

Notre Dame Seminary Weekend Schedule

The **Regular Weekend** schedule at Notre Dame Seminary is as follows:

Friday is a regular day of class. Evening Prayer is at 5:15 PM with all the seminarians required to attend.

Saturday: Holy Mass at 8:30 AM, together with Morning Prayer. Saturday Evening Prayer is at 5:15 PM. All seminarians are required to attend.

Sunday: Morning Prayer is at 8:30 AM. Holy Mass is at 9:30 AM. Evening Prayer is at 5:15 PM. All seminarians are required to attend.

Two Sundays a semester seminarians will be expected to attend a cultural celebration of the Mass, whether it would be in Spanish, Vietnamese, Gospel Mass, African American, Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite, or any other language, culture, or liturgical experience. These will be under the name of **Liturgical Diversity Weekend**. A brief report of this experience will be required, and it must be turned in to the Rector. The expectation is that these experiences, which happen four times a year, would be four different liturgical experiences and not the same. There will be no Sunday Mass or Morning Prayer scheduled at the Seminary during these weekends in order to provide flexibility to the seminarians to make their own Mass plans.

Some weekends during the semester will be designated as an **Open Weekend**, and the seminarians will be allowed to plan where they want to go to mass without any expectation of accountability other than to his spiritual director. During Open Weekends seminarians are free after Friday Mass or last class for the day and evening prayer is in private. Seminarians are not scheduled to be back until Sunday Evening Prayer at 5:15 PM.

There will be exposition and benediction every Sunday with prolonged adoration until Night Prayer.