It's a great idea...and
completed the form. And now, as a double-major sec-
having filled out the form wrong. Sophomore year
of fellow classmates that simply putting four
general and specific alternates, despite the advice
other amenities such as grade checking online.
much of these complaints obsolete—thank God.
us Holy Cross kids and trying to get us gainful
surpassed in likeability only by the angelic Eileen
ic traits of the Public Safety officers I have en-
Add/Drop.
ous: the beach, a year-round tan, laid-back atmos-
as I checked my mailbox one drizzly Friday
that anyone wants to come here.
those of us who frequent
saying conversationalist sending the unsigned check
flowed, this assertion was modified to include the
stating why Holy Cross squandered the opportuni-
low conversationalists expressed a desire to write
Money, I Won’t Give Any Of It To Holy Cross”. I
ring topic has to do with “Why, If I Ever Do Make
CRUSADER OPINION STAFF
BY URSULA PAWLOWSKI
Sitting there in Brooks Concert Hall on a
Tuesday afternoon, in an auditorium filled
mostly with professors and a few students who
Americans, I thought of all those students
Second-half junior, I know the truth: that our ad-
with grades online?

I think it’s a good idea.

- Lauren Pindolte ‘05

I think it’s a great idea.

- Tim Holohan ‘03

I think it would be benefici-
cial if they posted grades
everyday throughout the sen-

I think it’s a great idea because it makes it a lot

tless, if all we have is our seeming

Ethics and morality should be an integral
part of the liberal arts education, not just
some concepts debated by a certain few.

Thus, Garvey proposed that Holy Cross es-
establish an Institute for the Advancement of
the Mission, where students of every major
would take seminars or lectures that ad-
dress fundamental moral questions, thus
helping to educate the whole person.

Garvey then gave the following quote from
a thinker and mystic, Simone Weil, who had
no claims to any discipline or academic de-
partment: “There is a reality outside the
world, outside of space and time...that is accessible to human faculties. Correspond-
ing to this reality, at the center of the
human heart, is the longing for an absolute good.”

This search for a greater meaning has
eluded many of us in our education.

Garvey believes that the College fails in its
mission if students leave this campus never
having to grapple with such statements.

“I think that the thinking that underlies this
third quote, thinking that arises from won-
der at the presence of the world and
of ourselves, thinking for which the good has at
least as prominent a place as the true, is the
kind of fundamental questioning that our
mission statement calls for.”

So I left that afternoon with a
frame of mind different from that of
weeks ago. I had realized why it was
so appropriate that a
physics professor give a lecture on such a
topic. My own preconceptions had in fact
been swept away. Because the issue of
morality does not have to be addressed from the pulpit by a preacher or a priest.
Ultimately, it is addressed to each of us as
we make our journey through life, for in
the end it does not matter what we have, but who we are.

What do you think of being able to access grades online?

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