Schoolgram

September 8, 2022



ST. Aloysius

Prayer Intentions:

For Mrs. Pester's mom who is in the hospital.

For those in areas of the world in conflict, especially the people of Ukraine and Eastern Europe.

For those who are ill and for those who care for them.

Please contact the school office if you have a prayer you would like included.

Prayer:

Eternal God, amid all the turmoil and changes of this world your love is steadfast and your strength never fails. In times of danger and trouble, be to us a sure guardian. Guide our leaders with your wisdom. Comfort those in distress. Grant courage and hope to face the future. Through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Calendar:

9/9

Happy Birthday Father Tom!

9/11

 Patriotic Dress down: Donate minimum of \$1 to wear red, white, and blue. Jeans & athletic pants are OK. Details attached.

9/14

9/15

WEDNESDAY MASS 2:10 pm (Gr. 5)

• Picture Day: Dress UP

9/21

9/22

WEDNESDAY MASS 2:10 pm (Gr. 4)

- Midterm
- PA Meeting 7:00 pm @ the Annex (little white church across the street)

From the Principal:

Our school council is an advisory group made up of parents or relatives of St. Al's students or alumni. The primary purpose of the school council is to offer advice to the pastor and principal regarding school policies. We meet on a monthly basis during the school year to discuss topics including (but not limited to) school operations, viability, staffing, budget, and supplies. We had our first meeting of the year this week so I thought it was a good time to introduce you to our current council. Council members are appointed by Fr. Tom and there is an effort made to find representation of as many grades as possible. If you have a question or concern that you are not comfortable sharing with Fr. Tom or myself you can ask one of these representatives to bring it to council.

- President: Jason Zera (parent of 5th and 3rd grader)
- Cindy Ducar (parent of 8th grader and 3rd grader)
- John Eckel (parent of 7th grader)
- April Gladieux (parent of 4th and 3rd grader)
- Monica Jatho (parent of 1st grader and KR)
- Carol Korte (parent of graduates)
- Matthew Onyekelu (parent of 7th grader, 3rd grader and graduates)
- Isaac Schonlau (parent of 7th grader, kindergartener and graduate)
- Ben Waddington (parent of 6th grader and 5th grader)

I truly appreciate their service to our school!

God's Blessings, Andrea Puhl

From the Office:

- Fall Picture Day: Thursday, September 15th. It is a DRESS UP DAY. Please no jeans, sweatpants, athletic wear, t-shirts, sleeveless shirts, low necklines or shirts with writing or large logos. Skirts/dresses must be appropriate length for school.
- Mark your calendar for our first **Parent Association Meeting** of the year on Thursday, September 22nd at 7:00pm in the Annex (white church across from Taco Bell). This is a great chance to meet other school parents and help plan for the new school year!
- Thank you for your cooperation as we work out the new carline procedures. Please remember to pull as close as comfortable to the car in front of you to maximize the space we have available. <u>We could really use a volunteer for each</u> <u>afternoon-please let Mrs. Puhl know if you can help one day a week or even</u> <u>every other week!</u>
- October lunches: order through midnight on September 15th. <u>Note: the</u> <u>numbering for 10/6 was incorrect on the menu sent last week.</u> Order carefully <u>using the menu attached this week.</u>
- August lunch bills: sent home today. Please pay when ordering. If you have a credit from last year, you will not receive a bill until that credit has been used.
- **Kroger Rewards**: Please submit a screenshot of your Kroger Rewards for this quarter and email Mrs. Brandy Rogers at receptionist@stalschoolbg.org.
- School Mass can be viewed online. The link for mass at <u>2:15 pm Wed, 9/14:</u> https://venue.streamspot.com/event/MzM3NzE1Mg











Info for New Families (and good reminders for all)

The schools in the Diocese of Toledo take MAP (Measures of Academic Progress) tests in the fall and spring. We can also give them in the winter if we choose. These standardized tests are on the computer and help our teachers meet all students' needs by seeing what they are ready to learn. After the spring tests, we will share their individual results and progress with you. Our K-8 students have started taking these tests this week. Please see the "12 Common Questions Parents Ask About MAP Growth" article uploaded with today's schoolgram for more information.

From the Nurse:

The following resource from the health department may be helpful if someone in your family is exposed or tests positive.

Interactive COVID Decision Trees – provides click-through guidance

From the Parish:

JOIN SCOUTING NIGHT 2022

St. Aloysius' Join Scouting Night is Thursday, September 8th in the narthex at 7pm.

Parish scout leaders will be available on Join Scouting Night to answer questions and sign-up girls and boys into Cub Scouts and Scouting BSA.

St. Aloysius sponsors a Cub Scout Pack with dens for boys and girls in kindergarten through 5th grade, a Scouting BSA Girls Troop for girls in the 6th grade through 17 years old, and a Scouting BSA Boys Troop for boys in the 6th grade through 17 years old.

A registration fee and new scout fee will be collected that night. Special offerings will be earned by new paying youth that attend and pay that night.

Sacrament Prep

- Wed. 9/7/22 7:00-8:00 pm: Confirmation Parent Meeting for those with students in grades 7 & 8
 - Wed. 9/7/22 7:00-8:00 pm: 8th grade Confirmation session #1 • (8th graders only)
- Wed. 9/28/22 6:30-7:30 pm: First Reconciliation Parent Meeting for parents of 2nd graders- childcare provided

Altar Servers

Open to boys and girls, grades 4-12. Must have celebrated First Communion and commit to attend Mass regularly. Complete the attached registration form.

Save the Date

St. Aloysius Backyard Bash: October 1st 6:30 pm-10:00 pm