With three games in the last week and a half, the women's soccer team was still unable to improve their 4-3-2 record after they were handed a loss and two ties.

The Crusaders went into double overtime last Wednesday against Northeastern on Fitton Field. The Huskies went on the board first with a goal that was rebounded in the 19th minute by Caitlin Springer. Just one minute later, the Crusaders responded with a goal from junior Brandy Ault. Senior tri-captain Kate O'Shaughnessy crossed the ball to Ault, who finished with a shot on goal. Sophomore Sarah Comeaux put the Crusaders in the lead 2-1 in the 27th minute, giving Holy Cross the advantage going into halftime.

Northeastern broke the Crusaders' lead in the 68th minute with a second goal from Springer. Unable to break the 2-2 deadlock in regulation, the two teams went into double overtime where neither could come up with a goal. The Crusaders were outshot 23-12 that day, with sophomore goalkeeper Christina Arsenault coming up with seven saves.

The Crusaders went on to play Colgate—their second Patriot League matchup of the season—on Saturday. Many students, families, friends, and fans came out to rally the women as they took on their longtime rival, but the support was not enough as the Red Raiders secured their first league goal in the 77th minute and handed the Crusaders a 3-1 loss. This marks the second loss in just two league games for the Crusaders. Although with a 0-2 league record, the Crusaders refuse to be discouraged. League standout, Kate O'Shaughnessy had perhaps the most reason to be discouraged as she watched the entire game, sidelined with a sprained ankle.

"I'm not discouraged by the loss, and neither is the team. We played well against a really competitive team. We'll meet them again this season." O'Shaughnessy should be set to play again by next weekend's league game at Army.

The Crusaders rebounded from their weekend loss with a 1-1 tie against Vermont on Monday afternoon for their third straight home game. The Crusaders got on the board first with their lone goal of the game from Lauring in the second minute of the game. Lauring found the back of the net with a direct kick that drove past Vermont's goalkeeper to give her her first goal of the season. Holy Cross was able to hold the victory through the entire first half and nearly the second half until the 81st minute when Vermont tied the game 1-1. A second double overtime in just a week's time proved ineffective for both teams, as they both walked away with a tie. The Crusaders play at Army this weekend.