

Visit the Ratto Today.

Today is the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. In your prayers and in your visit to the Ratto today remember the sick, and give a special remembrance to Sister Lourdes, of the Sisters of Holy Cross, who has worked cheerfully for the students and prayed hard for them for the past fifty years.

The Pamphlet Rack Deficit.

Bills amounting to \$333.00 were paid the past week; the deposits amounted to \$133.00 that's going ahead fast, but in the wrong direction. Bills amounting to \$210 are going fire. In addition, there is about \$100 still owing on the \$500 deficit with which the year opened. Two pamphlets are awaiting publication, but nothing can be done until the deficit shrinks to a reasonable size. You will find contribution boxes at both racks, in the basement chapel and in Sorin Hall.

The Last Judgment.

This picture, which hangs on the wall outside the Sorin Hall chapel, is recommended to your attention for Lenten meditation. The central figure of the picture is Christ sitting on His throne of glory to pass judgment on the whole world. At His right is the Blessed Virgin; above are the Father and the Holy Ghost, surrounded by angels who bear the instruments of the Passion, which show why Christ is chosen Judge.

On either side of Christ are saints, bearing the instruments of their sufferings for their praise of God -- the reasons for their favorable judgment. St. Bartholomew, on the left, lifts in one hand his skin, and in the other the scalpel with which he was flayed alive. On the right hand St. Lawrence shows the gridiron on which he was roasted. St. Peter displays the keys of the kingdom of heaven, David, his harp, St. Catherine, her broken wheel of torture, and so forth.

The movement in the lower right half of the picture is downward: devils carry the damned to their eternal torture; Charon carries a load of the condemned across the Styx. The outstanding picture of this group is the picture of anguish represented by a man whose face is half-concealed by a hand. The movement in the lower left half of the picture is upward: the just are helping the souls out of purgatory with their prayers. In one case a rosary is used as a rope to help the soul out of the abyss.

Study the picture. It may help you behave yourself.

An Urgent Special Intention.

If you love Notre Dame, say some urgent prayers today, tomorrow and the next day for special intention. *****

Perseverance for Lent.

Read this pamphlet and find out what to do for Lent. You want to be a better man forty days from now. Find out how to do it.

Our Correspondents.

- Base Fool No. 1: Your communication will appear as soon as space permits.
- Base Fool No. 2: Your complaint cannot be handled on the Bulletin. Drop in for an interview.
- Trinite: Howard and Sophomore are well able to take care of themselves. What if a girl can't go past Sophomore Hall without the goofs whistling?