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SACRIFICE AND VALUE

Opportunities to grow in grace are almost limitless at Notre Dame -- Masses every morning in each hall, Masses early and late, morning and afternoon; confessions during every Mass, every evening in each hall, at any time in answer to the call of a buzzer; visits with the Eucharistic Christ day and night in Sacred Heart Church, in the Log Chapel, in the hall chapels; the lavishly bestowed favors of Our Lady at the Grotto.



Notre Dame prides herself on providing these opportunities and no one would think of changing things.

In a general sense, a possession is prized in proportion to the price paid -- in terms of money, sacrifice, labor. Money or labor do not enter into the availability of Notre Dame's religious largesse. But sometimes a little sacrifice is called for. Perhaps the Masses, convenient as they are, are not tailored to your schedule. To attend, some sacrifice is required -- the sacrifice of a few hours (or a few minutes) of sleep, for instance; or the delaying of a meal; or better planning of study time; or giving up some recreation. Whatever sacrifices are necessary, they are small indeed compared to those made by the faithful in missionary countries where Masses are few and far between; or compared to the sacrifices of very busy fathers and mothers who eke out the time to attend a week-day Mass. And your small sacrifices become microscopic when weighed in the balance with Christ's sacrifice on Calvary, the sacrifice which is mystically renewed each time Mass is offered.



It is unfortunate that because means of grace are superabundant here at Notre Dame they may come to be considered cheap and hence unappreciated. A little sacrifice to avail yourself of them will give them greater value.

Living Rosary

The St. Mary's Sodality and the Notre Dame Council of the K of C's are jointly sponsoring a Living Rosary at the Grotto this evening at 7:30 to pray for the success of the Ecumenical Council. All religious groups on campus are invited to participate. Notre Dame participants will meet on the basketball courts behind the Book Store at 7:10.

K of C Mass

The Knights of Columbus also invite the student body to join with them in offering the Sacrifice of the Mass at 5:10 tomorrow in Sacred Heart Church for the success of the Second Lateran Council. The third Mass of the Triduum is today.

In Your Charity

Please pray for the following. Deceased: grandfather of James Danahy of Breen-Phillips; mother of John Flood of Breen-Phillips; Thomas W. DePrekel, brother of Robert, '51; Urban A. Simon, '26. Ill: friend of Pete Vinson of Lyons. Special Intention: of a student.