

1. There will be NO Catechism class this morning. There will be NO Catechism class until the Second Sunday after Easter (April 10, 2005).
2. Friday, April 1, 2005, is the First Friday of April, with Masses in the Abbey Church at 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM, and all-day Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 10:00 AM until 6:00 PM.
3. Saturday, April 2, 2005, is the First Saturday of April, with Masses in the Abbey Church at 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM.
4. **EASTER DUTY:** "All the faithful who have reached the age of their reason must sincerely confess their sins at least once a year. This confession need not be made during the Easter time, but because of the prescribed Easter Communion it is practical to make it at this time... All the faithful who have attained the use of their reason must receive Holy Communion at least once during the Easter season... The Easter season within which one must receive Holy Communion usually extends in the United States, from the First Sunday of Lent until Trinity Sunday." (*Moral Theology*, Fr. Heribert Jone, 1961)
5. **N.B.:** Because the Feast of the Annunciation (March 25) fell on Good Friday this year, it has been transferred to Monday, April 4 (the Monday after Low Sunday).
6. **N.B.:** Because the Feast of Saint Benedict (March 21) fell on Monday of Holy Week this year, it has been transferred to Tuesday, April 5 (the Tuesday after Low Sunday).
7. **N.B.:** **Next Sunday (Low Sunday), April 3, 2005, Daylight Savings Times begins. Remember to set your clocks FORWARD one hour.**
8. **N.B.:** Next Sunday (April 3, 2005) is also the first Sunday of April. Therefore **there will be NO Mass at St. Pius V Chapel in Birmingham next Sunday.**
9. **EARLY NOTICE:** Sunday, May 8, 2005, is Mother's Day. On that day we will have our usual Ceremony of the Crowning of Our Lady's statue in the Abbey Church before the 10:00 AM Mass. Miss Sarah Renee Smith will crown Our Lady this year. However, there **WILL** be Mass at St. Pius V Chapel in Birmingham on Mother's Day (May 8, 2005).
10. Please pray for all the Sick and Shut-ins of our Chapels. **LET US ALSO PRAY FOR EVERYONE.** Let us pray for ALL the priests and religious men and women of the world. **NO MAN, WOMAN, OR CHILD SHOULD BE LEFT OUT OF OUR PRAYER.**
11. **Let us pray especially for the victims of the recent school shooting in Minnesota.**
12. **MASSSES FOR THE WEEK:** (Father Abbot Leonard's schedule only)

SUNDAY:	Welfare of our Monastic Family of monks and nuns
MONDAY:	Welfare of Christ the King Abbey
TUESDAY:	Welfare of Saint Joseph's Monastery
WEDNESDAY:	For the People of our Chapels
THURSDAY:	For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
FRIDAY:	Special intention Iva Roy
SATURDAY:	Special intention Paul Roy Family

Please continue to pray for
Bishop Robert McKenna, OP.

He is doing very, very well.

Thanks be to God!

EASTER WISHES

The good wishes, prayers, and works of our Communities of monks and nuns ask God that your love for Him rebound first upon you in graces of personal sanctification, then that it may rebound upon your dear families, your children, your children's children, your sick, and your departed loved ones.

In your charity please pray for us.