(FOR THE CATHOLIC STUDENT AT NOTRE DAME)

Travel with a Rosary in your pocket. Pick up one from pamphlet rack.

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Leave the campus in the state of grace, i.e. a friend of God,

#### Christmas Confessions.

During Morning and Afternoon Masses (5:00 P.M.; 6:45 P.M. in Dillon). All morning in Sorin and B-P. All evening in Sorin and B-P, after 7:30 P.M. Basement Chapel, every evening at 6:30 P.M. Christmas Eve, in the Church. On Wednesday, and Thursday, morning, afternoon and evening, the Chaplains will be in their offices for Confessions and Consultation.

## Midnight Mass.

There will be a Midnight Mass in Sacred Heart Church on the campus for the student body, civilians and Service Men and their guests. A program of Christmas music by the Brothers choir of Dujarie Hall will begin at 11:30 P.M. The Solemn Mass will begin at midnight. A section of the church will be reserved for the students until 11:45. The church is always crowded for this Mass. Arrive early to avoid disappointment. Don't expect to go to confession during this Mass. Make your Christmas confession NCW. The Masses on Christmas morning will be at 5, 6, 8, and 9 O'clock in the church. Masses on Sunday, December 26: 5,6,8, 10:10 and 11:00 o'clock.

#### No Meat Friday Wherever You Are.

The Vigil of Christmas is a day of fast and abstinence for everyone, even Service Men. Those who have reached their 21st birthday must fast, that is, take only one full meal. A light breakfast and a light supper is permitted with the fast. Those students who have good reason to believe that the fast would be detrimental to their health are excused from the law. Avoid eating between meals on Friday.

# Four Hour Communion Fast Before Midnight Mass.

No precept obliges you to fast before your Midnight Communion. But respect should be shown our Blessed Lord. The bishop of this diocese recommends a fast of four hours from solid foods and intoxicants and a one hour fast from milk and liquids.

### The Sunday After.

The Christmas Mass does not cover your Sunday Mass obligation. Make preparation Christmas night to rise on time for the Holy Sacrifice. Arrive at the church before Mass begins. It is grave negligence to retire taking a chance on awakening in sufficient time for Mass. Tell your host to call you, or leave your name on call with the clerk at the hotel where you are staying, or set your alarm.

Let nothing stop you from receiving Holy Communion Sunday. Manifest your love of Our Lord and your soul by excusing yourself from offers of food and drink after one o'clock in the morning.

### More Casulaties.

Leo A. Fontana, ex. '43, was killed recently in the Mediterranean area. Lieut. Richard E. Fox, ex. '41, brother of Louis Fox, '38 of Fort Wayne, a bombardier in a B-17 in the Army Air Corps, was killed in a plane crash in the European area. Winston Disser, ex. '34 of Fort Wayne and Charles Zitnik, ex. '44 of Chicago are missing in action.

FATHER BERNARD PEGEARSKI, C.S.C. IS IN A CRITICAL CONDITION IN THE HOSPITAL IN SAGINAW, MICHIGAN. (Deceased) Father of Midshipman Mike Stepovich, '43, (ND V-7)