Forty Hours begins
Sunday at 8:50 Mass.
No 9:00 Mass this Sun.

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Sign up for a weekly period of Adoration during Lent.

Calling All Sinners.

About ten years ago, a man was sentenced to hard labor in a penitentiary for a crime he did not commit. A deathbed confession by the real criminal brought the truth to light.

Another man unjustly condemned was Our Blessed Savior. Pilate was not the real criminal in Christ's case, nor the Roman soldiers, nor these Jews who hated Christ. The real criminal was every sinner -- you.

There is one day every month when you should consider your guilt in a special way, and do something about it. That day is First Friday. Christ Himself chose the day as one for reparation.

Many Catholics make the Nine First Fridays over and over again. They know that Christ promised a happy death to all who received Holy Communion on nine successive First Fridays. But are these Catholics, are you, aware that the principal motive behind First Friday Communion should be that of reparation? Such is the wish of Our Blessed Lord.

Tomorrow is First Friday. Christ should see you at the Communion Rail in the morning, and at Adoration in the church later in the day. There is no better way of laying success for the new semester.

A Bum Start.

One of the chief causes of failure and low grades is a beginning that is poor. All it takes is one or two sub-70 quizzes to put you in the hole for the rest of the semester. Very recently a student failed to receive his degree because of a failure in his first quiz. The mark was so low that succeeding passing grades were not sufficient to pull the average up to the minimum required for graduation.

If you are planning to take it easy for the first few weeks of this semester, watch out. You are digging your own grave.

Schedules, Etc.

A supply of study schedules, calendars and blotter have been placed in the Pamphlet Room in Dillon Hall. Lent is just around the corner, and that should mean the daily rosary for you. Pick up a rosary in Dillon in you don't possess one.

PRAYERS: (deceased) father of Martin McGuire (Bad); John F. Manning. (ill) grandmother of Jim Jansen (Sor). Three Special Intentions. One Thanksgiving.

TOMORROW IS FIRST FRIDAY

SPEND A HALF HOUR IN ADORATION

EXPOSITION 8 A.M.-5 P.M.