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Be Ready.

In case it may slip your mind--things do, you know, occasionally slip a fellow's mind --most of you will leave tomorrow or the next day for the Christmas holidays.

None of you can afford to set foot off the campus unless you are in the state of grace.

Confessions every night after supper until 7:00 in the Brownson, Sorin, and Dillon Hall chapels, and again at night prayer in all the hall chapels. Until noon every morning in the Dillon Hall chapel Confession if you wish and Holy Communion whenever you push the buzzer.

God's Heroes.

Strange as it may seem, most pastors have difficulty providing room for the children at the children's Mass. Adults are the offenders. They like the children's Mass for the simple, illustrated sermons preached to the children.

Father Lahey, C.S.C., for many years Professor of Advertising at the University, has brought out a new series of 20 small pamphlets for children on "God's Heroes", the saints.

An advance set of these pamphlets is now in the Dillon Hall pamphlet rack. Quantities will be stocked in the racks after the holidays.

For simple, interesting, modern treatment of the saints, these pamphlets cannot be beat. In case you are scouting around for gifts for youngsters, look these pamphlets over before you leave. Special orders can be filled before Wednesday.

And you yourself will relish them once you get their particular flavor.

Ember Days.

Each of the four seasons of the year starts with three ember days to consecrate to God each particular season provided by Nature and to help prepare those about to be ordained throughout the world.

Next Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are the Winter ember days--days of fast and abstinence.

The dispensation from the fast and abstinence which you enjoy at Notre Dame does not apply when you are on vacation off the campus. Then you must follow the regulations of your own diocese.

Tomorrow, the Last.

The nine days of Adoration end tomorrow night. Even if you have not signed for a period, go to the sacristy, put on cassock and surplice and spend a quiet half-hour praying for your parents.

Prayers.

Deceased, Mr. John Cosgrove. Ill, John S. McGinnis, ex'35, dying of skull fracture; father of Anthony Scolars (Walsh); father of John E. and Joe W. Nelson, ex'33; two fathers of students. Four special intentions. Critically ill, Dr. Ellen Ryan Jolly, LL. D. '18.