

# St. Benedict's Traditional Catholic Church

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Laceys Spring, Alabama 35754

Roman Catholic

Traditional Latin Mass

**The Religious Congregation of Mary Immaculate Queen (CMRI)**

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**BAPTISM:** Please see Father to inform need of Baptism. There is a form to fill out prior to the Baptism. Reminder: Novus Ordo & non-practicing Catholics cannot serve as godparents, since they lack the intention of seeing to the traditional Catholic upbringing of children. Baptisms should take place within a month after birth. A grave reason is needed to delay it beyond then.

<b>PENANCE:</b>	Sunday	9:00 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.
	Wednesday	7:25 p.m. – 7:50 p.m.
	Saturday	9:30 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.
		4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
	1 <sup>st</sup> Friday	5:15 p.m. – 5:55 p.m.
	Holy Day	30 minutes before Mass

**MATRIMONY:** For practicing traditional Catholics only. Contact the priest at least 6 months before the wedding date for marriage instructions. The best man and maid of honor of the marriage should be Catholics, since they are the official witnesses to the Sacrament of Matrimony.

**HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:** Please contact and arrange with Father if a sick call is needed. If anyone is in danger of death, please call Father **IMMEDIATELY!** for **Extreme Unction or Last Rites.**

**CONFIRMATION:** Will be conferred by Bishop Pivarunas upon request. Please let Father know of the need for youth or adults who may need, so as to begin preparation and to put in a request for a visit by Bishop Pivarunas.

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**June 4, 2017** Church Website: [st-benedict-hsv.org](http://st-benedict-hsv.org)

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## DRESS CODE FOR CMRI CHAPELS

**Out of respect for the Blessed Sacrament, and in keeping with Christian modesty, please observe the following standards of dress:**

**Women and girls**—A suitable hat or veil should be used, that covers at least the crown of the head (I Cor. 11:5, 6, 10). No slacks, no sleeveless, revealing, or low-cut clothing (the Marylike Crusade's standard is that a dress be not cut more than two fingers' width below pit of throat). Dresses & skirts should cover knees when you are standing or sitting, and not have long slits in them. Strapless or spaghetti-strap clothing is always sinfully immodest and should never be worn. Please avoid "straight skirts" as well, since they are usually form-fitting and tight.

**Men and boys**—Suit coat and tie, dress slacks, or other formal attire. Jeans, shorts, "flip-flops," and other casual attire are inappropriate for church! Be sure to also avoid clothing with logos and/or large lettering, as these can be quite distracting. We welcome all our guests and visitors, and encourage you to read the blue pamphlet "Welcome to the Traditional Latin Mass" (available in the vestibule). It explains why we must completely avoid the modern Mass and liturgies introduced since Vatican II.

**ANYONE WHO ADHERES TO THE DOCTRINES OF FR. FEENEY IS BARRED FROM RECEIVING THE SACRAMENTS IN THIS CHAPEL.** In the 1940's, Fr. Leonard Feeney S.J. promoted the heresy that there was no such thing as baptism of blood and baptism of desire. Fr. Feeney's teaching is contrary to the Universal Ordinary Magisterium of the Catholic Church. It was condemned in 1949 by the Holy Office. All Catholics are bound under pain of mortal sin to give assent to the teachings of the Holy Office. A number of lay people mistakenly adhere to this heresy, falsely thinking it is the teaching of the Catholic Church.

## Mass Schedule for the week of June 4<sup>th</sup>

**Sun, June 4, 10:00 a.m. – Pentecost Sunday**

10:00 a.m. Alabama Richard Tansey (Patsy Tansy)

6:00 p.m. Georgia RIP Elmer H. Winter (Victoria Vaillancourt)

**Mon, June 5, 8:30 a.m. – Pentecost Monday**

RIP Tom Girardi (Bob & Teresa Funke)

**Tues, June 6, 8:30 a.m. – Pentecost Tuesday**

RIP Tom Girardi (Bob & Teresa Funke)

**Wed, June 7, 8:30 a.m. – Ember Wednesday**

RIP Tom Girardi (Bob & Teresa Funke)

**Thurs, June 8, 8:30 a.m. – Pentecost Thursday**

RIP Dorothy Mullan (Don & Kathy Mullan)

**Fri, June 9, 8:30 a.m. – Ember Friday**

For the conversion to the True Catholic Faith of Dustin Garmon (Joe Martin)

**Sat, June 10, 10:00 a.m. – Ember Saturday**

Matthew Kelley (Carol Girardi)

**Sun, June 11, 10:00 a.m. – Trinity Sunday**

Brianna & Jacob (Carol Girardi)

“If the Saints were asked: ‘Why are you in Heaven?’ they would answer: ‘For having listened to the Holy Ghost. The Holy Ghost wants to take us to Heaven; we have only to say ‘Yes,’ and to let Him take us there.” *Saint John Vianney (1786 - 1859)*

### **BULLETIN INSERT**

In your bulletin you will find a copy of the March seminary newsletter of Bishop Donald Sanborn, rector of Most Holy Trinity Seminary in Brooksville, FL, which is another valuable resource in affirming and explaining how the Vatican II religion is a new religion and not the Catholic religion and how those who recognize but resist it in any way shape or form have not a Catholic disposition but a Protestant one.

### **EMBER DAYS OF PENTECOST**

This Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are Embers days with the required fast and abstinence regulations.

### **TRINITY SUNDAY**

Next Sunday is Trinity Sunday and it is the last day to make one's annual duty of Easter Communion and Confession if you have not done so already.

### **MASS REQUESTS**

Beginning June 13, I will be offering a 30 day Gregorian Mass series for Tom Girardi. Due to that, there will be a moratorium on Mass requests beginning on May 28 until July 18. Any Mass requests during that time will be returned. You can resume requesting Masses after July 18.

### **FATHER'S TRAVELS**

**June 4** Georgia Mass & Sacraments

**June 13 – June 14** Louisiana Mass & Sacraments

**June 18 – June 20** Kentucky Mass & Sacraments

**June 25 – June 26** Mississippi Mass & Sacraments

### **WEDNESDAY NIGHT CATECHISM**

Catechism is breaking for summer vacation. It will resume sometime in September, God willing.

### **HOLY HOUR WITH EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION ON WEDNESDAY'S**

Next Holy Hour will be on Wednesday, June 7 at **6:30 p.m.**

### **PROSPECTIVE CONVERTS**

Anyone who is seeking to convert to the Catholic Church, please see Father to set up personal catechism teachings and begin the Catechumen process.

### **How to be Happy, How to be Holy (Fr. Paul O'Sullivan) 1943**

#### **The Our Father (continued)**

We must ask Him to give us strength to sin no more, for it would be of little use to be forgiven if we went on sinning as before! If we ask Him humbly and confidently, He will pardon us as He pardoned the poor publican in the Temple, the thief on the Cross, Magdalen at His feet, all the poor sinners who have ever gone to Him. He came on earth expressly to pardon sin. "I came not for the just, but for sinners."

There is nothing that He loves more than to pardon sin and forgive His poor weak children. If we daily, in the Our Father, implore His pardon we shall deliver ourselves from much punishment in this life and in the next.

We do so little penance, we are afraid of it. It is repugnant to our natures. Let us at least say **fervently** each time we repeat the Our Father, "forgive us our trespasses." That will act at least in part as penance.

**“Deliver us from all evil.”** This last petition is deserving of our best attention. Many dangers threaten us, some known to us, others completely unforeseen. We meet with difficulties when we least expect them, such as sickness, loss of goods, the hostility of others. We are in a vale of tears. Suffering is what we have to expect. Against all these evils we ask our heavenly Father to deliver us, to protect us, to save us.

How many men and women have died in accidents, or have been swept off by epidemics, or died prematurely and are now lying in the cemeteries, who would still be happy in their homes had they lovingly asked God to protect them.

How many boys and girls are sinful and miserable, wasting away their days in jails and hospitals, who would be good and happy citizens if they had prayed to the Father above!

How many millions of souls are in Hell, who would now be high in Heaven, had they called on God with trust and love to deliver them from all evil.

Let us, then, throw special fervor into the last petition, “Deliver us from all evil. Amen.” God never abandons those who trust in Him.

### **The Little Advisor (Fr. Leo Pyzalski) 1941**

*Can temptations turn you away from God?* Temptations in themselves are indifferent in the business of one’s sanctification. In some cases they may hinder spiritual progress. But for all souls of good will, every temptation is rather a gain before God, and a positive factor for good on the way of perfection.

Temptation in itself – in so far as it is not allowed to penetrate the very sanctuary of the soul, is never a moral fault, nor is it a stain on the conscience, no matter how long and hideous its character may be. This is true of every soul that opposes temptation by means of short, silent, repeated prayers.

**It is different if a soul exposes herself to temptation consciously and without necessity. This fact in itself may not constitute a formal sin, as sin is not yet consented to, -- but something like the shadow of sin is already falling upon the soul. This occurs when the soul disregards her former good resolutions, or, despite the advice of superiors and spiritual guides, exposes herself to temptation by reading improper books, by doubtful conversations, by interactions with bad companions and other people opposed to truth (including bad Catholics), or by performing dangerous actions. Such imprudent behavior inevitably brings on temptations, -- and for these the soul is responsible before God.**

Apart from such cases, however, it is proved by experience that souls who sincerely love God are aided in attaining union with Him, if they are molested by severe temptations.

It is more than doubtful whether very many could be found among the greatest Saints who were entirely free from temptation.

If then, in the matter of temptations of whatever kind they are, -- against faith, against chastity, or against any other virtue, -- your conscience does not reproach you for any definite negligence, and your spiritual guides tell you to be at peace, -- do not worry or become discouraged, even when you feel that you are sinking deeper into the marsh of bad inclinations, of sensuality, and of all kinds of depravity.

Whatever is involuntary, does not enter the soul and cannot harm it, nor deprive it of innocence.

### **Closing Hymn after Mass: If Ye Love Me**

If ye love Me,  
Keep My commandments,  
And I will pray the Father

That He may ‘bide with you forever,  
And He shall give you another Comforter,  
E’en the spirit of truth.