

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 22, 2017 Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

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-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 22, 2017**



“Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar,
and to God what belongs to God.”
— Matthew 22:21

**Presider Schedule
October 28th & October 29th**

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

This schedule is subject to change.

Parish Festival Raffle Tickets

**Be Sure To Turn In Your
Raffles Tickets To Be In The
Early Bird Ticket Drawing
To be held on
October 23rd and October 30th**

The raffle prizes are:

Grand Prize \$2000.00

Second Prize \$1000.00

Third Prize \$500.00.

Turn in your tickets to the Parish Office or in the Sunday Collection basket. Raffle tickets are on sale in the Pavilion after all the Masses today, and on weekdays in the Parish Office

Be sure to stop buy and get your tickets We appreciate your support.

**This is the Major fundraiser for the parish
and school, so we please respectfully ask
everyone to participate.**

Winner need not be present.

Social responsibility

Adult: How much responsibility do you feel the government should take for meeting the needs of the less fortunate in our society? How willing are you to contribute?

Child: Who needs help in your neighborhood or community? What could you and your family do to help?

The different sides of Caesar's coin

For this single mom, it's macaroni. Working three part-time jobs takes up the time that she would prefer spending making more nutritious meals for her two young daughters. And the challenge of stretching her few dollars to cover her family's expenses each month also limits the menu options. But it's those boxes of macaroni on the shelf that remind her everyday of the cycle of poverty she sees no way of breaking out of.

For this widower, it's the closet filled with his late wife's clothes. He can't bring himself to dispose of them. As long as they hang there, he feels he's still holding on to something of her. Theirs was a wonderful marriage - her final illness drew them even closer together. Her wardrobe and her few pieces of jewelry are his only joy in the midst of his loneliness and quandary as to what to do with the rest of his life.

For the teenager, it's his name - its culture and ethnicity are unmistakable. He works hard in school and at his job because he knows he will always be second to someone with a more "normal" sounding name, someone from a less "exotic" background. He will always be a little less "equal" than others; he will have to work harder to be noticed because not much will be expected from him. Despite the burden, he bears his name and heritage proudly.

There is a deeper issue in today's Gospel than just taxation. No one has ever liked to pay taxes, but in Gospel Palestine, taxes were a constant reminder to the Jews that they were paying tribute to a foreign power. Caesar's coin was an ugly sign of their powerlessness, the loss of their religious and national identity, the never-ending cycle of poverty and subjugation that strangled their lives. Today, Caesar's coin takes the form of anything that traps families in poverty or imprisons individuals in despair. In our own works of mercy and justice, we can help the poor, the broken, the abused and the lost break out of their tombs and prisons, rendering Caesar's coin useless in God's Kingdom where generosity and mercy are the coin of the realm.



**TODAY IS WORLD
MISSION SUNDAY**

a day that leads us to the heart
of our Christian faith, leads us
to mission! Your generosity on

World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests,
religious and lay leaders in the Mission who share
our faith with those most in need. Mission is at the
heart of our faith. Live your faith through your gift
in today's collection

Please pray for the recovery of:

Ernie Norris	Vazgen Balyezyan
Frank Gildore	Marie Melanie Martinez
Ken Bessenbacher	Gemma La Fondant
Stephanie Tiglaio	Alberta Sevilla
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
Nathalie Noverola Burgos	Jimmy DeVito
Jorge Ruiz	Teresa Vallejo
Loling Roa	Rosa Rodriquez
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	and all those in our
Gabriel Mowery	Prayer book.

Mass Intentions For The Week



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Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Olga Gonzales
	9:00 a.m.	De La Salle Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Corine Kirsch
	12:00 noon	Romeo Naldo
Monday	7:00 a.m.	Marcelino Cuidamad
Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	Sepi Fernando
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	Esminia Argote
	5:30 p.m.	Jeanine Noe D'elia
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Limneo Jorge Chunsim
Friday	7:00 a.m.	Cialito Lazado
Saturday	7:30 a.m.	Susan J. Angus
	5:00 p.m.	Christina de Lemos

In Memoriam

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

***Loling Roa, Teresita Pendon
Leovijlido Quijano Medina, and
Fernando Domingo Quijano Medina***

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



Product recall notices

Children use a lot of gear – from toys and sports equipment to technology. For parents, this means keeping an eye on product recalls. Recalls alert consumers to an unsafe feature or defect that could cause harm, and offer the opportunity to have that defect corrected, or a new product shipped out. Parents can use product recall search engines and online checklists to keep an eye on their children's toys and take action if any recalls are issued.

For a copy of the VIRTUS© article
“Stay Up-to-Date on Product Recalls,” visit:
<http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>
or call (213) 637-7508.

San Fernando Mission Catholic Cemetery & Mortuary

invites you to their annual All Souls Day Mass
On Thursday, November 2nd, at 10:00 a.m.,
at the outside alter between the two
mausoleums. Please join us to celebrate
all of our loved ones who are in heaven.



DE LA SALLE FRIENDSHIP CLUB FOR SENIORS

Join us this

Wednesday, October 25th,

from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Seton Hall.

Nourishing hot lunches are served.

Many activities are planned for the year
including trips to Laughlin. For more
information regarding these trips contact

Sandy Muir at: 818- 486-8011.



Healing Mass

***Jesus Christ is the same yesterday,
today, and forever***

Celebrant: **Father Ramon Valera**
Administrator, St. John Baptist De La Salle

Wednesday, October 25th, 7:15 p.m.
At St. John Eudes in Chatsworth



CHRISTMAS 65 DAYS
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.



Foster Care & Adoption
St. Jerome Emiliani

A military captain, Jerome fought valiantly in war until he was captured and imprisoned. He experienced a radical conversation in prison, and upon his release, began welcoming war orphans into his home. He embraced these orphans and the poor with love.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

**PART-TIME
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
POSITION AVAILABLE**

The Pregnancy Counseling Center has an open paid part-time position for Administrative Assistant.

Applicants should have a heart for this ministry-minded clinic. Bilingual in Spanish and strong computer skills are preferred.

Please e-mail your resume and cover letter to norma@pregnanthelp4u.org or call (818) 895-2500.

PARISH WEBSITES

Please visit them often for up-to-date information and schedules.

The only official websites for
St. John Baptist De La Salle are:
PARISH/CHURCH www.sjbdls.com
SCHOOL www.sjbdls.org

Stewardship

St. John Baptist de la Salle

October 8, 2017

Collection: \$ 17,530.00

Thank you for your generosity.

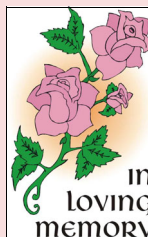


Boy Scout Troop 415 will be taking orders for Christmas wreaths after the **7:30 a.m.** and **9:00 a.m.** masses **TODAY and October 29th.**

The wreaths will be available between November 30th, and December 3rd, for pickup. The Troop will be distributing purchased wreaths after the masses on December 3rd. Proceeds From the wreath sales will provide funds for the boys to attend summer camp in 2018.

Additionally the Scouts will be collecting non-perishable food for local food banks **on Sunday, October 29th.**

Thank you in advance for your support.

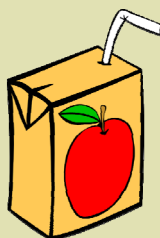


MEMORIAL MASS
ST JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE

Bereavement Ministry
invites you to share in celebrating
the memories of your loved ones
who have passed away between
**November 1, 2016 to
October 31, 2017.**

**Please join us on Sunday, November 5th
at the 12:00 noon Mass.**

All are welcome!



**Healthy Tip
of the Week**

Apple juice and other
"fruit" juices could have more
calories than soda.

Many times they consist of
only food coloring, flavorings
and all that sugar so opt for cutting up
or squeezing fresh fruits to use for juice,
or just plain good eating.
Let's not sugar coat what we consume!

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 Kate-ri 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.

OCIA

(Order of Christian Initiation for Adults)

THE FIRST RITE

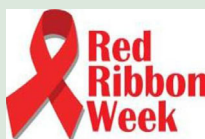
The Rite of Welcome, the first public Rite of OCIA, will take place at

DLS today, at the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

During this Rite, the Inquirers publicly declare their intention to continue their journey toward full initiation into our Faith Community. We accept them and offer our support, witness, and prayer during their journey.

For the receiving of the Inquirers, the community goes out of Church in procession and song, to greet the Inquirers who are waiting outside to be invited into the community. The procession into the Church building marks their first passage into the worship and life of our De La Salle Community. After the priest calls each by name, they will tell us what they are asking of our Church. Once the community accepts them, the Inquirers publicly affirm their desire to follow the way of the Gospel. The Sponsors then sign the Inquirers' senses, strengthening them for their new way of life. They are presented with a personal Bible, which serves as a foundation text for their formation. Following the prayers of petition, they are dismissed to focus specifically on the issues of Catholic Christian life as they emerge in the "Breaking Open of the Word."

DLS School News



Red Ribbon Week (RRW) October 23rd through 27th

is an alcohol, tobacco, and other drug, and violence prevention awareness campaign observed annually in October in the United States. Each year De La Salle School students, faculty, and staff join together and pledge to be drug free! Be Strong, Be True, Be You, Drug Free!



Why Can't I Dip the Consecrated Host into the Consecrated Wine?

One ancient symbol of unity and love in many cultures is sharing food from the same plate and drinking from the same cup. This human symbolism is reflected in the divine realities of the Communion Rite at Mass. In the United States the norm for reception of Holy Communion is under both kinds. The preferred form to receive the Blood of Christ is to drink directly from the chalice.

Communion by intinction, (dipping the host into the Precious Blood) is a form of self service and is **Not Allowed**. Liturgical tradition prescribes that the Eucharist is to be ministered by a Priest or a designated Eucharistic Minister. Receiving the host is sufficient if you don't receive the Precious Blood. As soon as you receive the host in your hand you must consume it **Immediately**. The Mass is a meal in which God nourishes his people again and again.

PARISH MINISTRY NEWS

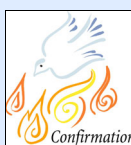
Eucharistic Ministers



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 / (818) 368-1514.

CONFIRMATION



CONFIRMATION 2019

Please pray for our Confirmation 2019 Students as they make their Formation Retreat next Sunday, October 29th. Students are to check in at Seton Hall at 11:30am and will attend the 12:00 noon Mass (reserved seating). The Retreat Master will be Fr. Norman Supancheck, from Alemany High School.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE 2017 FALL HARVEST FESTIVAL

Friday, November 3rd
6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 4th
12:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 5th
1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

RIDES* GAMES* FOOD
LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
SILENT AUCTION
GRAND RAFFLE

**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
exciting 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

**Silent
Auction**

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 busi-
ness 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 dona-
tion 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		363-2535
St. Vincent de Paul large item pick up call		800 974-3571
Ushers	Ellen Celaya	363-2535

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