

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Parish Community of Saint John Baptist de la Salle recognize that we are chosen by Christ and have as our mission to bring forth the fruits of the True Vine in response to the needs of our Parish Community through the recognition of active Parish Organizations and the cultivation of persons and groups not yet sharing in the mystery of the True Vine, Jesus Christ. "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing."

--John 15:5

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE CHURCH

16555 Chatsworth Street, Granada Hills, CA., 91344 Mailing address: 10738 Hayvenhurst Ave., Granada Hills, CA., 91344

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

10738 Hayvenhurst Ave. Granada Hills, CA. 91344 Parish Office: 818 363-2535

Monday-Thursday

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Second Sunday of each Month - 8:30 a.m. -1:00 p.m.

Rev. Ramon Valera	Pastor
Rev. Khoa Mai	Associate Pastor
Deacon Sam Frias	Deacon
Deacon Dan Revetto	Deacon

Eucharistic Celebrations (Mass)

SATURDAY: 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, and 12:00 pm

DAILY: Monday - Saturday 7:30 a.m.

HOLY DAYS: Please check bulletin or website NOVENA: Wednesday, 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

CONFESSION SCHEDULE Saturday: 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm in Church

FAITH FORMATION /MINISTRY OFFICE

10738 Hayvenhurst Ave. Granada Hills, CA. 91344 Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

SCHOOL OFFICE 16535 Chatsworth St. Granada Hills, CA. 91344

St. John Baptist de la Salle Parish Website: sjbdls.com St. John Baptist de la Salle School Website: sjbdls.org St. John Baptist de la Salle S.R.E. Website: re@sjbdls.org St. John Baptist de la Salle Music Email: music@sjbdls.org St. John Baptist de la Salle Media Email: media@sjbdls.org

Parish Business Manager: Janie Choate

363-2535

Faith Formation Coordinator Mrs. Cole

368-1514

School Principal: Claudia Monaco 363-2270

Watch Sunday 9:00am Mass Live Stream at: tinyurl.com/SJBDLSMASS

27th Sunday In Ordinary Time October 5, 2025



The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith."

The Lord replied, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." _ _ Lk 17:5-6

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

Presider Schedule October 11th & 12th

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Fr. Mai Sunday 7:30 a.m. Fr. Ramon Sunday 9:00 a.m. Fr. Kirsch Sunday 10:30 a.m. Fr. Mai Sunday 12:00 p.m. Fr. Ramon

This schedule is subject to change



Miraculous Medal Novena

Please join us in the church for the Novena of the Miraculous Medal followed by praying the Rosary.

Wednesdays, 5:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. *All are welcome*



First Friday Holy Hour for Vocations November 7, 2025

The number of Priests in the U.S. has dropped by nearly 50% over

the last 50 years (from 60,000 to 35,000). The decline in the number of Deacons, Religious Brothers and Sisters is also alarming.

Will you please join us for <u>just an hour per month</u> to Pray for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life? We will meet on the First Friday of the month, at 7:00 p.m. We will gather in the Church for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. We will also pray the Rosary together asking our Blessed Mother for her intercession.



Help Save Lives in the San Fernando Valley

From September 21 to November 2, you are invited to join the De La Salle Respect Life team once a week for one hour (or more) as we peacefully pray to end abortion in front of Family Planning Associates (10200 Sepulveda Blvd. in Mission Hills.) Our prayer vigil time is between the hours of 12:00 noon and 4 pm every Wednesday, but there will be other parish groups throughout every day of the week (7 am-7pm) if you need a different time. Be a part of this worldwide effort to protect mothers and children.

As a result of 40 Days for Life campaigns, over 20,000 babies have been saved, and over 100 abortion centers closed so far.

For more information, prayer materials and spiritual blessing please attend:

De La Salle contacts: Nancy Corbett 818-929-6213,

Lynelle Harrigan 818-632-6339

40 Days Co-ordinator: Patti Flores 818-307-

4332, PFlores4Life@aol.com



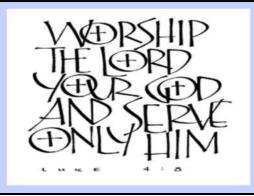
Come Welcome the

Pilgrim Virgin Statue of

Our Lady of Fatima

To St. John Baptist de la Salle on Saturday, October 4th, 2025 at 3:00 p.m. followed by a Rosary, Confessions, and our 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass.

Starting Monday, October 6th, we will pray a rosary after the daily 7:30 a.m. mass until **Our Lady's** statue departs on Saturday, October 11th.



Please pray for the sick

Joseph Cordova Maria C. Garcia Edwin Salvador Ernest Escalante, Sr. Gigi Sabourin Vanessa Perez Roman Alexander Valdez Allison Naussbaum Jennifer Morelli Rita Correa Fr. Jim Bevan Chona Eco Jesus Mesias Vanessa Perez Flora Mesias Ligaya Vega Imelda Juan Ana Luisa Acebolobo Chito Manimbo Rosa Monostori MaryAnn Imthurn Deacon Sam Frias Jody Walker Elisa Pazirandeh Andrea Emilia Bernabey and all those in our James Sabourin Parish Book of Prayer



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Why are Personal Boundaries Important?

Personal boundaries are critical for every relationship and interaction we have in ministry or volunteer work.

We set boundaries to protect ourselves and the people with whom we are interacting. As an employee or volunteer in ministry, you have an inherent, perceived power over those you serve. Because of this position of authority and power, the employee and volunteer's priority should be the best interest of the person to whom they are ministering. To learn more about setting appropriate boundaries, read the VIRTUS® article "Ministerial Boundaries, Power and Authority" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/



Go to www.osvhub.com/ sjbdls/funds

First Online Donation:

Follow these steps:

Select which fund you want to donate to by clicking on the Give Now spot on the fund you want to donate to. Example: Weekly Contributions. Click on the (v) for additional options.

Enter your gift amount (Example: \$20.00, etc.) Gift Type (either **One Time or Recurring)** Frequency (Choose from Weekly Biweekly, etc.)

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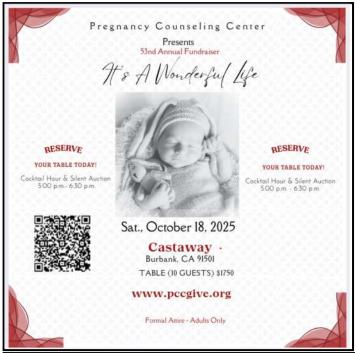
Enter Payment Address Click on save my payment. Enter **your new password.**

(It will be needed every time you log in.) Click on submit gift. Click back to Fund List to donate to other funds or Log Out.

Mass Intentions of For The Week



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Sunday	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Fe Mary Macalino De La Salle Parishioners Nestor Pacheco Baby Buenaventura
Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m.	Lorenzo Macasia Adita Parmelee Joseph Cordova Joseph Cordova Hilario & Socorro Ramirez
Saturday		Josefina E. & Bimbo Mariano Ignacio L. Sevilla





Infertility, Pregnancy & Infant Loss Awareness Remembrance Mass Sunday, October 12th 12:00 p.m.

"When a child loses his parent, they are called an orphan. When a spouse loses her

or his partner, they are called a widow or widower. When parents lose their child, there isn't a word to describe them."

—Ronald Reagan, 1998.

At the 12 noon Mass on October 12th, we will remember in a special way those affected by infertility, Pregnancy and infant loss including, but not limited to, miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth, SIDS and the death of a newborn. Prayer scrolls will be available after Mass as you leave Church.

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you".

—Jeremiah 1:5

In Memoriam

Let us pray for all who have died, that they may rejoice with the Risen Lord.

Nelli Ferros Sun

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is administered by our Priests. During the week, contact the Parish Office for an appointment. The anointing suffices for the duration of the illness.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Please contact the Parish Office so we may assist.

BAPTISM

For infant Baptism, please contact the Parish Office at 818 363-2535 ext. 221. For Baptism of children ages 6 and above, please contact the SRE Office at 818 368-1514.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the Parish Office at 818 363-2535 ext. 224, Monday between 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., at least 6 months prior to setting a wedding date.

CONFIRMATION

Please contact the SRE office at 818 368-1514.



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If you have a need to mail your donation envelopes or any correspondence to the Parish Office be sure to use the following address:

10738 Hayvenhurst Ave Granada Hills, CA 91344



Your Prayers to Lourdes!

Dn. Dan will be leading a pilgrimage to Lourdes, France in service to more than 175 sick and suffering Americans, October

10th—20th. He is happy to hand-deliver your petitions and offer them up at a special Mass inside the Grotto of Massabielle, where Our Lady appeared to St. Bernadette. Please place your petitions in the box located in the vestibule of the Church no later than October 8th.



DLS School News

School Office Hours Monday –Thursday 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Fridays 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

If you have any questions please visit our website at:

www.sjbdls.org or email Miss. Jimenez at: amanda.jimenez@sjbdls.org

School Phone Number: 818-363-2270

We would like to introduce our 2025-2026 Altar Servers. We pray that they continue to serve faithfully and wholeheartedly during their commitment to our Church and their Faith.

Charles M. Natalie S. Riley P. Cayden E. Philip A. Aaron T. Anthony T. Erin W. Grace A. Brianna A. Aiden M. Rachel R. Robbie S. Andrew T. Emilio M. Reese P. Liam S. Ronan C. Camila T. Emily B.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE PRESENTS



SAVE THE DATE NOVEMBER 10, 2025

Registration at 7:00 AM Shotgun at 8:00 AM

Golf, Contests, Raffle, Silent Auction, Live Auction & More! Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner included

Porter Valley Country Club 19216 Singing Hills Drive Northridge, CA 91326

Registration Details and Event Agenda to Follow

Faith Formation News



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

"for in the sacred books, the Father who is in heaven meets His children with great love and speaks with them"

Dei Verbum

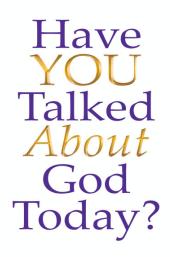
The School of Religious Education is offering the Children's Liturgy of the Word for our parish Children during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please look for the banner in the opening procession and join us for the Children's Liturgy of the Word. The program is free to all our parish children ages 4-10.

The Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is a wonderful time for children ages 4-10 to build their relationship with God in the company of their peers. With the help of a catechist, scripture, faith-based activities, and prayer are used to help the children explore their faith. Look for the banner in the entrance procession during the 9:00 a.m. Mass to confirm that CLOW will take place. Children are called forward by the priest to join their catechist and are dismissed to move to the Kateri Room for the session. The children will return to their family members during the collection.

If you are interested in becoming a CLOW volunteer or have additional questions, contact Mrs. Cole at 818-368-1514.

RESPECT FOR LIFE

Today, we pray for all who work for the Gospel of Life.



PARISH MINISTRY NEWS

Faithful Christians

Adult: When have you done more than was required of you in the service of others?

Child: When have you done something extra for someone in your family without being asked? What did you learn?

Share Your Gifts

Each of us by virtue of our Baptism plays a role in the handing on of our faith and in being witness to the Gospel. If you are interested in participating in the Religious Education Ministry or other Parish Ministries, contact the Parish Ministry Office at re@sjbdla.org or 818-368-1514

PARISH TRAINING FOR NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND ALTAR SERVERS

If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister or if your child would like to be trained as an Altar Server (students must be entering the 4th grade or higher in the 2025-2026 school year), please contact the Ministry Office at **re@sjbdls.org** or (818) 368-1514.



Society of St. Vincent De Paul Bundle Sunday

The Saint Vincent de Paul truck will be here on Sunday, October 12th, 2025 in the parish parking lot from 8:00a.m.

to 2:00 p.m. to receive your donations. Bring *useable* clothing, shoes, small appliances, household items, linens, books, etc. For large items including furniture, appliances, and vehicles please phone 323-224-6280 or 800-974-3571 for special free pick up at your home. Remember your contributions will be helping the needy of our community.





Potential vs. Actual

The sixth grader went to her mother with this homework question: "What's the difference between potential and actual?"

Mom thought for a moment, and then replied, "Go ask your dad, your brother and your sister what they would do if they found a million dollars and no one knew they had it. Would they turn it in or keep it?"

The boy goes first to his older brother with the question.

"Are you kidding? That would pay for college and set me up in business. It's probably drug money anyway. Of course I'd keep it."

The sixth grader writes down his brother's answer and then goes to his sister.

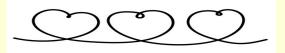
"Of course I'd keep it, silly. It's probably a bribe or payoff that got lost anyway. I'd shop till I dropped and then bank the rest. I'd be set for life."

The student writes down her answer and then goes to talk to Dad.

Dad reasons, "Well, anybody who loses a million bucks can probably afford it. I'd do over the house, put you kids through school, and then have something left for our retirement." The student goes back to Mom and shows her the answers.

"Now do you see the difference between potential and actual?" she explains. "Potentially, we are an honest family, but actually you and I live with three conniving thieves."

In today's Gospel, Jesus chides our tendency to rationalize our self-centeredness, to congratulate ourselves on our "faithfulness" by acting in ways that are the antithesis of that faith. As the sixth grader learns, our "potential" is realized only if we "actually" live the principles and beliefs we confess in our prayers and creeds. Faith begins with the gratitude and humility of the servant in today's Gospel: to realize that we have all been created in the image of a loving God and that the only meaningful return we can make for this life is to love and honor one another as sister and brother "servants" at the table of the Father.



PARISH MINISTRIES

AND DIRECTORY			
Altar Servers	Ministry Office	368-1514	
Anointing of the Sick	Parish Office	363-2535	
Baptisms	Parish Office	363-2535	
Bereavement	Parish Office	363-2535	
	Tracy Flores	363-2535	
Catholic Men's Group	Tim Castagnola	620-9569	
-	Terry Castagnola	601-6684	
Eucharistic Ministers	Ministry Office	368-1514	
Finance Council	Fr. Ramon Valera	363-2535	
Hospitality	School Office	363-2270	
Lectors	Ministry Office	368-1514	
Legion of Mary	Elisa Pazirandeh	368-1514	
	Tuesday 6:30p.m. t	to 8:00 p.m.	
	Erlinda Daliva	368-1514	
	Friday 6:15p.m. t	to 7:00 p.m.	
	Erlinda Claro	368-1514	
	Friday 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.		
Liturgy Committee	Ministry Office	368-1514	
Marriage Ministry	Elizabeth Moreno	363-2535	
	wedding@sjbdls.org	Ext.: 225	
Media Ministry	Don Jacob	363-2535	
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Faith Formation Office

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Coordinator: Mrs. Cole	368-1514
Adult Education	
First Communion	
Elementary (Grades 3-5)	
Liturgy of the Word	
Family Ministry	
Middle School	
O.C.I.A./O.C.I.C.	
Confirmation	

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St. John Baptist De La Salle School Principal: Claudia Monaco

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St. Vincent de Paul	363-2535
St. Vincent de Paul large item pick up call	(800) 974-3571
Ushers Ellen Celaya	363-2535

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