

## **Prayers of the Faithful**

God, our loving parent, who gives us comfort and hope, we pray to you as we prepare to begin high school. Watch over us and protect us in whatever we do.

We pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

God of Wisdom, We pray for the administration, faculty, staff, and priests of “St. Bridget of Sweden School” who have taken part in our growth during these past 9 years.

We pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

God of Love, We pray for our parents, that they continue to guide and nurture us as we grow and may they know how much we love and appreciate them.

Let us pray to the Lord

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

God of Hope, We pray that we, the graduating Class of 2024, may have the courage to share our gifts with those who need them. May we be free to shape a future of peace and justice for all.

We pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Gentle God, We pray for our friends who have shared with us, over these many years, all the laughter, tears, heartaches and happiness: that they may know how much we love and cherish them.

We pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Healing God, We pray for the sick of our community, and for all our friends and relatives who are ill. Help them to feel your healing presence.

We pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

God of Compassion, We pray for those in our families and in our school and parish community who have died and are now in God’s presence forever. Teach us to be comforters of one another.

We pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Forgiving God, we pray for forgiveness in all our failings and for the courage to make a new start.

Let us pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Generous God, we pray for all our needs-those in our hearts and for all those in our home-school-parish community.

Let us pray to the Lord.

**All:** Lord, hear our prayer.

## **Presentation of the Gifts**

-Diplomas: Alivia Carram

-Bread: Kasandra Arias

-Wine: Rosemary Garzon

## **Eucharist**

## **Final Blessing**

**Conferring of Diplomas-** Father Jeejo, Mr. Hernandez & Mr. Guillen

**Thank You Address (Valedictorian)** –Ivan DeSantiago

**Presentation of Roses-** Graduates

**Presentation of the Class of 2024** -Mr. Hernandez

## **Recession of Graduates**



**Kasandra Arias**  
Alemany High School

**Justin Ayala**  
VAAS High School

**Alivia Carram**  
Notre Dame High School

Hear, O LORD, the sound of my call; have pity on me, and answer me.  
Your presence, O LORD, I seek. Hide not your face from me.

**R.** The Lord is my light and my salvation.

I believe that I shall see the bounty of the LORD in the land of the living.  
Wait for the Lord with courage; be stouthearted, and wait for the LORD.

**R.** The Lord is my light and my salvation.

**2nd Reading - 1 Timothy 4:12-16** -Giselle Ruano

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to Timothy,

Let no one have contempt for your youth,\* but set an example for those who believe, in speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity.

Until I arrive, attend to the reading,\* exhortation, and teaching.

Do not neglect the gift you have, which was conferred on you through the prophetic word\* with the imposition of hands of the presbyterate.<sup>i</sup>

Be diligent in these matters, be absorbed in them, so that your progress may be evident to everyone.

Attend to yourself and to your teaching; persevere in both tasks, for by doing so you will save both yourself and those who listen to you.

**The Word of the Lord.**



**Kaylee Cojanis**  
St. Genevieve High School

**Logan Conquer**  
VAAS High School

**Tristin De La Rosa**  
Cleveland High School

**Gospel -Matthew 13:44-46**

A reading from the Gospel according to Matthew,

“The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field,\* which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant searching for fine pearls. When he finds a pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it.

**The Gospel of the Lord**



**Ivan DeSantiago**  
St. Genevieve High School

**Abraham Domingo**  
Alemany High School

**Luca Escobedo**  
Notre Dame High School

**Homily -Father Jeejo**

**Welcome Address (Salutatorian) -Alivia Carram**  
**Processional Song -Pomp and Circumstance (Elijah Papa)**  
**1st Reading -Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 -Luca Escobedo**

A Reading from the book of Ecclesiastes,

There is an appointed time for everything,  
and a time for every affair under the heavens.  
A time to give birth, and a time to die;  
a time to plant, and a time to uproot the plant.  
A time to kill, and a time to heal;  
a time to tear down, and a time to build.  
A time to weep, and a time to laugh;  
a time to mourn, and a time to dance.  
A time to scatter stones, and a time to gather them;  
a time to embrace, and a time to be far from embraces.  
A time to seek, and a time to lose;  
a time to keep, and a time to cast away.  
A time to rend, and a time to sew;  
a time to be silent, and a time to speak.  
A time to love, and a time to hate;  
a time of war, and a time of peace.  
What profit have workers from their toil?  
I have seen the business that God has given to mortals to be busied about.  
God has made everything appropriate to its time, but has put the timeless\*  
into their hearts so they cannot find out, from beginning to end, the work  
which God has done.

**The Word of the Lord.**

**Responsorial Psalm -Psalm 27 -Tristan De La Rosa**

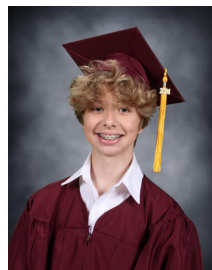
**R.** The Lord is my light and my salvation.

The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom should I fear? The Lord is  
my life's refuge; of whom should I be afraid?

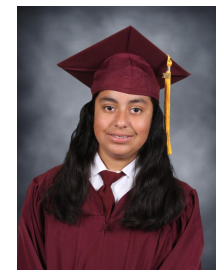
**R.** The Lord is my light and my salvation.

One thing I ask of the LORD; this I seek: To dwell in the house of the  
LORD all the days of my life, That I may gaze on the loveliness of the  
LORD and contemplate his temple.

**R.** The Lord is my light and my salvation.



**Marcus Flowers**  
Chaminade High School



**Rosemary Garzon**  
Alemany High School



**Manuel Morales**  
Alemany High School



**Tyler Ngo**  
Alemany High School



**Christian Ortega**  
St. Genevieve High School



**Emilio Pinzon**  
St. Genevieve High School



**Andrew Rollins**  
St. Genevieve High School



**Giselle Ruano**  
Louisville High School



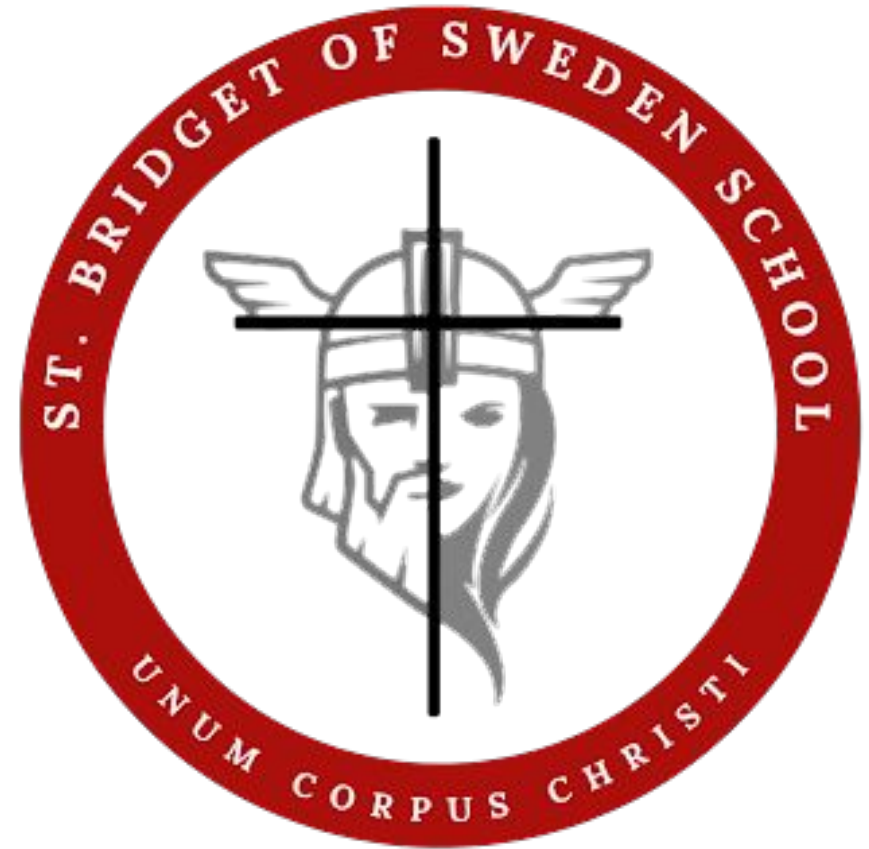
**Valeria Urbina**  
St. Genevieve High School



**Gunner  
Urquidez-Donaldson**  
Notre Dame High School



**Dante Valdez**  
Alemany High School



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the world."*

*Class of*

**2024**

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St. Bridget of Sweden School  
Mr. Hernandez Principal*