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Eucharistic Hour This Sunday Afternoon

At 2 p.m. this Sunday afternoon, at School Field in South Bend, the entire Catholic neighborhood will participate in a public Eucharistic Hour. All parishes will be represented, and will join in honoring Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. We should have a good representation from Notre Dame and St. Mary's. This will be a quiet weekend on campus -- make it a holy one. It will be an excellent opportunity for the public demonstration of your faith and love of Our Lord in the Sacrament of His Love for us. Each hall council should gather a group and attend. The effort you expend will be well rewarded.

Loretta Young Says:

"In the hearts of people everywhere there is one great hope -- this hope -- that all nations will learn to live together in peace and brotherhood.

"We like to think that each war is the last war. We are hopeful that international conferences may prevent future wars.

"We give generously to help those who are suffering -- especially the little children who were born into a world at war, and who are still suffering from its terrible after-effects.

"As a nation, as individuals, we want peace.

"But without God there can be no peace -- all history teaches that -- because without faith there can be no freedom, and when freedom dies, a new war is born.

"Our homes, our communities, our nation and the world would be renewed with a peaceful, generous, God-loving spirit -- if we as individuals made God a part of our homes... if we made family prayer a daily practice in our homes.

"For this is so very true -- a family at prayer is a family at peace -- and the world at prayer would mean the world at peace."

Our Blessed Mother promised that she would put an end to wars, if we prayed the Rosary. Already a week has gone by in October -- the month dedicated to the Rosary. If you are praying the Rosary daily, you're on her side. If you aren't, get busy. You can hardly afford to be so independent where so much is at stake.

No other generation was ever handed such an ultimatum -- "Pray the Rosary and save the world." That was the Fatima message. The infallible Church of Christ has put her stamp of approval on the Fatima revelations. It may be quite a project to interest an overwhelmingly materialistic, secularistic, atheistic, and communistic world in the Rosary, but that's the job we have before us. Join the group in the Lady Chapel daily at 5 p.m. Or join your hall group later in the evening.

Prayers Requested

Deceased: James Mueller, '33; friend of Jack McMahon of Dillon; Emil John Federighi, -ex '53 (accident); grandmother of Karl Martersteck of Lyons. Ill: Cary Stevenson and Henry Schendorf (Off-Campus; grandmother of Dan O'Rourke (critical).