when they served lepers, or exposed themselves to persecution and martyrdom for the sake of spreading the Faith - but this was always because they took such risks in their stride as being part of their service of God, and not because they saw themselves to be something glamourous. The saints were ready to become fools for Christ's sake, but they did not have to be foolhardy. It was not that they wanted to get a name for themselves, either as heroes or as saints - they wanted no monuments - . All that they wanted was to put God's interests first and were prepared to go to any lengths to see that His interests were served - That In

All Things God May Be Glorified!!

1. CONFIRMATION - - TRADITIONAL CHAPELS IN ALABAMA - Sunday - September 17, 1995 - - Abbey Church
All who are in need of proper documents please attend
to this early and present all such to the Abbot.

Mass--- 10:00 A.M. Confirmation follows (NO MASS AT ST. PIUS)
Reception afterwards - downstairs of church.

2. Beginning with the FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT, the Mass schedule for St. Francis Chapel - (Abbey Church) will be as follows:

6:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M. EVERY SUNDAY

3. EARLY ANNOUNCEMENT: - - Frater Francis Nordmann, O.S.B. will pronounce his SOLEMN VOWS on Sunday, October 8, 1995 - - 10:00 A.M. There will be NO MASS at St. Pius Chapel in Birmingham on that day.

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ON THE SAME DAY

Noel Nordmann will be received as the First Novice of the Monastery of St. Joseph. Noel Nordmann will receive the Traditional White Veil.

TO ASK YOU FOR YOUR BEST PRAYERS
FOR THESE PEOPLE
!!WOULD BE AN UNDERSTATEMENT!!