

Stations tonight  
in Dillon at  
6:50

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Benediction Saturday  
at 11:00

### Have You Made Your Easter Duty?

What's holding you back? Sin? It's a terrible thing to be an enemy of God. You will find Our Lord and His mercy - and peace of conscience-tonight in any one of these confessionals:

. . . Basement Chapel	6:30 - 7:00
. . . In your Hall	At Night Prayer.
. . . Dillon	From
Cavanaugh	6:30
Zahm	until 10:00

### All Statues Will Be Covered Until Easter.

Sunday is called Passion Sunday. It opens the season of Passion-tide. In Catholic churches the crosses, crucifixes, statues of Our Lord, Our Lady and the Saints will be covered with purple veils so that we may more easily direct our thoughts to the Passion of Our Savior. The first four weeks of Lent Mother Church spent in telling us about the forty day fast of Christ. Throughout the next two weeks She wants us to consider prayerfully the Passion, the suffering Our Redeemer underwent for our salvation. (The long Gospel of the Passion is not read until next Sunday which is Palm Sunday.)

### Confession And The Fighting Man.

My regiment had just entered the city of Chateau Thierry after several days of hard fighting, and during a short rest period, a score of men came to me for confession.

A few days afterward, their Captain, a non-Catholic, asked me what I had done for that particular group of men.

"Because," he said, "during a previous battle they were not particularly brave; but after they talked to you, they apologized for their lack of bravery in the past, and added, 'From now on, Captain, put us down for any job you wish, for we are ready to face, not only Germans, but the devil himself.'"

I explained to the Captain, that those men had just gone to Confession.  
(Taken from Chaplain Simon's War Diary and printed in the Chaplains' Digest.)

### How To Make The Stations Of The Cross.

1. Meditate for a half-minute or so at each of the fourteen stations. Look at the picture or the carving and holy thoughts and prayers will come. Meditation on the sufferings of Christ will transform you.
2. You need not: use a book of any kind, nor a Rosary, nor say formal prayers before or after (even to gain the indulgences), nor genuflect when you approach each station, nor kneel during your meditation.

Just make a short meditation at each station. You can make the Stations fruitfully and with devotion in less than fifteen minutes. Make them before you go to bed.

PRAYERS: (deceased) father of Midshipman Joe Connors (N.D.V-7); friend of Jim Kelly (D11). (Ill) brother of Norman Haaser (A1); mother of Don Birren (Sor); friend of Al Wrape (D11); father of Brother Leontius, C.S.C.; mother of Father John Burke, C.S.C. (Pref. of D.); mother of Dick Noll (D11). 5 Special Intentions. One Thanksgiving.