

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE

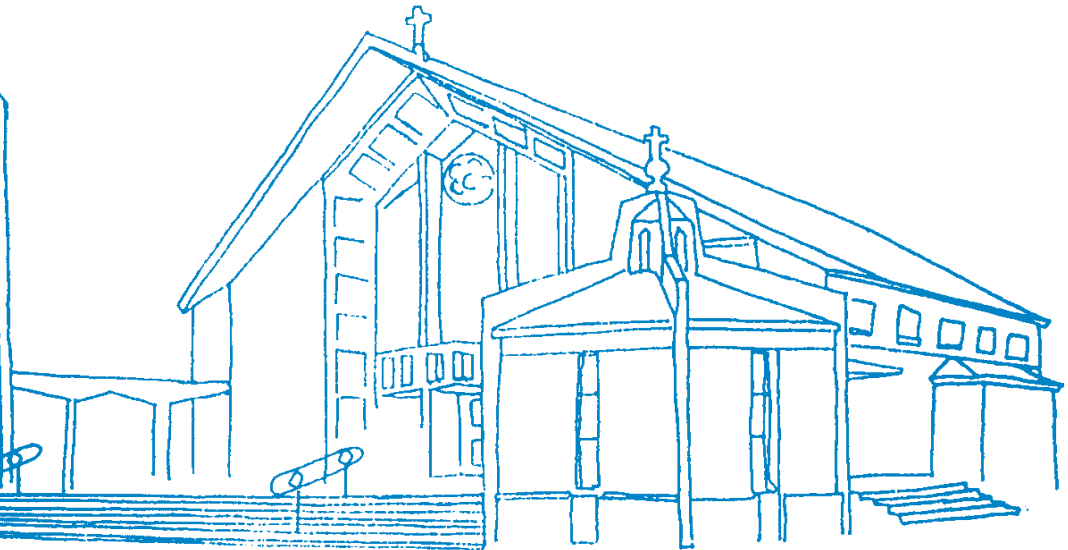
16555 Chatsworth Street, Granada Hills, CA. 91344

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



ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JUNE 16, 2013

Rev. Robert Milbauer..... **Pastor**
Rev. Altaire Fernandez.....**Associate Pastor**
Rev. Thumma Velangini**Assisting Priest**
Rev. Deacon Sam Frias**Deacon**

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

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

Parish Business Manager: Mrs. Karen Tibbitts 363-2535
Religious Education Director: Mrs. Sandy Cole 368-1514
School Principal: Miss Monica Castaneda 363-2270
School Office: 818 363-2270 **Fax:** 818 832-8950

PARISH OFFICE: 10738 Hayvenhurst Ave.
Granada Hills, CA. 91344

SCHOOL OFFICE 16535 Chatsworth St.
Granada Hills, CA 91344

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 or call for an appointment. At least six months advance notice is required.

Information on the Priesthood, Diaconate or Religious Life: Contact Msgr. Forsen 213 637-7728 or www.LAVocations.org

JUNE 16, 2013
ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me.
—Galatians 2:20

June 22nd and 23rd

Mass Time

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, 7:30 a.m.

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, 12 Noon

Celebrant

Fr. Thumma

Fr. Fernandez

Fr. Milbauer

Fr. Kirsch

Fr. Thumma



FATHER'S DAY
Father's Day is TODAY.

Father's Day cards are available in the pews and the vestibule of the Church.

Please take only one card per family as they are limited.

Return the printed envelopes to us so that all your intentions will be remembered in the Novena of Masses beginning on Father's Day.

HOPE AND FORGIVENESS

There were some interesting conceptions of sin prevalent in the time of the Hebrew scriptures. There was the belief that God punished sin immediately. Those who suffered disease or misfortune were, therefore, sinners getting their due from the Almighty.

Today's first reading hints at another kind of God. When David admits his sin, Nathan declares, "The LORD on his part has forgiven your sin" (2 Samuel 12:13b). Here was not a vengeful God but a merciful God. What good news that must have been to David and those who, like him, could be honest enough to admit their sinfulness!

Jesus is the good news of God's mercy and forgiveness incarnate. Without Jesus, perhaps the Good News would have been too good to believe, too difficult to imagine. But there he is in today's Gospel, the God-man, forgiving a sinner and declaring that she is forgiven because of her great love.

There is hope, then, for the rest of us sinners, if only we love enough!

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THE COURAGE TO FORGIVE

Adult: Whom does your Christian faith call you to forgive right now? How hard will this be for you?

Child: When is it hard for you to forgive someone who has hurt you? What can help you forgive?

Ego check

Sometimes the most appreciated response to an act of kindness is quiet, grateful acceptance.

The great cellist Yo-Yo Ma says he learned that lesson while touring Namibia a few years ago. After a company of African dancers and musicians performed for him, Ma wanted to reciprocate and took out his cello to play for them. But Ma remembers with a laugh, "They said, 'Stop. Don't play. We want to play for you.' It was hubris on my part to bring my cello. They didn't give a d---."

The experience was a lesson in humility for the renowned musician.

"To be a good performer," you have to have a strong ego," Ma says. "But to be a really good performer, you have to make sure your ego is not the center. To play Beethoven, you have to figure out who he was, and how that's encoded in the music. And then you have to realize you are not Beethoven."

[Newsday.]

The story of the woman who washes the feet of Jesus at the home of Simon the Pharisee is a lesson in both humility and gratitude. Pharisee and sinner stand as equals before God: We all have been given much by God - and we have countless opportunities to express our gratitude by giving and forgiving as God gives and forgives us. The woman in today's Gospel becomes the model of such a grateful response made in faith-filled praise for the forgiveness and compassion of God she has received. As Yo-Yo Ma discovers, humility enables us to welcome into our lives the gifts of God offered by others with gratitude and respect. And it is in embracing that sense of gratitude and humility that we come to appreciate the gifts we have and the talents we possess and to use those gifts and talents to live fulfilling and meaningful lives.

FATHERHOOD

My father didn't tell me how to live;
he lived, and let me watch him do it.

—Clarence Budington Kelland



FAREWELL
FATHER ALTAIRE FERNANDEZ

Father Altaire will celebrate his last Sunday Mass as our Associate Pastor, **Sunday, June 30th, at the 12 Noon Mass.** There will be a reception in Seton Hall following the Mass.
Everyone is invited.

Please pray for the recovery of:

Wayne Oliver, Jennifer Norris, Rodolfo Feliciano, Steve Mitchell, Anna Balanides, Lulu Bucci, Bonnie Bell, Desiree Velazquez, Joy Ordway, Don Mac Adam, Lloyd Hall, Gigi Diclemente, Paul Franck, Sr., Judy Olague, Sonia Hernandez, Vienna Arevalo, Tina Alunni, Mario Veloz, Deanne Elsey, Timothy Barnett, Christine Barnett, Amaya Amador, Robert Guevara, Rosario Saddul, Julie Trent, Gaby Galluccio, Baby Evan Hecker, Nilmini De Cross, Nellie Lozano, Evan Gabor, Mildred Ekstrom, Tom Catalano, Mary Noe, Walter Mynar, Teresita Mendoza, Mary Minnick, Clifford Rich, Barbara Parra-Leija, Rick Tribendis, Joey Mercado, Florencio Ciriaco, Geraldine Miller, Max Underwood, Suzanne Chapman, Loretta Hamilton, Rita Klauer, Neil LeVang, Gene Dodge, and all those in our Prayer Book.

OPPOSE MEASURERS THAT LEAVES MOST ABUSE VICTIMS WITHOUT RECOURSE

Victims in Public Institutions Left without Resource for Past Abuse

NOTE: SB 131 has now moved to the full Senate from committee. Even if you have already taken action on this alert, take action again now. This is a new round of voting and is another opportunity to stop this controversial bill.

SB 131 was supposedly introduced to help victims, protect children and prevent abuse contends its author, Senator Jim Beall (D-San Jose.) In reality, it will do nothing for the overwhelming majority of victims, shockingly little to most abusers and makes a mockery of equal protections under the law for victims of abuse.

Under SB 131, most victims will never get their day in court, because even though historically more than 90 percent of California school children attend public schools (and the majority of abuse outside the home takes place in schools), existing law protects public schools, city rec leagues and other local governments from being sued for any abuse that took place before 2009.

No state agency can ever be sued if a claim for damages isn't made within six months of any abuse. Nothing in SB 131 changes that. SB 131 also does nothing on the criminal side. It doesn't create longer sentences for abusers or extend the criminal statute of limitations.

What it does is effectively eliminate the statute of limitations against private schools, private companies and non-profits that work with children and young people. It targets only private employers such as churches, youth leagues, YMCA, foster homes and private schools by eliminating the statute of limitations for the civil liability of employers.

The California legislature already passed a similar measure 10 years ago which eliminated the statute of limitation for a one year window (2003) resulting in lawsuits against private and Catholic employers – some of which dated back more than 50 years. SB 131 would restart that process again.

The California Catholic Conference is opposing this bill, along with the YMCA/YWCA, the Police Athletic League, the California Council of Nonprofit Organizations, and other religious organizations and private schools.

Urge our State Senator, Alex Padilla, to vote no on SB 131 by mail: 6150 Van Nuys Blvd., Suite 400, Van Nuys 91401: or call him at 818 901-5588: or his website at sd20.senate.ca.gov



Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Gerri Porlier
Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Gene Hildebrant
	9:00 a.m.	De La Salle Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Father's Day Novena
	12:00 noon	Gary Huffman
Monday	7:00 a.m.	Father's Day Novena
Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	Father's Day Novena
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	Father's Day Novena
	5:30 p.m.	Karen Frias Fitzgerald
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Father's Day Novena
Friday	7:00 a.m.	Father's Day Novena
Saturday	7:30 p.m.	Father's Day Novena
	5:00 p.m.	Don Long

Please pray for all who have died and their families. Remember especially

Evelyn Calori & Judy Olague

may God welcome them to the eternal kingdom of light and peace.

Life has changed, not ended...



**SAVE THE DATE
SUNDAY-JUNE 23, 2013
DE LA SALLE BLOOD DRIVE**

Today **June 16th** we will have sign-ups for the Blood Drive after all masses in the Pavilion.

You can only give blood every two months.



ADULT CHOIR ENDS SINGING SEASON 2012

Next Sunday will be the final 10:30 a.m. Choir Mass until September. Our heartfelt thanks to all the generous members of our fine Choir, who have sung steadily since last September. We wish them a well earned rest from rehearsals every Thursday night and faithful singing every Sunday at 10:30 Mass. Many thanks to talented accompanist, Karen Brown, who will be moving on in her career after 2 wonderful years here. And special thanks to Gerry McGrath, now celebrating her 59th year as founder/director!

Have a great summer, Choir, and PLEASE come back to us in the Fall!





DE LA SALLE CHURCH AND SCHOOL SCRIP PROGRAM

We carry scrip (gift cards) for many department, electronic, and home improvement stores including Macy's, Best Buy, Gap, Old Navy, Sears, J.C. Penny's, Lowes, and Home Depot. We also carry scrip for specialty stores including Bath and Body, Jamba Juice, Starbucks, Sees Candy, and Toys R Us.

For your dining needs we have scrip for many fine restaurants including Red Lobster, Macaroni Grill, Olive Garden, Outback, and for people on the go Denny's, Coco's, Pizza Hut, and Chili's. We have fast food restaurants: 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.

Stop by the Parish Office to view our scrip list and purchase your scrip. Our office hours are Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. It is convenient, quick, and it **raises funds** for our church and school.

**Thank you for your continued support
of our Scrip Ministry.**

Parish Ministry News

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER & ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULES

Eucharistic Minister and Altar Server Schedules for July – December have been e-mailed. If you have not received your schedule, please contact the Parish Ministry Office at re@sjbdls.org or (818) 368-1514.

**Rev. Stephen Davoren
Director of The Office for Vocations
Archdiocese of Los Angeles
From Policeman to The Pulpit!**

**MAGNIFICAT -
A Ministry to Catholic Women Prayer Meal
July 27th, at 10:00 AM
Odyssey Restaurant
15600 Odyssey Dr., Granada Hills**

Rev. Davoren will officially become the Director of The Office for Vocations early July and Magnificat is delighted to welcome him as our guest speaker July 27. Come hear Rev. Davoren's amazing story of growing up in a large Southern Californian family, his service as an L. A. Police officer and Sheriff, then receiving the call to serve our Lord.

**Bring your parish priest, husbands,
brothers, and sons!**

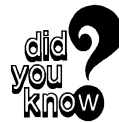
Mail "Magnificat" check for \$26 by July 15th to 17836 Oakrock Ct., Granada Hills, CA 91344. After deadline \$30. Questions? Pat Dunlap 818-346-5460. On-line reservations www.magnificatsfv.org



**St. John Baptist de la Salle
June 2, 2013**

Collection: \$ 19,277.23

Thank you for your generosity.



PLAYING IT SAFE WHEN THE HEAT IS ON

The hottest months of summer are here, and many children will be playing sports and participating in other activities outdoors. Make sure their summer camp supervisors and coaches know how to recognize and properly treat the signs of heat-related problems in children, including confusion; dilated pupils; dizziness; fainting; headache; heavy perspiration; nausea; pale and moist or hot, dry skin; weak pulse; and weakness. Every summer sports program for children should have rules for playing it safe when the heat is on.

For a copy of the complete article "Playing it safe in the Summer Heat" please contact the Office of Safeguard the Children email: jvienna@la-archdiocese.org



TOGETHER IN MISSION

Together in Mission is a vital program of the local church that, through the great generosity of parishioners of the Archdiocese, provides much needed funds used for the financially disadvantaged 35 parishes and 52 schools operating in areas where their presence is so desperately needed.

This year our parish was assessed **\$89,555.20** for the Annual Together In Mission Appeal. We thank those of you have already contributed. Your generous gift is a demonstration of your understanding that we are all part of the larger Church, the Church beyond our parish.

To date we have received **\$55,905.20** in donations and pledges. We still need **\$33,650.00** in order to meet our assessed amount. If we do not meet the assessed amount the parish must write a check to cover the total. Please, those who have not yet made a donation we ask you to do so. Many of you should have received direct mail envelopes from Together in Mission.

**Remember - If we go over goal the parish
receives that amount back for use in our parish.**



Religious Education News!

S.R.E 2013/2014 REGISTRATION

New Religious Education Registrations are being accepted on a first come basis. Class space is limited.

A copy of the Baptismal certificate and Parish registration number are required upon registering.

Registrations are accepted in the SRE Office on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 7:30am to 2:00pm.

For information please e-mail or call the SRE office at re@sjbdls.org or (818) 368-1514.



CONFIRMATION 2015 REGISTRATION

The Sacrament of Confirmation requires a Confirmation two year preparation period which begins as the young person graduates from the 8th grade. Confirmation preparation is parish based and does NOT occur in the Catholic High Schools. To receive this Sacrament in the spring of 2015 at De La Salle, your student needs to be registered. New student registrations are being accepted on a first come basis. Class space is limited. **A copy of the Baptismal certificate, Sponsor information (name, address, phone number and e-mail) and Parish registration number are required upon registering.** Registrations are accepted in the SRE Office on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 7:30am to 2:00pm. For information please e-mail or call the SRE office at re@sjbdls.org or (818) 368-1514.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2013 GRADUATES!

We would like to recognize our four valedictorians, **Virginia Bean, Daniella Lara, Jason Mapili, and Olivia Thomas.**

These students have consistently displayed outstanding academic effort throughout their years here at De La Salle.

We wish them the best of luck in their future endeavors!

Graduates who received high school academic achievement honors:

Bishop Alemany High School
Honors at Entrance

Jason Mapili Warriors Honor Scholarship

Chaminade College Preparatory
Honors at Entrance

Patrick Mapile
Gregory Sias

DLS School News



School Fundraiser BOX TOPS



During the Summer, you can earn cash for DLS School by clipping Box Tops coupons from hundreds of participating products.

Please take them to the Parish Office.

2013 SUMMER SCHOOL/ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

When it comes time for summer vacation, it's important that your child doesn't take a total break from learning. Help your child avoid summer learning loss with our great enrichment program! We will be offering Math, English Language Arts, Science Experimentation, Computer Skills & Research Writing, Art, and Spanish.

This year our Summer School/Enrichment Program has teamed up with our Summer Camp Program.

The Summer School/Enrichment Program will begin Monday, July 8th and end on Friday, August 2nd. The program will begin at 8 a.m. and end at 12 noon. **Summer Camp** begins at 12 noon and ends at 5 p.m. **There is no extended care.**

Please call the school office for more information (818) 363-2270

School



DE LA SALLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

De La Salle School is WCEA/WASC accredited that begins from Transitional Kindergarten up to eighth grade. The community is faith filled and diverse. We are committed to Catholic Education which instills the students with the knowledge of the Catholic faith and Christian values. The faculty maintains their proficiency in educating the students with high level of expertise and utmost dedication to teaching.

De La Salle is accepting applications for Kindergarten thru 8th grade. We are delighted with the interest in our school and welcome all of our new families. Openings are still available but classes are filling up quickly.

If you are interested please call the school office at [\(818\) 363-2270](tel:8183632270).

Healthy Bites

WHAT TO AVOID AT A SALAD BAR

By Taryn Winter Brill, Everyday Health Staff Writer

You're at the salad bar, you have a beautiful **bed of greens** on your plate, and you want to keep it healthy. Here's what to do.

Avoid adding these five foods to your salad:

1. **Croutons.** They may be small, but they're typically filled with artificial colors, flavors, and preservatives. The majority of croutons found in restaurants are also made of refined grains, which means all of the vitamins and protein have been stripped from them. Adding croutons also means adding calories, so opt for a slice of whole wheat bread or a whole wheat roll instead.
2. **Sun-dried tomatoes.** What you're really adding to your salad is a ton of sodium. A half-cup can set you back almost 500 milligrams of sodium. Opt for fresh tomatoes instead.
3. **Candied nuts.** They're often **scattered on top of a salad** with beets or blue cheese. And they taste so good — because they're drenched in simple sugars! Candied nuts are also filled with fat, sodium, artificial colors, and flavors. So stick to unsalted, plain nuts like walnuts or almonds that contain **healthy fats** and will keep you full longer.
4. **Tortilla strips or wonton noodles.** Sure, they add great crunch to your salad, but they also add extra calories, sodium, and trans fats (they're often fried in oil). Instead, go for peppers or carrots for a tasty crunch without all those calories and fat.
5. **Shredded cheese.** A sprinkle of cheese won't hurt you, but many people throw on at least a half-cup, which can add up to a substantial number of calories. One cup of cheddar cheese has more calories and fat than a large serving of fries from McDonald's! If you're choosing cheese, pick a low-fat cheese and limit the **portion size** to the size of your thumb.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Our warmest welcome to all! We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the Parish. Please check the appropriate box and place in the collection basket or return to the Parish Office. *We thank God that you are with us.*

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

- New Parishioner, send registration form
- Change of address or phone number
- Moving, please remove from Parish Roster

PARISH MINISTRIES AND DIRECTORY

Altar Servers	Ministry Office	368-1514
Anointing of the Sick	Parish Office	363-2535
Banquet Facility		
Manager: Elizabeth Moreno		363-2535 x238
Baptisms	Parish Office	363-2535
Bereavement	Gloria Bodie	363-2535
	Dolores Garland	363-2535
Bible Study	Tim Castagnola	832-9687
Detention Ministry	Diane Slattery	368-1514
Eucharistic Ministers	Ministry Office	368-1514
Finance Council	Fr. Milbauer	363-2535
Hospital Ministry	Ministry Office	368-1514
Hospitality		368-1514
Lectors	Uli Eckel	368-1514
Legion of Mary	Brian Higginson	730-8584
	Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.	
	Saturday, 3:30 p.m.	
Liturgy Committee	Gerry McGrath	363-1326
Marriage Office	Sharon Mowery	363-2535 x224
Media Ministry	Don Jacob	363-2535
	media@sjbdls.org	
Music Ministry		
Director: Gerry Biggs McGrath		363-1326
Adult Choir Rehearsal: Thursday, 7:15 p.m.		
Youth Choir	Kim Consaga	(805) 527-7491
Handbell Choir	Tim Castagnola	832-9687
Nursing Ministry	Ministry Office	368-1514
Parish Pastoral Council	Fr. Milbauer	363-2535
Parish Ministry Office	Mrs. Cole	368-1514
Respect Life Ministry	Nancy Corbett	895-2500
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: Miss Monica Castaneda		363-2270
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	Diane Slattery	363-2535
St. Vincent de Paul large item pick up call		800 974-3571
Ushers	Ellen Celaya	363-2535
Parish Website: sjbdls.com		
Website email: Janie@sjbdls.org		