

FOR THE CATHOLIC STUDENT AT NOTRE DAME

For late sleepers during  
exams: Late morning Mass  
in Sorin, 7:20 A.M. daily

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Please return all books  
borrowed from the office  
of the Prefect of Re-  
ligion.

Final Exam Grade: 100% -- But He Flunked.

The prof may say, "Perfect!" after reviewing your flawless examination. God may say, "Perfect failure!" Mortal sin makes the difference. Any action performed in the state of sin is wasted. God loses, because only acts performed in sanctifying grace give Him glory. The sinner loses, because God withholds merit from those who are His enemies. Examine your conscience to see how you stand with your Creator. Maybe you need confession. "What does it profit a man to gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his own soul?"

Semester Grade: 23%

Here and there is a professor's record book is a final grade of 23%. It's the symbolic way of saying: "Failure because of cheating." Cheating is a sin, a species of lying. The cheat presents to his teacher material marked as his own, whereas, in truth, it is the product of another's industry. Stand on your own in every examination. God wants it that way. You injure Him when you take possession of work that is not your own creation.

Evening Rosary

In the Church  
At 6:50 P.M., daily  
Followed by Benediction.  
For success in exams; for Peace.

Last Minute Notices.

No more Daily Adoration in October. Impractical, because all students are becoming eager beavers.

Confessions: At all Masses; after supper in Basement Chapel, 6:30 P.M.; after 7:30 P.M. in Sorin and Breen-Phillips; all morning in Sorin Chapel.

The sick: Roger Cadieux of Carroll Hall is improving. Your prayers have removed serious danger. Father Putz, C.S.C. Chaplain to the football team on the Dartmouth trip, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis in Boston. Keep him in your prayers.

Overseas packages and letters. Send boxes and write letters before the exams overtake you. This is one charity that must not be sidetracked to a later date.

Check over your Sunday Mass attire. Get up on time to put on a clean shirt and a tie. Carelessness about dress usually manifests a slovenly spiritual attitude.

No 1. Prayer For Success

In every Mass our Blessed Savior prays in a special manner for all those who come to the chapel and give Him, their priest, the intentions for which they wish the Holy Sacrifice offered. By assisting at Mass you get Christ to pray for you. Why turn aside your best prayer for fifteen minutes of sleep? Arrive in the chapel in time for the whole Mass. If the exams are worth passing, the Mass is worth using.

PRAYERS: (deceased) sister of father John Ryan, C.S.C.; grandmother of Bill Palmer (Z); cousin of Jack Hamel (Dil); Sister Rose Edward (Seton Hill). (Ill) Sister Augustin, CSC.