20 September 2022

To: The Graduating Batch 2022

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University Registrar

Subject: Baccalaureate Mass and Commencement Exercises 2022

Baccalaureate Mass on 21 September and Commencement Exercises from 22 to 24 September will push through as scheduled.

In case INCLEMENT WEATHER persists, the Processional Part of the Commencement Exercises will be cancelled. All graduating students will be requested to proceed to their assigned seats inside the Ugnayang La Salle. Parents and/or guardians will occupy the seats intended for them.

Please be guided by the following PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES considering the possibility of continued torrential rains in the coming days:

1. Attendees coming to the venue in private vehicles are requested to advise their drivers to proceed immediately to the designated parking area which is at the back of ULS. Drop off point cannot be arranged as this causes traffic buildup that extends even outside the University premises.

2. It is best that you come to the venue early so that you can spare some time to change clothes. Our restrooms at the back of the ULS stage will be made accessible to attendees in case you need to change clothes.

3. We suggest that you wear runners or a more comfortable pair of shoes as you walk to ULS and change them to stilettos and formal leather shoes at the designated changing rooms. Our pathways to the venue and even the designated parking area will have been damp due to relentless rain. This will make your wearing of stilettos and leather shoes difficult to navigate.

4. Please bring with you plastic bags to keep your umbrellas from dripping on the floor. This will keep the venue dry and will prevent the floors from becoming slippery.

5. It is during these occasions that we manifest our Lasallian character. We expect everyone to observe proper decorum for the entire duration of the program. Once the Commencement Exercises reaches the Recessional Part, please avoid rushing to get to the exit by jostling against other attendees just to get ahead.
6. Bring your best behavior and utmost patience. Everyone might be a little ticked off during this very important occasion. Let us make sure that we all help one another in keeping this once-in-a-lifetime event a truly memorable experience for all our graduating students and their parents.

7. Given the existing weather condition, expect traffic build up. This will definitely cause delays at the start, during, or even after the program. In these difficult times, we need each other's presence and utmost patience as we all make this occasion for our graduating students a truly momentous affair.

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