

1. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-Ins of our Chapels
2. For a sin to be mortal it must have three important characteristics:
 1. The matter in question must be serious
 2. The matter in question must be understood to be serious
 3. The matter in question must in its execution have the full consent of the will.

It is highly unlikely for one not to realize when he or she is in the state of mortal sin. Little excuse can be given for ignorance of what is seriously wrong. WE KNOW! Therefore the Sacrament of Penance is most necessary, and anyone in a state of sin who fails to make use of the Sacrament of Penance, is most certainly taking a serious risk! Furthermore, anyone in a state of mortal sin, may not receive the Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist. The hurly-burly attitude of the mainstream catholic of today toward the Sacrament of Penance, is no reason for true Catholics to think lightly of it.
GO TO CONFESSION!

3. Tuesday, August 15, 2000 is the FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR MOST BLESSED MOTHER into Heaven and is a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION.

Masses in the Abbey Church will be at:

6:00 A.M.

8:00 A.M.

7:00 P.M.

4. MASSES FOR THE WEEK: (Abbot Leonard's Schedule Only)

SUNDAY:	For the People of the Chapels
MONDAY:	Welfare George and Rose Smaha (30 Wed. Anniv)
TUESDAY:	Dec. Kelly Smith
WEDNESDAY:	Welfare Mary Ellen Huesman
THURSDAY:	Welfare Eric Davis
FRIDAY:	Special Int. Catherine Maddux
SATURDAY:	Welfare Robert and Dorothy DiPiante

A DIRECTIVE

In order to annihilate every possible cause for confusion and distraction amongst the Faithful People who attend St. Francis Chapel, St. Pius V Chapel and Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel, all of which are cared for by the Monks of Christ the King Abbey, the following directives are to be followed by everyone and at all times when on the grounds of the Abbey or on the grounds of our Chapels: "Any and every discussion of controversial political affairs, whether they be of the Roman Catholic Church or of the State, must be avoided. In any event, such conversation, wherever it takes place, must be looked upon by all parties concerned as the private opinion and speculation of the speaker. Such discussion must never be taken as any reflection of the official views or conclusions of Christ the King Abbey. Any hypothesis concerning Church related or State related problems which does not have its origin in this Bulletin or is not presented to the people from the pulpits of our Chapels is to be looked upon as the private and personal opinion of the speaker and should be treated as such. Every private effort to form or slant peoples' thinking in matters such as herein noted - **IS WRONG!** Our House is a House of Prayer - - **NOTHING ELSE!** All newcomers and visitors should be met with ONLY the Spiritual Life - - NOT the political involvements, intrigues and impossible complications of either the Church or the State."