Christ the King Abbey

(Traditional Benedictines)

(St Francis of Assisi Chapel)
Cullman Alabama
Every Sunday
6:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.
6:00 A.M. Daily
Holy Days
6:00 A.M.; 8:00 A.M.; 7:00 P.M.

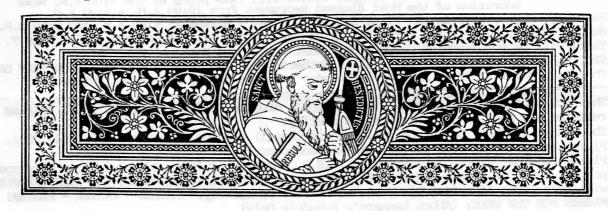
St. Pius V Chapel 9:30 A.M. Birmingham Every Sunday except First Sunday of each month

Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel Montgomery Alabama 10:45 A.M. Only on First Sunday of each month

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER April 28, 2002 - - - White

Mass of Sunday: Gl; Cr; Comm St. Vitalis; Pref Easter

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Suscipe me, Domine, secundum eloquium tuum, et vivam,

et non confundas me ab expectatione mea.

Uphold me, O Lord,

according to Thy Word, and I shall live,

and let me not be confounded

in my expectation.

Sister Mary Veronica, O. S. B.

Perpetual Vows







SAINT JOSEPH

Pray for Us

1. May is the Month of our Most Blessed Mother. If ever we have needed the help of our Mother - !it is today! This year let us all give a most special homage to her.

LET US NOT OWNT OUR DAILY ROSARY. Each evening, during May, the Monks will recite the ROSARY in procession to the Shrine of Our Lady of PETPERIAL HELP - - 7:10 P.M.

ROSARY in procession to the Shrine of Our Lady of PETPERUAL HELP - - 7:10 P.M.

2. Tomorrow, April 29, is the Feast of St. Peter of Verona - the SECOND BLESSING will be placed on the Palm Crosses tomorrow. Friday, May 3, 2002, is the Feast of the Finding of the True Cross. On that day the THIRD AND FINAL BLESSING will be placed on the Palm Crosses.

3. Thursday, May 2, 2002 is the First Thursday of May - Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Day. Holy Hours and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament:

10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. 3:30 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

4. Friday, May 3, 2002, is the First Friday of May - Masses in the Church 6:00 A.M. and 8:00 A.M. Vows of Brother Joseph, 0.8.8. will take place at the 8:00 A.M. Mass Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 10:00 A.M. = 6:00 P.M.

5. Saturday, May 4, 2002 is the First Saturday of May - Masses at 6:00 A.M. and 8:00 A.M.

6. Sunday, May 5, 2002 is the First Sunday of May - there will be no Mass at St. Pius V.

7. There will be no Catechism Class today, next Sunday and Mothers' Day.

8. SPECIAL NOTE: - Sunday May 12, 2002 is Mothers' Day - NO MASS AT ST. PIUS V ON THAT DAY.

9. Thursday, May 9, 2002 is Ascension Thursday - and is a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION.

Masses in the Abbey Church will be at 6:00 - - 8:00 A.M. - - and 7:00 P.M.

10. The Father of Ruth Fuller (St. Pius V Chapel) died on Monday, April 22, 2002. Please remember his soul in your prayers and charity.

11. The Mother of Danny Henderson (St. Francis Chapel) died on Wednesday, April 24, 2002.

Please remember her soul in your prayers and charity.

12. Please remember Sister Mary Veronica, O.S.B. and Brother John, O.S.B. in your very special prayers. May it please God that the certainty and stability of these two YOUNG PEOPLE will help, even if a tiny bit, the INSTABILITY of our day. PRAYER - PRAYER!

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

SUNDAY: Sister Veronica, O.S.B. and St. Joseph's Convent

MONDAY: For the PEOPLE of the Chapels

TUESDAY: Dec. Beatrice Braden
WEDNESDAY: Dec. Father of Ruth Fuller

THURSDAY: Dec. Mary Henderson

FRIDAY: Brother John, O.S.B. and Christ the King Abbey

SATURDAY: Special Int. Paul Roy Family

SAINT JOSEPH Pray for Us

The Annual Corpus Christi Celebration - and procession - will, this year, be held on Sunday, June 2, 2002 (First Sunday of June). As a consequence, there will be no Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel (in Montgomery) on that day. As always, the Corpus Christi Celebration will be held in the Abbey Church.

PIFASE NOTE: There will be mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel , Sunday, June 9, 2002 (THE SECOND SUNDAY)

There will be NO MASS at St. Pius V Chapel on Sunday, June 9, 2002 - (THE SECOND SUNDAY)

The SPRING "Picnic" of Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel, in Montgomery, will take place after Mass on Sunday, May 5, 2002. This will be a Covered Dish affair.

EARLY ANNOUNCEMENT: Sunday, May 12, 2002 (The Second Sunday of May) is "MOTHER'S DAY" and the May Crowning Ceremonies will be held in the Abbey Church - just after the 10:00 A.M. Mass. Mrs. Iva Roy will, this year, Crown the Blessed Mother. We are so honored to have as our very own, an actual (though retired) PILCRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA. How privileged we are to place a Crown on such a Statue, and that Mrs. Roy will be the First to place the Crown on Our Blessed Mother, here in this House of Worship.

There will be no Mass at St. Pius Chapel in Birmingham on Mother's Day

GOD'S BLESSINGS UPON US AND OUR WORK

St. Joseph The Worker



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Soseph





A MONK IS A MAN who labors because he is poor and is poor because he loves God, and who lives apart from the world and all the arrangements of the world in order to give *praise to God*.

Br. John, O. S. B.

THE PROFESSION



The life of a monk can be summed up in one single

line

OF

SIMPLE TRIENNIAL

vows





"The world forgetting, by the

world forgotten."

Friday, May 3, 2002 Feast of the Finding of the True Cross EVERYONE please stand and participate in the singing of the hymns:

SAINT JOSEPH Pray for Us

OFFERTORY HYMN - start singing as soon as Priest unveils Chalice:

"Hail, Holy Queen enthroned above"

Hail, Holy Queen enthroned above, O MARIA!

Hail, Mother of mercy and of love, O MARIA!

Triumph, all ye Cherubim,

Sing with us, ye Seraphim.

Heaven and earth resound the hymn:

Salve, Salve, Salve Regina!

Our life, our sweetness here below, O MARIA!
Our hope, in sorrow and in woe, O MARIA!
Triumph, all ye Cherubim,
Sing with us, ye Seraphim!
Heaven and earth resound the hymn:
Salve, Salve, Salve Regina!

RECESSIONAL HYMN – as Priest leaves the Altar:

"Immaculate Mary"

- 1. Immaculate Mary!
 Your praises we sing
 You reign now in splendor
 With Jesus our King.
 Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!.
 Ave, Ave Maria
- 3. Immaculate Mary
 Our hearts are on fire;
 That title so wondrous,
 Fills all our desire!.
 Ave, etc.
- In heaven the blessed Your glory proclaim..
 On earth we your children Invoke your sweet name Ave, etc.
- 4. We pray for our Mother,
 The Church upon earth,
 And bless, sweetest Lady,
 The land of our birth.
 Ave, etc.