

St. Benedict's Traditional Catholic Church

1139 U. S. 231

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.

PENANCE:	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 st 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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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 September 10th

Sun, September 10, 10:00 a.m. – 14th Sunday after Pentecost (St. Nicholas of Tolentino)
10:00 a.m. **Alabama** RIP Bill Dineen, Pat Schindler, Art Rocco (Harding family)
6:00 p.m. **Tennessee** Private Intention (Fr. Oswald)

Mon, September 11, 8:30 a.m. – Feria (Ss. Protus & Hyacinth)
T & J Bumb intentions (R & S Johnson)

Tues, September 12, MASS IN LOUISIANA – Most Holy Name Of Mary
T & J Bumb intentions (R & S Johnson)

Wed, September 13, MASS IN LOUISIANA – Feria
T & J Bumb intentions (R & S Johnson)

Thurs, September 14, 8:30 a.m. – Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Holy Souls in Purgatory (S. Johnson)

Fri, September 15, 8:30 a.m. – Seven Sorrows BVM
For the hurricane Harvey victims (Alena Roberts)

Sat, September 16, 10:00 a.m. – BVM Saturday (Ss. Cornelius & Cyprian)
In thanksgiving to St. Philomena & St. Theresa of Lisieux (Anonymous)

Sun, September 17, 10:00 a.m. – 15th Sunday after Pentecost (Stigmata of St. Francis)
10:00 a.m. **Alabama** All those living & dead, who have prayed for my special intention (Anonymous)
6:00 p.m. **Mississippi** For the Knight family & their special intentions (Knight)

“Even whilst living in this world, the heart of Mary was so filled with tenderness and compassion for men, that no one ever suffered so much for his own pains as Mary suffered for the pains of others.” *St. Jerome (342 – 420)*

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulation to Lucas Grant Calahan who will be baptized after Mass here today **AND** to Bradley and Chasity Newman of the Tennessee mission whose newborn son Thomas will be baptized today before Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes mission in Tennessee.

FATIMA ROSARY WALK

Please join us again on Wednesday, September 13 at 6:30 p.m. for the beginning of our Rosary March at Big Spring Park for the summer. All are invited to take part in this powerful prayer and witness to our Faith. Please dress appropriately, i.e. women & girls please wear dresses or skirts; men & boys, no shorts or flip-flops. If anyone would like a ride who wouldn't be able to come otherwise, please see Father for coordination. God bless you and see you there!

FATHER'S TRAVELS

September 10 Tennessee Mass & Sacraments

September 12 – September 13 Louisiana Mass & Sacraments

September 17 – September 18 Mississippi Mass & Sacraments

September 18 – September 23 Illinois Mass & Sacraments / Visit family

September 24 – September 26 Kentucky Mass & Sacraments

FUTURE TRAVELS

October 10 – October 14 Fatima Conference, Spokane, WA

November 6 – November 11 Visit Fr. Raleigh in Colorado / Retreat / Rest

CATECHISM CLASSES RESUME

Adult catechism classes will resume on **Wednesday, September 26 at 6:00 p.m.** Also, children catechism classes will begin on **Sunday October 1 after Mass.**

HOLY HOUR WITH EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION ON WEDNESDAY'S

Next Holy Hour will be on Wednesday, Sept. 27 at **7:00 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.

The Little Catechism of the Cure of Ars (St. John Vianney)

On Lust

No sins, my children, ruin and destroy a soul so quickly as this shameful sin; it snatches us out of the hands of the good God and hurls us like a stone into an abyss of mire and corruption. Once plunged in this mire, we cannot get out, we make a deeper hole in it every day, we sink lower and lower. Then we lose the faith, we laugh at the truths of religion, we no longer see Heaven, we do not fear Hell. O my children! How much are they to be pitied who give way to this passion! How wretched they are! Their soul, which was so beautiful, which attracted the eyes of the good God, over which He leant as one leans over a perfumed rose, has become like a rotten carcass, of which the pestilential odor rises even to His throne...

See, my children! Jesus Christ endured patiently, among His Apostles, men who were proud, ambitious, greedy – even one who betrayed Him; but He

could not bear the least stain of impurity in any of them; it is of all vices that which He has most in abhorrence: “My Spirit does not dwell in you,” the Lord says, “if you are nothing but flesh and corruption.” God gives up the impure to all the wicked inclinations of his heart. He lets him wallow, like the vile swine, in the mire, and does not even let him smell its offensive exhalations... The immodest man is odious to everyone, and is not aware of it. God has set the mark of ignominy on his forehead, and he is not ashamed; he has a face of brass and a heart of bronze; it is in vain you talk to him of honor, of virtue; he is full of arrogance and pride. The eternal truths, death, judgment, Paradise, Hell – nothing terrifies him, nothing can move him.

So, my children, of all sins, that of impurity is the most difficult to eradicate. Other sins forge for us chains of iron, but this one makes them of bull’s hide, which can be neither broken nor rent; it is a fire, a furnace, which consumes even to the most advanced old age. See those two infamous old men who attempted the purity of the chaste Susannah; they had kept the fire of their youth even till they were decrepit. When the body is worn out with debauchery, when they can no longer satisfy their passions, they supply the place of it, oh shame! by infamous desires and memories.

With one foot in the grave, they still speak the language of passion, till their last breath; they die as they have lived, impenitent; for what penance can be done by the impure, what sacrifice can be imposed on himself at his death, who during his life has always given way to his passions? Can one at the last moment expect a good confession, a good Communion, from him who has concealed one of these shameful sins, perhaps, from his earliest youth – who has heaped sacrilege on sacrilege? Will the tongue, which has been silent up to this day, be unloosed at the last moment? No, no, my children; God has abandoned him; many sheets of lead already weigh upon him; he will add another, and it will be the last...

Closing Hymn after Mass: O Mary of Graces

1. O Mary of graces and Mother of God,
May I tread in the paths that the righteous have trod.
And mayest thou save me from Evil’s control,
And mayest thou save me in body and soul.

2. And mayest thou save me by land and by sea,
And mayest thou save me from tortures to be.
May the guard of the Angels above me abide,
May God be before me, and God at my side.