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## Monday Morning Update

January 15 - January 21

Hello Notre Dame Law School,

Happy New Year, NDLS! Welcome back to lovely South Bend for another fun-filled semester. Doesn't it feel like we were just here? We had a month off but I feel like I went home for a long weekend. I did have a great break though, thank you for asking! The highlight was my trip to Las Vegas with my Dad and brother. I noticed that Vegas was a lot nicer than I expected but also a lot trashier than I expected, if that makes any sense. Here are some things that I learned while on the trip:

- If possible, don't go to Vegas with a vegan relative/friend. My father is vegan and this *severely* limited the options we had to eat at the better restaurants. Vegas has amazing restaurants and places to eat, but many do not have a wide-selection for those who have a vegan diet. While on the way to In-N-Out, which was my first ever-trip, my Dad was already threatening to sue the restaurant for not having vegan options. When I explained that the diet was his choice, he said that it really wasn't if he wanted to live a long and healthy life (hmm..). He eventually found out they had a "veggie burger" (everything but the burger on a roll) so we avoided any litigation.
- This may be a hot take, but In-N-Out is overrated. Granted, it was hyped up to be an experience of a lifetime which would change the way I think about food. However, I was left wanting more. Before any left-coasters jump down my throat, yes, I ordered off-menu. I got the animal style burger and animal style fries. While they were good, I left knowing that I have had many better burgers and fries before and likely will again. Yes, it is a good deal and reasonably priced, but life changing? Far from it. Don't @ me.

- All in all, Las Vegas is a great time. 10 out of 10 would go back.

After those Vegas musings, here are some Monday musings:

1. Not on board with having class on Martin Luther King Jr. Day. I especially don't like having readings already assigned for the first class. Can I get a day to settle in? I loved in undergrad when you had a whole week devoted to learning about "what the class was about" and what you would be covering over the course of the semester (a snooze fest but an enjoyable one). These days I have to read and be prepared to answer questions on Day 1?! On a federal holiday?! (If any of my professors are reading this don't worry, I did the readings).

2. Coming back to the Bend to snow and 15 degree weather was NOT ideal. Even as a #BombCyclone survivor and a two-year vet of SB winters I am still not OK with the wind and the cold. It's gonna snow all day today! YES! On second thought, maybe it is good that our professors give us readings the first day to keep us in the library and not outside...Is that their plan? Have they discussed this? Are they just looking out for our safety?

3. What a great slate of NFL games this weekend, huh? Well minus the Patriots v. Titans. For the semi-finals we get the incredibly unlikely match-ups of Foles v. Keenum and Bortles v. Cheating Lying Cheater. I am rooting very hard for the Vikings because I think it would be incredible to see a team "host" the Super Bowl. Minnesota also deserves to see a champion after YEARS of playoff ineptitude and a few Super Bowl failures. I am hoping to see a Jags/Vikings Super Bowl, however I guess I will settle for a Vikings/Cheaters Super Bowl.

4. For those itching to get to Strikes & Spares, fear not. Bowling is set to start next Thursday, January 25th (not completely confirmed by me, but someone told me "I think it starts next week."). For 1Ls who do not know what I am talking about, Thursday night bowling is my favorite thing we do as a law school after the Father Mike show. A large amount of law students get together each Thursday to bowl to see which team takes home the championship at the end of the season. If I am being honest, I think my team is favored to win it all this year after we welcome back key members to the squad after semesters abroad. But even if you won't win the championship, Thursday night bowling is still a great time and I am really looking forward to it. I encourage all of you to sign up.

5. Notre Dame was able to light up the #1 sign above Grace Hall over the break. The Notre Dame hockey team is the unanimous #1 team in the nation and I could not be more excited about it. Ehhh, I will admit that I am more excited about my UVa Wahoos being ranked #2 in basketball (announced later today), but this is still really cool for ND athletics. Also great win by the Irish over LSU over break; what a catch! Let's go Irish!!

Lots of love,  
Drew

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## **Mass Schedule**

For the Spring 2018 semester, Masses will be offered in the St. Thomas More Chapel as follows:

- Monday-Thursday, 5:15 PM
- Friday, 12:30 PM

- Sunday, 4:30 PM

Additionally, the chapel is in need of Sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers, and Lectors for Daily Masses this semester. If interested, please email Jonathan Schall at [jschall@nd.edu](mailto:jschall@nd.edu).

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## **SBA Community Service Committee / The Student Animal Defense League**

The SBA Community Service Committee and The Student Animal Defense League are excited to announce a donation drive benefiting local area animal shelter, Pet Refuge, Inc. The drive will run January 15, 2018- January 25, 2018. You can purchase items directly from the Pet Refuge Amazon Wishlist (found on their website) and send it to them or you can look at their wish list online and buy items at an area store and drop it off at the box in the commons. January is such an important time for animal shelters, because of the amount of returns and intakes. Dogs and cats are a common Christmas gift. Unfortunately, some of these gifts are not wanted or families decide that the work and money involved in raising an animal is not something they can handle. If you drop an item off at the donation box in the commons or buy an item directly from their wish list please send me an email at [ldavis11@nd.edu](mailto:ldavis11@nd.edu) and I will add your name and class to a thank you board in the commons next to the donation box. There is an attachment below for additional information.

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## **GALILEE**

### **Request for Galilee Trip Photos**

If you or your groups took any photos that you would be willing to share for promotional use, please send to Bill Green ([wgreen2@nd.edu](mailto:wgreen2@nd.edu)) or Emily Mankowski ([emankows@nd.edu](mailto:emankows@nd.edu)).

### **Galilee Debriefing**

Friday, 12:30 - 2, Courtroom

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## **Christian Legal Society - Retreat Opportunity**

Christian Legal Society has partnered with Generous Giving to host a retreat about the virtue of generosity. It will take place in South Bend, February 9-10. The time commitment is less than 24 hours, and food and housing will be taken care of. A few NDLS students attended this retreat last year through their church and thought it was amazing, so CLS decided to host one of our own to give the opportunity to all NDLS. Additional details and registration available here:

[https://generousgiving.org/jog-event/jog?eventid=a06A000001Tqyw2&tfa\\_3=a06A000001Tqyw2](https://generousgiving.org/jog-event/jog?eventid=a06A000001Tqyw2&tfa_3=a06A000001Tqyw2)

Contact Jessen Baker ([jbaker9@nd.edu](mailto:jbaker9@nd.edu)) with any questions.

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## **STUDENT SUPPORT**

As we approach exams/study time, we encourage you to be mindful of the relaxation resources available at the [McDonald Center for Student Well-Being](#).

These include [yoga](#), [Koru Mindfulness](#), the [Sleep Program](#), and restorative spaces like [the Living Room](#), [Break Room](#), and [Fort](#). Health support services are always available at [University Health Services](#) and the [University Counseling Center](#).

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## This Week @ NDLS

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### Monday - January 15

- It's MLK Day but we have classes :/

### Tuesday - January 16

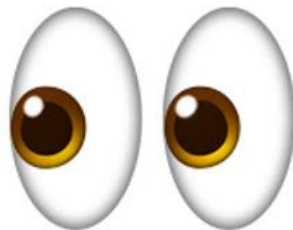
- **Jus Vitae: Mandatory March for Life Pre-Departure Meeting - 12:30pm in Room 2171**
  - This is required for anyone attending the March for Life and will include important information. If you cannot make this time, please attend one of the undergrad meetings (Tuesday or Wednesday at 7:30 pm in the Carey Auditorium in Hesburgh).

### Wednesday - January 17

- HUMP DAAAAAAAAY!

### Thursday - January 18

- **Thursday Riddle:**



### Friday - January 19

- **Galilee: Debriefing - 12:30pm in the Courtroom**
- **SCELF: Kevin Magnuson - 1:30pm in Room 1315**
  - Calling all hockey fans and those interested in a career in sports! Kevin Magnuson (hockey agent from Chicago) provides insight and advice from his career path, which includes experiences playing as a D1 National Champion &

professional hockey player, working at a law firm, and now representing professional hockey players.

- **Pizza will be served.**

Saturday - January 20

Sunday - January 21

- **Send me meeting times so I have more events to list.**

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### **3L OF THE WEEK**

As punishment for no 1L volunteering to be 1L of the week, you will have to read about 3Ls beginning with each of my roommates to make things easier for me. If you would like this not to happen next week, please volunteer or else you have to read about the gentleman who live at Darby 630 and 632.

Without further ado, please meet Joshua Levitt!



**Q: Where did you attend undergrad?**

A: UMass Amherst.

**Drew Side-Note:** I was upset he did not say Zoomass.

**Q: Where's your hometown?**

A: Clinton, New York. Home of Hamilton College.

**Q: What did you do before law school?**

A: I quit my job at a law firm and bartended at a restaurant on the St. Lawrence River. Spent my summer fishing and tending bar. Amazing summer.

**Q: What did you do this summer?**

A: I worked for the branch of the New York State Court System that represents individuals with developmental disabilities.

Ok now for the serious questions:

**Q: Do you know what AIM was and if so, what was your screenname?**

A: My screenname was magoojufoo22.

**Drew Side-Note:** When I asked what this meant or if he cared to explain, he did not have an answer. I also love that there were that many other magoojufoo's out there. The internet, man...

**Q: What did you do over winter break?**

A: I went back to work for the branch of the NY court system I worked at this summer. I also went to Portland, ME with my brother, as is tradition.

**Q: On a scale of 1 to 10, 1 being "Possibly the Zodiac Killer?" and 10 being "Greatest Roommate of All-Time" how would you rate me as a roommate?**

A: 7. There's a lot in this number, but I will say that electricity does not grow on trees, Drew. Dylan on the other hand...

**Drew Side-Note:** Hey, I'll take it.

**Q: Josh, being the really handsome guy you are, how excited were you when Scott Rogowsky shouted out the Darby Boys on HQ Live two months ago?**

A: I will die a happy man in the year 2118.

**Drew Side-Note:** This really happened. I was so excited that I got the first question wrong.

**Q: What's your New Year's Resolution?**

A: Pass the bar and don't default on my loans yet.

**Drew Side-Note:** Same. Plus find more 1Ls to volunteer for this so we don't have to do this again...

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**HAVE A GREAT WEEK!**

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Submit content for next week's MMU!

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