



■ On August 8, 2004, Sister Mary Monica, O.S.B., was named Mother Mary Monica by Father Abbot. Mother Monica can be considered the Foundress of St. Joseph's Monastery. Please pray for Mother Mary Monica.

■ The High Altar of the Abbey Church has finally been completed and on the Feast of the Nativity of Our Lady, September 8, 2004, Father Abbot and the Monks of Christ the King Abbey solemnly consecrated the Altar. The Saints whose Relics are entombed in the High Altar are:

- 1) Saint Boniface, Martyr
- 2) Saint Fulgentia, Martyr
- 3) Saint Agape, Martyr

■ During the week of September 16, 2004, we did some scrambling about, preparing for the coming hurricane, Ivan. The warnings were frightful and we were concerned. In our particular area, however, we were most fortunate and got off with only light damage. The wind tore off some shingles and blew down several trees, while the very heavy rain leaked into places it was not supposed to. We rented a 50 foot hydraulic lift and repaired the roof damage, while at the same time going over all of the windows of our buildings, re-caulking them, and making repairs where needed. We thank God for sparing us and our people from serious damage.

■ We cannot be sure the hurricane was responsible, but we found some damage to our greenhouse, in time, fortunately, to hurriedly replace the damaged wood and plastic sheeting before winter caught us!

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AND THE NUNS OF ST JOSEPH'S MONASTERY.
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