

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE

16555 Chatsworth Street, Granada Hills, CA. 91344

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



October 1, 2017 Twenty-Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Times

Rev. Ramon Valera.....Administrator
Rev. Monsignor Robert Milbauer.....Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Yesu Teneti.....Associate Pastor
Rev. Deacon Sam FriasDeacon
Rev. Deacon Dan Revetto.....Deacon

PARISH OFFICE: 10738 Hayvenhurst Ave.
Granada Hills, CA. 91344
SCHOOL OFFICE 16535 Chatsworth St.
Granada Hills, CA 91344

Parish Office: 818 363-2535 **Fax:** 818 360-7407
St. John Baptist de la Salle Parish Website: sjbdls.com

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
1:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Parish Business Manager: Mrs. Janie Choate 363-2535
Religious Education Director: Mrs. Sandy Cole 368-1514
School Principal: Mrs. Larissa McKenna 363-2270
School Office: 818 363-2270 **Fax:** 818 832-8950
St. John Baptist de la Salle School Website: sjbdls.org

Eucharistic Celebrations (Mass)

SATURDAY: 7:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.. & 12 Noon
DAILY: 7:00 a.m.
HOLY DAYS: Please check bulletin
WEDNESDAY: 5:30 P.M. Miraculous Medal Novena

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY: 4:30 p.m. to 5:20 p.m.
SATURDAY: 4:00 p.m. to 4:50 p.m.

Baptisms: For infant Baptism, contact the Parish Office at least two months in advance.
Baptism for ages 7 and above, contact the School of Religious Education Office.

Marriages: Visit the Parish Office on Tuesday or Thursday, 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
or call for an appointment. At least six months advance notice is required.

Sacrament of the Sick: If you or a family member are in need of the Sacrament of the Sick, please contact the church office at 818 363-2535. Please do not wait until the last moments of life to call.

Information on the Priesthood, Diaconate or Religious Life: Contact Fr. Stephen Davoren 213 637-7755 or frsdavoren@la-archdiocese.org

**Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 1, 2017**



Have in you the same attitude
that is also in Christ Jesus.

— *Philippians 2:5*

Presider Schedule

October 7th & October 8th

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Ramon
Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Msgr. Milbauer
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Fr. Ramon
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Fr. Kirsch
Sunday	12:00 Noon	Fr. Teneti

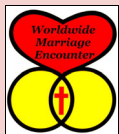
This schedule is subject to change.

**SAN FERNANDO
VALLEY LIFE CHAIN
October is Respect Life Month**

This is the 24th Annual Life Chain
in the San Fernando Valley.

This event is approved by the Archdiocese of
Los Angeles and will be held **Today**, Sunday,
October 1st, at Devonshire & Sepulveda Blvd,
in Mission Hills, from 2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Please join us at this Pro-Life event,
where we will stand in a legal,
peaceful protest against abortion.
Signs will be provided.



**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE
ENCOUNTER**

"Not as man sees does God see, because
man sees the appearance but the LORD
looks into the heart." Let your spouse see
into your heart by working through a Worldwide
Marriage Encounter weekend on February 9th-11th
in Canoga Park. Contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848
-6729 or go online to www.twocanlove.org for more
information.

We help make good marriages better.

The challenge to forgive

Adult: When have your actions not measured up to
your promises? What was the outcome?

Child: Why is it important to follow through on your
promises to others?

**Please leave your name
and number . . .**

Phone call number one:

The caller ID says it's Jen. *Oh no*, you say to your-
self. *Not Jen. Poor woman is going through a rough
time, but I just can't talk to her today.* The ringing
stops. Whew, you dodged a bullet. But you stare at
your phone. You wonder if she's OK. So you redial
her number. "Hi, Jen. Sorry I missed your call but I
was in the middle of hauling groceries. What's up?"

Phone call number two:

It's Frank, one of the dads in the neighborhood.
"We're putting a crew together for Saturday morning
to go over and fix up the ball field behind the school
- you know, rake it out, repair the fences, paint the
scoreboard."

You say: "That's a great idea. We've been worried
about the kids getting hurt on that field. Anything we
can do to help. Let me check my calendar for Satur-
day and if I can be there I will. Thanks for putting
this together, Frank. We all appreciate it."

But Saturday morning is your weekly golf game and
you have no intention of missing it. Hey, Frank's got
it all under control.

*The "two" sons in Jesus' parable can be the same person.
Sometimes our sense of empathy manages to overcome
our busyness; at other times, we're happy to say the right
thing at the moment, with no intention of following
through. But compassion and gratitude are only words
until we live them in acts of generosity and kindness. Dis-
cipleship begins with realizing Christ's presence in our
midst and then reflecting that presence in the compassion
and peace we extend.*




LOS ANGELES CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB
P.O. BOX 751
PASADENA, CALIFORNIA 91102

MASS FOR CATHOLIC SINGLES

The L.A. Catholic Alumni Club, a social
organization of single professional Catholics,
invites you to the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday,
October 15th at St. Charles Borromeo Church,
10800 Moorpark St., North Hollywood,
followed by lunch at a local restaurant.
Please call Carol at 818-939-6163 for brunch RSVP.
All ages warmly welcomed. For a sample event
calendar, call 818-404-1137.

Please pray for the recovery of:

Pete Dern	Jess Baylon
Helen Lawson	Claribel Mandap
Hortencia Barcena	Richard V. Haro
Celeste Barcena	Eli Andrew Nuno
George Mandap	Andy Dominique
Consuelo R. Jamora	Tom Borger
Mimi Maderazo	Charlie Parmelee
Pablita Engle	Angelo DeVito
Leovijildo Quijano Medina	Jimmy DeVito
Nathalie Noverola Burgos	Teresa Vallejo
Jorge Ruiz	Cy Dionne
Loling Roa	Rosa Rodtquez
Pamela Olivares	Nathalie Echeverria
Gregory Storey	Kathryn Catlett
Steve Rezo	Christian Vega
Tony Marufo	Christina Vega
Flora D. Mesias	Mike Gobelian
Susan D. Pacheco	Ron Gervasi
Michael Harris	Diane Wood
Ray Ritchea	Janet Engdahl
Lisette Larez	Peter Caiola
Maureen Smith	Werner Branderburg
Gabriel Mowery	Michael Garmyn
Vazgen Balyezyan	Julie Wolf
Marie Melanie Martinez	and all those in our
Gemma La Fondant	Prayer book.
Alberta Sevilla	



Background checks


With school starting again, it's likely that your children are participating in a variety of after-school activities. Many school sports and club programs are run by volunteers, often parents with kids of their own in the school. It's important that the school or program takes measures to protect all students, but as parents, it's critical that you follow up and confirm that the proper checks have been done. The Archdiocese of Los Angeles uses fingerprinting as its core background check. All persons, whether paid or volunteer, who have regular contact with minors or vulnerable adults are fingerprinted. For more information, visit <http://handbook.la-archdiocese.org/chapter-9/section-9-3>.



PARISH MEDIA MINISTRY

Listen and view the Gospel and Homily from the Sunday 9:00 a.m. Media Masses on your computer, tablet or smart phone by going to the link: <http://sjbdls.com/audio> or use the **existing QR** code on the left. Comments to media@sjbdls.org

Mass Intentions For The Week



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Sunday	7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Jeanne Paiz De La Salle Parishioners Rosita Mariscal Antonio Caldozo
Monday	7:00 a.m.	Ramon Villegas
Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	Marcelino Cudiamat
Wednesday	7:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	Adriano Canuto Sr. Corine Kirsch
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Adoracion Arceo
Friday	7:00 a.m.	Eudinia Pablo
Saturday	7:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Adita Parmelee Corine Kirsch

In Memoriam

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

***Gregory James Hoffman, Wilma Wittwer,
Rosa Espinosa, Helena Castro Proctacio,
Holly Lynn Noguera, and Ernesto Eco***

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

MARRIAGE MOMENTS*

Ways to Turn your Beloved Off #1 -
Be too busy. Romance can't always fit neatly into a schedule. Do you have enough open, flexible time in your married life to flirt, follow a whim, or postpone a less urgent priority? Does #1 ring true for you? If not, good.

PARENTING POINTERS*

Respect Life Month. As a parent, I assume you speak respectfully to your children and they to you. Respecting life also means valuing all human life- especially the lives of the weak, the vulnerable, the unborn, the poor, even those we disagree with. With political speech becoming less civil, let your children hear you speak respectfully even of those you disagree with.



DE LA SALLE CHURCH AND SCHOOL SCRIP FUNDRAISER

We carry scrip (gift cards) for many department, electronic, and home improvement stores including Macy's, Gap, Old Navy, Sears, J.C. Penny's, and Target. We also carry scrip for specialty stores including Bath and Body, Bed, Bath and Beyond, Starbucks, Sees Candy, and Toys R Us. For your dining needs we have scrip for many fine restaurants including Red Lobster, Yard House, Chipotle, Chili's, Macaroni Grill, Olive Garden, Outback, Black Angus, and Denny's. We have fast food restaurants: Pizza Hut, Taco Bell, Subway, El Pollo Loco, Jack in the Box, Del Taco, Burger King, Wendy's, and Carl's Jr. too. You can also purchase scrip for Exxon-Mobil, Chevron, Shell, and Arco gas stations. We also have Vons, Smart and Final and Walmart/Sam's too.

Thank you for supporting the Scrip Ministry.

St. John Baptist de la Salle

Stewardship

September 17, 2017

Collection: \$ 17,386.00

Thank you for your generosity.



St. John Baptist De La Salle Church is hosting the **2017 ANNUAL ROSARY RALLY** Celebrating the 100-Year Anniversary of Fatima

To be held on **OCTOBER 14, 2017, at 1:00 PM**
(Sponsored by the Rosary Groups for Jesus and Mary, together with The Legion of Mary)

Please come and join this big and joyous celebration. There will be a Living Rosary, Coronation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Flower Offering, Holy Mass, and then Procession. There will be hospitality immediately after the celebration. The Rosary Rally is a gift that we can offer to our Blessed Mother Mary; our humble way of showing her how much she is respected, honored and loved as Mother of God.

Please bring a flower stem for offering. For additional information about the rally, or for volunteers please call Elisa Pazirandeh at (818) 389-0194.



An Invitation To: Become a SJBDS Lector!

Enrich your spiritual life and the spiritual life of your parishioners by more fully participating in Sunday mass as a SJBDS Lector. The parish invites all interested baptized and confirmed adults & young adults to serve the people of God through the proclamation of Sacred Scripture at mass. You are being called by name to serve as Lector. The parish will provide all the education and training required for You to faithfully and effectively serve your parish as lector. All that is required is a desire in your heart to serve, a commitment to be scheduled for a mass (of your preference) once a month, and attendance at semi annual lector awareness gatherings. Your participation will bring you closer to the parish and your spiritual life will be enriched as follow Jesus in the way.

To Enroll Go To: SJBDS.net/lector

St. Mel School Presents High School Night

All parochial, private & public 7th and 8th grade students are invited to St. Mel's Annual High School Night on Thursday evening, **October 5th**, at 7:00 p.m. sharp (St. Mel School, Woodland Hills). Take advantage of this informative evening to meet with representatives from local Catholic high schools: Louisville, Crespi, Marymount, Loyola, Alemany, Notre Dame, Providence, and Chaminade. Each school will give a brief presentation and answer any questions you might have. Come and meet with the schools of your choice.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

The Pregnancy Counseling Center is so excited to celebrate our 45th Year Anniversary with YOU!! We have an elegant and inspiring evening planned! The Gala will take place at the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library on Saturday, October 21,. Your invitation includes a self-guided tour of the Library, Air Force One, and the exciting Titanic Exhibit. Please consider sponsoring a table of ten for \$1,250 and bring your family and friends! For more information, please call (818-895-2500) and ask for Edy or email her at edy@pregnanthelp4u.org.

Healthy Tip of the Week

"Take care of your body.
It's the only place
you have to live."

Religious Education News!



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word is an extension of the main assembly's celebration of the Mass.

Watch for the banner in the Entrance Procession at the 9:00am Mass which means that the children will be dismissed to gather in the Kateri Room and hear simplified, age appropriate readings. They will reflect on what they've heard, profess their faith, offer prayers of the faithful and contribute to the collection basket (envelopes will be provided). Their collection basket will be presented during the Offertory. The children will return to their families in Church for the continued celebration of the Mass.

If you are interested in your child participating, have any questions, or would like to volunteer please contact Mrs. Cole: (818) 368-1514 / re@sjbdls.org

PARISH MINISTRY NEWS

RESPECT LIFE

RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY THIS YEARS THEME IS "BE NOT AFRAID"

Today on Respect Life Sunday, we pray for all who work for the Gospel of Life. Come visit us today in the pavilion for information on life issues and what the Life, Justice, and Peace committee is doing in the community. If you want to be part of this ministry call Nancy Corbett at 818-360-9430.

Alter Server Applications are now being accepted.

STUDENTS MUST BE IN THE FOURTH GRADE OR ABOVE, BAPTIZED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, AND HAVE RECEIVED FIRST COMMUNION.

Applications are to be completed and returned to the SRE/Parish Ministry Office by Sunday, October 8th. For information please contact Mrs. Cole in the Parish Ministry Office
re@sjbdls.org / (818) 368-1514.

PARISH TRAINING FOR NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister please contact Mrs. Cole in the Parish Ministry Office: re@sjbdls.org or (818) 368-1514.

DLS School News



School Student Non-Discrimination

The school, mindful of its mission to be a witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students regardless of race, color, national origin, and/or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, disability, medical condition, sex, or national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of educational policies and practices, scholarship programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs, although certain athletic leagues and other programs may limit participation and some archdiocesan schools operate as single-sex schools.

While the school does not discriminate against students with special needs, a full range of services may not always be available to them. Decisions concerning the admission and continued enrollment of a student in the school are based upon the student's emotional, academic, and physical abilities, and the resources available to the school in meeting the student's needs.

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Mrs. Larissa McKenna
Principal



Turn your grocery shopping into easy cash for De La Salle School. Just look for the Box Tops logo on hundreds of products that you probably already buy in almost every aisle of the store. All you need to do is clip and bring them to the School or Parish office. Each Box Top is worth 10¢ and supports our De La Salle School.



2017 Parish Festival is Scheduled for November 3rd, 4th, and 5th

The planning committee is already working hard. They are looking for **parishioners and school parents** who would like to donate their time to help make the year's festival a success.

Parishioners, this is a great way for you to get involved in your parish, plus meet new people, and bring your families.

For more information call the parish office at 818 -363 -2535.

The Parish Festival is our only Parish fundraiser and is a great way for you to help make our Parish community stronger

Silent Auction

“ Check your wallet! Dig through desk drawers! We NEED your stray gift cards! We're collecting partially used or unused gift cards for a new and exiting 2017 Fall Harvest Festival experience in the Silent Auction tent. Please drop off any gift cards at the Parish Office now through October 27th.
Thank You



FESTIVAL

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS

The 2017 Harvest Fall Festival is in need for items for our Silent Auction. We **are looking for**

"NEW" items only. Re-gifting new items are great too. If you have a special service, i.e: singing, dancing or piano lessons, facials, massage, restaurant, theater, skating, or any kind of gift certificate, we will happily use them as well.

Please bring donations to the Parish Office.

Fall Harvest Festival Sponsorships

We are looking for Sponsorships for our DLS 2017 Fall Harvest Festival. Banners of Sponsors will be displayed at the entrance of the festival for all to see. Your business will be advertised in the bulletin for three weeks after the Festival. For more information please contact the Parish Office at 818 363-2535 ext. 221. Your donation is tax deductible.

PARISH MINISTRIES AND DIRECTORY

Altar Servers	Ministry Office	368-1514
Anointing of the Sick	Parish Office	363-2535
Baptisms	Parish Office	363-2535
Bereavement	Deacon Sam Frias	363-2535
	Tracy Flores	
Bible Study	Tim Castagnola	620-9569
Eucharistic Ministers	Ministry Office	368-1514
Finance Council	Fr. Valera	363-2535
Hospitality	Ministry Office	368-1514
Lectors	Ministry Office	368-1514
Legion of Mary	Elisa Pazirandeh	368-1514
	Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.	
	Virgie Blanco	818 782-5644
	Saturday, 1:00 p.m.	
Liturgy Committee	Gerry McGrath	363-1326
Marriage Ministry	Elizabeth Moreno	363-2535
Media Ministry	Don Jacob	363-2535
	media@sjbdls.org	
Music Ministry		
	Director: Angelo Francisco	818 445-8771
	Adult Choir Rehearsal: Thursday, 7:15 p.m.	
	Youth Choir	Kim Consaga (805) 527-7491
	Handbell Choir	Tim Castagnola 832-9687
Parish Pastoral Council	Fr. Valera	363-2535
Parish Ministry Office	Mrs. Cole	368-1514
Respect Life Ministry	Nancy Corbett	360-9430
Religious Education Office		
	Director: 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	
	Youth Ministry/High School	
School		
	Principal: Mrs. McKenna	363-2270
	School Website: sjbdls.org	
	Pre-Kindergarten thru Grade 8	
	16535 Chatsworth Street	
	Granada Hills, CA 91344	
Sacristans	Kathy & Joe Bilotta	363-2535
Seniors	Marty Spehar	514-6572
Senior Trips	Sandy Muir	486-8011
St. Vincent de Paul	Randy Lewey	363-2535
St. Vincent de Paul large item pick up call		800 974-3571
Ushers	Ellen Celaya	363-2535

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