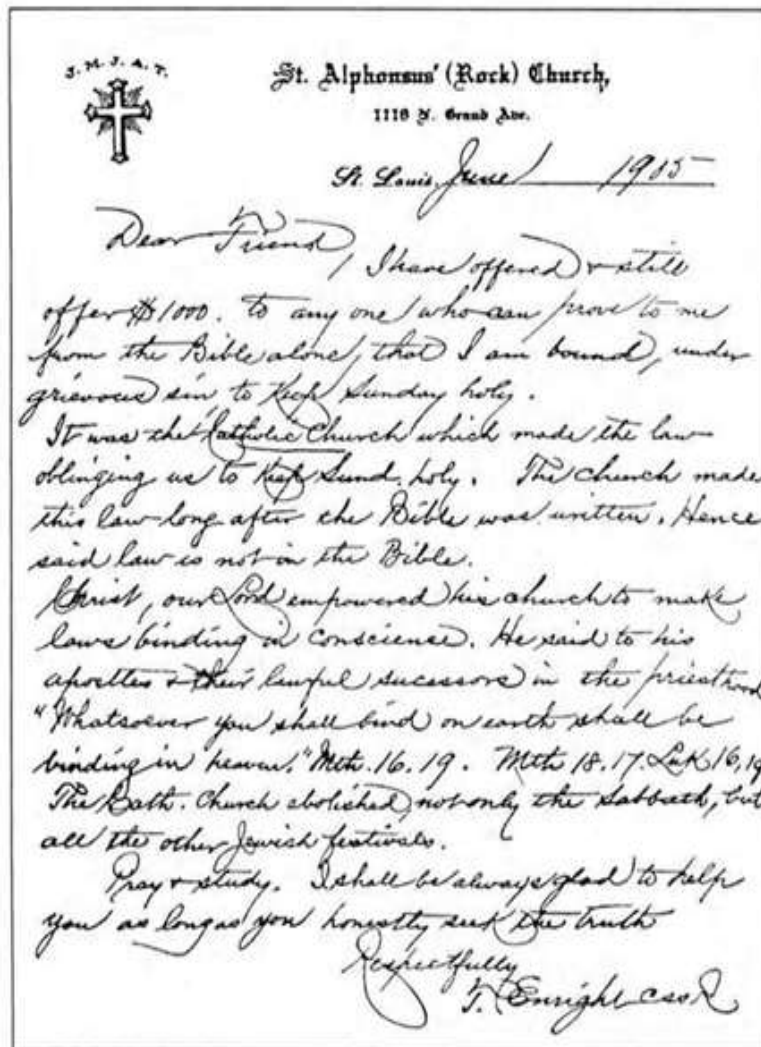


**THE CATHOLIC CHURCH ADMITS THAT THEY
ABOLISHED GOD'S HOLY DAYS**

Seventh-day Adventists frequently quote the following letter from T. Enright, C.S.S.R., Bishop of St. Alphonsus Church, St. Louis, Missouri, June, 1905, offering \$1000 "To any one who can prove to me from the Bible alone that I am bound, under grievous sin, to keep Sunday holy."



Here is the typed form of this letter. "Dear Friend, I have offered and still offer \$1000 to any one who can prove to me from the Bible alone that I am bound, under grievous sin to keep Sunday holy. It was the Catholic Church which made the law obliging us to keep Sunday holy. The church made this law long after the Bible was written. Hence said law is not in the Bible. Christ, our Lord empowered his church to make laws binding in conscience. He said to his apostles and their lawful successors in the priesthood "Whatsoever you shall bind on earth shall be binding in heaven." Mth. 16:19. Mth. 18:17. Luke 16:19. The Cath. Church abolished not only the Sabbath, but all the other Jewish festivals. Pray and study. I shall be always glad to help you as long as you honestly seek the truth. Respectfully, T. Enright CSSR."

Note that Bishop Enright stated, "The Catholic Church abolished not only the Sabbath, but all the other Jewish festivals." What an amazing admission!

Here is another source that says the same. "The new law has its own spirit...and its own feasts which have taken the place of those appointed in the law of Moses. If we would know the days to be observed...we must go to the Catholic Church, not to the Mosaic law." (*The Catholic Catechism* as quoted in the *Signs of the Times*, November 4, 1919)

"As the sign of the authority of the Catholic Church, papist writers cite "the very act of changing the Sabbath into Sunday, which Protestants allow of; . . . because by keeping Sunday, they acknowledge the church's power to ordain feasts, and to command them under sin."-- Henry Tuberville, *An Abridgment of the Christian Doctrine*, page 58." (*Great Controversy*, p. 448)

Indeed, the Catholic Church did abolish God's Holy Days and instituted their own. Satan also predicted he would abolish God's Holy Days in Isaiah 14:13, where he boasts, "I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation in the sides of the north." (Remember that this phrase *mount of the congregation* means *mount of the feasts*.)

The Catholic Church abolished all of God's yearly Holy Days and the Seventh-day Sabbath at the same time and for the same reasons. Until then God's people observed the Holy Days.

GOD'S HOLY DAYS AND THE THREE ANGELS' MESSAGES

"And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to