

Remember Purdue's Tom McGannon and Carl Dahlbeck, and their families..

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..who are deeply saddened today. Condolences to both families, and to Purdue.

Will You Procrastinate?

Last year 571 Notre Dame students filled out the biennial questionnaire. Here are the leading answers to this important question: "What is the practical influence of frequent Communion in your daily life?"

...160 replied--Frequent Communion helps greatly to overcome sin.....
....97 put the same point in other words--Frequent Communion influences to a fuller and cleaner life....
....71 confessed that the habit of receiving incites religious devotion within their souls....
....38, that it brings peace.....23, that it fosters personal love of Christ.

If you're human and Catholic at all, you too want to conquer sin, and live a fuller and cleaner life, you want to increase your religious devotion, secure peace of conscience, and grow in your personal love of Christ.

Well, then, what else do you need to start you off? Your fellow students' testimony shows that Eucharistic 'wonders' are working now in the 20th century--in the century that makes licentious Rome look like a camp meeting--just as Jesus Christ promised they would work.

Don't sit back and moan about the difficulties of these times! Do as others are doing with marked success. Whether you are making the first mission or not, become a daily communicant TODAY!

In Their Actual Words.

"It (frequent Communion) makes me seem nearer to God."
"It helps me to smile through life by affording me a stonewall defense against impurity."
"Starts me off in the morning with the feeling that I have a clean slate."
"Gives me more determination and a more confident outlook for the future."
"Makes me want to avoid sin and its occasions."
"Holy Communion has finally enabled me to stop a terrible sin."
"Has kept me from mortal sin for eight months this year."
"Helps me to lead far more easily the life of a true Notre Dame man."
"Tends to raise my spirit when I am despondent."
"Gives me confidence in my work and in myself."
"Reduces temptations to impurity to a minimum and helps me to concentrate."
"It certainly has done a tremendous good in abolishing (or nearly so) impure thoughts; makes prayer easier."
"Gives me strength and confidence that I'm afraid I couldn't do without."
"I think it is gradually drawing a lapsed Catholic family of four back to the Church."
"It has made me a much cleaner boy. Temptations are not so difficult to fight."
"It gives you a wonderful feeling; words cannot express that feeling."
"I use daily Communion as a means of praying for my friends, living and dead, and also as a medium of asking God for various favors."
"When I'm low, Holy Communion bolsters me up and I can always rely on it."
"It tends to make religion a regular part of my daily life, and to make that life morally better."
"It has changed my whole life for the better, making temptations much easier to overcome, and giving me a better perspective of life as a whole."
"Makes me think twice before swearing or telling lies."
"Only sure way to fight temptation and to keep me fighting."

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PRAYERS: (deceased) wife of Joseph Gargan, '17; uncle of Louis McKean (Morrissey); father of John and Paul Borgman; father of Irwin LoBlanc, '26. Ill, Al Feeney's mother.