Grotto Indulgences

Throughout the Centenary Year, every visit made to the Grotto merits indulgences. If you want the particulars, here they are:

1) A Plenary Indulgence is granted for each visit made by a group (5 or 6) of the faithful who have duly confessed their sins and received Communion, and who pray for the intention of the Holy Father. (Pater, Ave. Gloria).

2) A Partial Indulgence of seven years is granted to any individual who visits the Grotto with suitable dispositions of mind and heart. (Pater, Ave. Gloria.)

A Prayer To Our Lady of Lourdes, composed by the Holy Father, and meriting an indulgence of three years, is now available at the pamphlet racks.

Marriage Pamphlets

Seniors attending the Marriage Institute will find valuable supplementary reading in a number of pamphlets available at the Dillon hall pamphlet rack. Drop in and look over the selection. Many questions of the hour will be answered in a short, clear, sprightly manner.

Did You Sign For Adoration?

If you did, don a cassock and surplice -- you'll find them available in the sacristy. This garb makes you an official representative for the 6000 of us.

Spiritual commissioners in each hall are again requested to rap on every door where no response was obtained in the previous visit. We need more men for the weak hours: of 12, 12:30, and 1:00 each day, when dinner is being served. Hall spiritual commissioners are likewise requested to make a report of their work to the Prefect of Religion by Tuesday evening.

The Mass, According To St. Francis de Sales

"The Mass is the sum of all spiritual exercises, the mainspring of devotion, the soul of piety, the fire of Divine Charity, the abyss of Divine Mercy, and the precious means whereby God confers His Graces on us."

This is why you should begin your daily Lenten life with attendance at Mass. It is of infinite value in the matter of adoration, or reparation, of thanksgiving, and of petition. It is also the best time to receive Communion. During Lent, there is nothing else quite like joining our prayers with those of Our Lord in making reparation to His Heavenly Father for all our sins. Daily Mass is the best beginning of penance.

Save Wednesday Evening

When our Most Reverend Bishop dispensed us from fasting and abstinence, he did so on the condition that we substitute another form of penance these days, and specifically asked that we attend daily Mass and the Lenten Series, and practice other forms of self-denial. Accordingly, we obtained the best priest available for the Wednesday evening 15-minute talks during the next five weeks. You owe it to yourselves and to your education at Notre Dame to hear what Father Thomas Brennan, CSC, has to say to you. The talks will begin at 6:45 -- early enough to admit of other activities later. Come early, get a good seat, and be sharp if you want to keep up with him. He doesn't repeat. He's not at all dull. And he'll send you away remembering his words. Be there

PRAYERS REQUESTED - Deceased: Brother-in-law of Rev. Francis X. Luzny, C.S.C.