

Corpus Christi Mass
starts at 8:00 Thurs.
Join procession if you
have no class.

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Have a heart! Don't wait
until Sunday Mass for
confession. Go tonight
in Sorin or Cav.

Who Can Profit By A General Confession?

Seniors. Nothing is more paralyzing than to be haunted by the ghost of one's past life of sin or careless living. A General Confession, sincerely made, will get rid of this bogie. The re-confession of one's past with a determination to avoid old faults bring peace of mind and heart. Graduates who have made a General Confession discovered that it gave them more confidence in themselves and in their future. A little time should be spent with Christ in the chapel the day before you make this confession. Your part is to discover your faults and to express your sorrow for them. The confessor will do the rest.

Worried Students. We mean worried about sin or some soul-problem. One who is disturbed by the final examinations does not need a General Confession, unless he is living in mortal sin, and is not making much effort to correct himself, and then he has plenty of reason to worry. You won't be shooting par figures if you walk into the examinations with unnecessary worries.

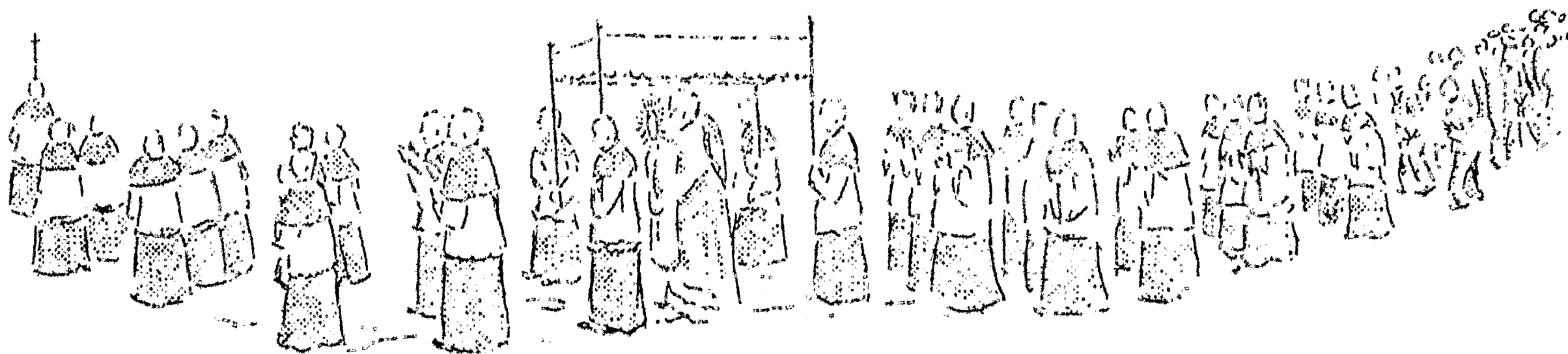
Summer Sinners. Those who say, "Last summer, and the summer before, and the summer before that I committed the same serious sins," need to discuss their case with a confessor, and then take a pledge or promise to avoid old sources of sin. A general resolution to avoid sin without a definite program of "dos" and "don'ts" is doomed to failure. Your confessor will help you plan your summer.

The Van Wallace Collection.

Offerings for Van's new cot are coming in. The student body will not be approached for their offering in the hall as originally planned. Instead, they can be generous in the Mass collection Sunday, which will be the student contribution to the cot fund. So come to Mass next Sunday with extra change in your pocket. Almsgiving is a prayer. You can make your offering a prayer for success in your examinations. By the way, how much have you given to charity this year? Some gave nothing to the recent drive to help the starving children in Europe. Maybe they will redeem themselves from selfishness next Sunday.

The A-B-Cs Of A Happy Vacation.

- A -- Absolution frequently. Never let it go beyond two weeks. The absolution of the priest in the confessional is soul-strengthening. The more you receive it the more does Christ make you firm against temptation.
- B -- Keep BUSY. An idle mind is the devil's workshop.
- C -- Communion, weekly; oftener if possible. The grace of Holy Communion will make you more kind to your kid brother and more helpful to your mother around the house. The patience, honesty, cheerfulness and clean speech required of a working man comes more easily with frequent Communion.



Emergency operation for appendicitis: Jim Hack of Dillon.