



GOD’S WORDS FOR TODAY (Mt. 1:18-25)

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew

This is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about. When his mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found with child through the Holy Spirit. Joseph her husband, since he was a righteous man, yet unwilling to expose her to shame, decided to divorce her quietly. Such was his intention when, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, “Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home. For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.” All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet:

Behold, the virgin shall be with child and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel,

which means “God is with us.” When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home. He had no relations with her until she bore a son, and he named him Jesus.

Reflection:

Do you hold on to the promises of God at all times, especially when you are faced with uncertainty or adversity? The prophets Jeremiah and Isaiah spoke words of hope in a hopeless situation for Israel. The Davidic dynasty was corrupt and unfit for a Messianic King. Apostates like King Ahaz and weaklings like occupied the throne of David. How could God be faithful to his promise to raise up a righteous King who would rule forever over the house of David? The prophets trusted that God could somehow “raise up a righteous shoot” from the stump of Jesse. Like the prophets we are called “in hope to believe against hope” that God can and will fulfill all his promises.

Let us pray:

Lord Jesus, you came to save us from sin and the power of death. May I always rejoice in your salvation and trust in your divine plan for my life. Amen.

St. John Baptist de La Salle...Pray for us!

Live Jesus in our Hearts.....Forever!

MISSION VISION

“To be a sign of faith as an excellent educational institution, sharing in the Lasallian mission of teaching minds, touching hearts and transforming lives.”

FROM THE OVCAR – GRADE SCHOOL COMMUNITY:

From the Assistant Principal

1. We are on the last day of the third quarterly assessment. Students are reminded to focus on the test and answer them properly. Oral exams for Nursery and Kinder will be done in January.

Nursery 1	Dec.18	Dismissal Time
7:00-7:40(1 st)	Assembly/	1 st – 8:40
9:20-9:40(2 nd)	Homeroom	2 nd – 10:40
7:40-8:40 (1 st)	Reading	
9:40-10:40 (2 nd)		
Nursery 2 & Kinder		
7:00-7:40(1 st)	Assembly/	1 st – 9:40
10:00-10:20 (2 nd)	Homeroom	2 nd – 12:20
7:40-8:40 (1 st)	Language Arts	
10:20-11:20(2 nd)		
8:40-9:40 (1 st)	Reading	
11:20-12:20 (2 nd)		
Grades 1-3		
7:00-7:40	Assembly/Homeroom	9:40
7:40-8:40	Filipino	
8:40-9:40	Science	
Grades 4-6		
7:10-7:40	Assembly/Homeroom	9:40
7:40-8:40	Filipino	
8:40-9:40	Science	

2. Thanks to the following classes for their generous support to our Mission Collection: G2 BG 108, G3 BB 205, and G4 BB 212.

3. During dismissal time, kindly arrange the chairs properly and pick up the litters inside the classroom and along the corridors. Always CLEAN AS YOU GO!
4. Our Class Christmas Party will be tomorrow, December 19 following the schedule below. Remember to have a simple yet enjoyable celebration with your classmates and teachers.

N1 1 st Session – 7:00-9:30 am	N1 2 nd Session – 11:00–1:30 pm
N2 & K 1 st Session – 7:00–10:00 am	N2 & K 2 nd Session – 11:00-2:00 pm
Grades 1–3 - 7:00 – 11:00 am	Grades 4–6 – 7:10 – 11:20 am
5. Christmas break begins on December 20 until January 4. Classes will resume on January 5, 2016.

FROM THE OVCAR –JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL COMMUNITY:

From the Assistant Principal

1. Exams today: 7:40 – 8:40 Math; 8:40 – 9:40 CLCE.
2. Parallel exams will be administered on January 11 – 13, 2016 for those who were not able to take the 3rd QA. Exam permit should be presented.
3. Student-athletes who were scheduled to take the 3rd QA on January 6 – 8 are also required to present exam permit.
4. Class Christmas parties will be tomorrow, December 19 from 7:20 – 12:00 NN. This day is considered a regular school day, so therefore, attendance is a requirement.
5. Classes will resume on January 5, 2016.
6. Faculty and staff will report on January 4, 2016.
7. All Junior HS Grade Moderators and Mr. Jojo Berana will meet today at 9:00AM in the AP Office. Thank you.
8. Due to the 2 days suspension of classes, we will forgo again the Lasallian Educators (LEd) Prayer Meeting in order to attend the missed requirements of the students and preparations of the Institutional Christmas Party. Let us be one in spirit of prayer that we may have a grace-filled Christmas and prosperous new year as we live the Lasallian mission in our daily life. Live Jesus in our hearts, forever!

FROM THE OVCAD – INSTITUTIONAL HEALTH SERVICES:

Date	Time	Medical	Dental
January 5, 2016	09:40am-10:40am 01:00pm- 02:00pm 02:00pm- 03:00pm	G9- LS 202 G9- LS 403	G4 - BB 311
January 6, 2016	08:00am- 09:00am 09:20am- 10:20am 09:40am-10:40am 02:00pm- 03:00pm	 G9- LS 302 G9 -LS 304	G1 - BB 110 G1 - BB 105
January 7, 2016	09:40am- 10:40am 02:00pm- 03:00pm	G9 -LS 401 G9 - LS 402	
January 8, 2016	08:00am- 09:00am 09:20am- 10:20am 09:40am- 10:40am 02:00pm- 03:00pm	 G9 -LS 303 G9 - LS 404	G1 - BB 112 G1 - BB 111

FROM THE OVCM- GUIDANCE OFFICE:

1. **For Grade 9 Homeroom Advisers, Subject Teachers and Students:** Please be informed that there will be Room-to-room Culture Fair Intelligence Test (CFIT) Result Interpretation to Grade 9 Students on January 05 – 08, 2016. Below is the schedule.

Date	Time	Section	Teacher
January 05 (Tuesday)	9:40 – 10:40 am	BM 102	Mr. Gerald Latayan
	2:00 – 3:00 pm	BM 101	
	3:00 – 4:00 pm	BM 100	
January 06 (Wednesday)	7:40 – 8:40 am	LS 402	Ms. Ellen Tapalla
	8:40 – 9:40 am	LS 204	Mr. Gerald Latayan
	9:40 – 10:40 am	LS 401	
	11:00 – 12:00 nn	LS 302	Ms. Ellen Tapalla
	1:00 – 2:00 pm	BM 103	
	9:40 – 10:40 am	LS 203	
	11:00 – 12:00 nn	LS 202	

	1:00 – 2:00 pm	LS 301	
	2:00 -3:00 pm	LS 404	
January 08 (Friday)	7:40 – 8:40 am	LS 304	Mr. Darius Cantos
	8:40 – 9:40 am	LS 403	Ms. Ellen Tapalla
	9:40 – 10:40 am	LS 303	Mr. Gerald Latayan
	1:00 – 2:00 pm	LS 201	Ms. Lanie Gutierrez
	2:00 – 3:00 pm	BM 104	Mr. Darius Cantos

2. **For Grade 10 Homeroom Advisers, Subject Teachers and Students:** Please be informed that there will be a room – to – room interpretation of Otis Lennon School Ability Test (OLSAT) to Grade 10 classes on January 5 – 12, 2016. Below is the schedule.

DATE	TIME	SECTION	TEACHER
January 5, 2016 (Tuesday)	1:00 – 2:00	MM 201	Mr. Melo
	2:00 – 3:00	MM 204	Mr. Melo
January 6, 2016 (Wednesday)	7:40 – 8:40	BM 204	Ms. Obeña
	8:40 – 9:40	BM 206	Ms. Remo
	9:40 – 10:40	BM 205	Ms. Obeña
	2:00 – 3:00	CMR 205	Ms. Obeña
January 7, 2016 (Thursday)	7:40 – 8:40	CMR 202	Ms. Remo
	8:40 – 9:40	CMR 201	Ms. Remo
	9:40 – 10:40	CMR 204	Ms. Obeña
	1:00 – 2:00	BM 201	Ms. Atienza
	2:00 – 3:00	BM 105	Ms. Atienza
January 8, 2016 (Friday)	8:40 – 9:40	CMR 203	Mr. Melo
	11:00 – 12:00	BM 202	Ms. Atienza
	1:00 – 2:00	MM 202	Mr. Melo
January 11, 2015 (Monday)	8:40 – 9:40	MM 203	Mr. Melo
	9:40 – 10:40	CMR 206	Ms. Remo
January 12, 2015 (Tuesday)	1:00 – 2:00	BM 203	Ms. Obeña

3. **Looking Ahead:**

January 11-15	Grade 5 CPQ Administration
January 11&18	Grades 7-10 Structured Homeroom
January 11-22	Grade 8 PACT- POIS and OLSAT Interpretation
January 13-15	Grade 4 CFIT Interpretation
January 12 &19	Grades 4-6 Structured Homeroom
January 18 - 22	Grade 1 Kuhlman – Anderson Test
January 25 - 29	Grade 2 Kuhlman – Anderson Test

FROM THE OVCM – SPORTS OFFICE:

1. **To all Lasallian students:** You are invited to watch the Shakeys Volleyball League 13th season International Championship today at the SENTRUM. Entry fee is only Php 50.00. The schedule of games is as follows:

December 18, 2015

1:00 pm – Japan vs USA

3:00 pm – Philippines A represented by DLSL vs Philippines B National University

7:00 pm – Malaysia vs. USA

December 19, 2015

1:00 pm – Philippines B vs. USA

3:00 pm – Japan vs. Malaysia

7:00 pm – Philippines A vs. USA

Championship game will be held on December 20, Sunday 1:00 – 7:00 pm.

2. **To all athletes who are qualified for STCAA 2016:** Athletes' permission form for STCAA 2016 is now available at the Sports Office. Kindly get and settle all your forms. Submission of the filled-up form is on Saturday. Failure to submit the form will mean no pull out. Start of pull out is on January 5, 2016.