



Notre Dame High School  
CLASS OF  
**2021**  
*Commencement  
Ceremony*

May 29, 2021



**NOTRE DAME** HIGH SCHOOL  
CLASS OF 2021 | COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY



❧ Class of 2021 ❧

# Graduation Program

PROCESSIONAL	<i>"Pomp and Circumstance"</i>
MASTER OF CEREMONIES	Mrs. Tina Hernandez <i>Director of Activities</i>
INVOCATION	Fr. Paul Schmidt, S.V.D. <i>Campus Chaplain &amp; ND Alumnus</i>
FLAG SALUTE	Ms. Leann Qui <i>Executive Council Sergeant at Arms</i>
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Dr. Clinton White <i>Head Athletic Trainer &amp; Associate AD</i>
WELCOME/ FIRST PITCH	Mr. Ryan Johnston   <i>President</i> Dr. Samuel Torres <i>Superintendent of Catholic Schools</i> Joshua Castillo-Rodriguez <i>Senior Varsity Baseball Catcher</i>
FACULTY ADDRESS FAITH	Mrs. Brigitte Trevino-Zapata <i>Theology Department</i>
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ADDRESS	Ms. Madeline Wolesky <i>Executive Council ASB President</i>
SENIOR CLASS PRESIDENT ADDRESS	Ms. Olyssa Valadez <i>Senior Class ASB President</i>
SONG FOR THE CLASS OF 2021	Ms. Kyla Fausto <i>"I'll Always Remember You"</i>
FACULTY ADDRESS SCHOLARSHIP	Mr. Alex Beechko <i>Science Department</i>



❧ Class of 2021 ❧

# Graduation Program

SALUTATORY  
ADDRESS

Ms. Xuan Lai  
*Class of 2021 Salutatorian*

FACULTY ADDRESS  
COMMUNITY

Mr. Jason Webb  
Fine Arts Department

VALEDICTORY  
ADDRESS

Ms. Bailey Marcelino  
*Class of 2021 Valedictorian*

SENIOR CLASS  
ADDRESS

Mrs. RaeAnna Ashton | *Principal*  
*"Let it Be"*

READING OF  
DIPLOMAS

Mr. Christopher Johnson | *Assistant Principal*  
Mrs. Roxana Losón | *Assistant Principal*

AWARDING OF  
DIPLOMAS

Mrs. RaeAnna Ashton  
Dr. Samuel Torres

INSPIRATIONS &  
PRESENTATIONS

Senior Class ASB &  
Executive Council Senior ASB  
Max Anderson, Adalia Benard, Angelica Cortez,  
Alyssa Fletes, Steven Fletes, Benjamin Gonzalez  
Joselyn Martinez, Leann Qui, Izabel Solis,  
Olyssa Valadez, Tyler Van Wagenen &  
Madeline Wolesky

CLOSING  
PRAYER

Ms. Joselyn Martinez  
*Senior Class ASB Representative*

NOTRE DAME  
ALMA MATER

Senior Class ASB &  
Executive Council Senior ASB

PRESENTATION OF  
THE CLASS OF 2021

Mrs. RaeAnna Ashton | *Principal*

RECESSIONAL  
SONG

*"Forever"*



❧ Class of 2021 ❧

## Student Speakers



### Bailey Marcelino | Valedictorian

Hello! My name is Bailey Marcelino, and I am this year's valedictorian. I have attended Catholic school my whole life and have enjoyed my time at Notre Dame High School, especially with Student Ambassadors and Peer Ministry; outside of school, I am the Social Media Co-Chair for the Riverside Youth Grantmakers. However, something I enjoy doing in my free time is dancing. Upon graduating this year, I will be attending UC Irvine as a Regents' Scholar to study Criminology, and I plan on becoming a forensic psychologist. I am so excited to further my education, although, unfortunately, I will be farther away from my amazing family.

### Xuan Lai | Salutatorian

Hello! My name is Xuan Lai, 2nd of four heirs to the Lai family throne. During my time at Notre Dame, I participated in clubs such as Environmental Club, Educators Rising, Youth Grantmakers, and Girls Basketball. In the fall, I will be attending the University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) as a Microbiology & Immunology major.





❧ Class of 2021 ❧

## *Student Speakers*



### Madeline Wolesky | EC President

Hi my name is Madeline Wolesky and I have loved my experience here at Notre Dame as an ASB member and soccer player. I want to thank Notre Dame for being my second home and for all the wonderful people I have met. Thank you to my family for the amazing love and support every step of the way. I am beyond excited to attend Gonzaga University in the fall with a major in nursing!!

### Olyssa Valadez | Senior Class President

Hi! I am Olyssa Valadez your Senior Class ASB President. I participated in multiple extracurricular activities such as ASB, tennis, and mock trial. In the fall I will be attending the University of California, Riverside.







Class of 2021

# Graduate Names

Anthony Acuna	Seth Fox	Charles Krupp §
Max Anderson	Daniel Gamez	Xuan Lai §
Daniel Angulo	Paulina Gilbert	Yan-Rong Lee §
Jack Barnes*	Emma Gilliam	Junyue Li
Angelique Barr §	Adam Goergen*	Xiang Li
Alonzo Baysa §	Seth Goergen*	Mia Liera
Adalia Benard §	Lauren Gomez*	Amaris Lopez-Solis §
Girolomo Bevinetto•	Benjamin Gonzalez §	Audrey Luna•
Samuel Castaneda	Stephanie Gonzalez §	Yueding Mao
Joshua Castillo-Rodriguez*	Vincent Gonzalez	Bailey Marcelino §
Isaiah Chavelas	Patrick Guidry	Joselyn Martinez §
Jocelyn Clark•	Jericho Guintu §	Kylie Martinez
Kennedy Copeland*	Yanshan Guo	Mitchell Mendoza §
Angelica Cortez•	Janelle Hamoy•	Lucy Mumford §
Anthony Crochet §	Sang He	Anne Nguyen §
Adam Cruz	Hannah Hensche•	Nicole Nist•
Allison Cube*	Alex Hernandez	Isaac Nocon §
Sarah Davidson	Jorge Isaac Hernandez	Brooklyn Ochoa
Aleesha Davis*	Jorge Ulises Hernandez	Eddivray Olivas-Lechuga
Ava De Haro •	Andres Herrera §	Phillip Olivier §
Michael DeGennaro*	Yicheng Huang*	Leroy Orozco
Joshua Doran•	Devin Hudak*	Sean Osei §
Kyla Fausto*	Jiaqi Jin	Amber Patino*
Alyssa Fletes §	Tyler Jorgenson	Feiyi Peng
Steven Fletes	Angelo Kempis	Matthew Pensick*

\*Cum Laude

• Magna Cum Laude

§ Summa Cum Laude

*Based on seventh semester standings. Inclusion in class listing does not guarantee graduate status.*



Class of 2021

# Graduate Names

Leann Qui §

Devin Ramirez•

Julian Ramirez

Luke Riggs §

Wyatt Rodarte\*

Serena Rodriguez\*

Saul Rojas

Chaz Rowens

Roark Rowland\*

Norah Ruvalcaba §

Tyler Michael Salim\*

Hayley Santoyo-Zinman\*

Makiia Smith §

Izabel Solis §

Ethan Sorber

Owen Strode-Jackson\*

Jintao Sun•

Shuo Yang Sun

Alvin Tran•

Kateri Trimboli•

Avelardo Trujillo

Andrew Grant Tucker

Olyssa Valadez §

Tyler Van Wagenen•

His Yi Wai §

Cole Whiteside

David Wilbur

Madeline Elizabeth Wolesky §

Junjie Zhao

\*Cum Laude

• Magna Cum Laude

§ Summa Cum Laude

*Based on seventh semester standings. Inclusion in class listing does not guarantee graduate status.*



**NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL**  
CLASS OF 2021 | COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

*Notre Dame High School*

---

# *Class of 2021 Dedication Video*

[Click to View](#)

NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL | CLASS OF 2021

*Graduating Seniors*

*Thank you, Notre Dame families, staff, and guests for joining us.*

*We would like to thank the San Manuel 66ers Stadium, and Notre Dame's Student Services office, Activities Faculty, and Administration for making this graduation possible. Special thank you to our event coordinators, vendors, and the Office of Catholic Schools for their support.*