



**44 General Chapter**

**OTHERS**

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**Keynote speaker:** Brother Álvaro Rodríguez Echeverría, Superior General

**Topic: OPENING RITUAL**

**Day and hour: April 30<sup>th</sup> 2007, 9:30**

**Brothers,**

This afternoon I will have the opportunity to welcome you when we have the official opening of the 44<sup>th</sup> General Chapter. At this time of prayer right now, I invite all of us to open ourselves humbly to the light of the Spirit so that all we do over the course of these days will have no other purpose than that of making real the first three petitions contained in the Our Father:

- **That God's name be hallowed**
- **That His kingdom come**
- **That His will be done.**

In order to do this, we turn to our intercessors and we ask them to accompany us also with grace from above.

QUEEN AND MOTHER OF THE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS: **PRAY FOR US!**

SAINT JOSEPH, OUR PATRON AND PROTECTOR: **PRAY FOR US!**

SAINT JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE, OUR FATHER AND FOUNDER: **PRAY FOR US!**

ALL YOU LASALLIAN SAINTS AND BLESSED: **PRAY FOR US!**