

Prayer Intentions:

For the sisters in Zimbabwe, that we are supporting through our Lenten project.

For our drama elective as they present their musical this evening.

Prayer:

Merciful Father, Loving Mother, I know that the tiny sacrifices I make this Lent can never serve as a real penance in my life. But help me to make my whole life one of following your Son. I am filled with your love. Let your love shine out from within me and guide my life in this sacred journey toward the Easter joy you offer me. Amen.

Calendar:

3/14

- School Mass (Gr. 2) 2:10 pm
- Jr. High Aladdin Jr. Production 9:15 am & 7:00 pm

3/15

- **BG Alternate Bus Route: Update PikMyKid**
- April lunch orders are due
- End of 3rd Quarter
- Priority application window for enrollment ends for new families
- K of C fish fry 4:30-7

3/18

- **BG Alternate Bus Route: Update PikMyKid**

3/19

- **Otsego Alternate Bus Route**

3/20

- Imagination Station: Earth & Science Festival [VOLUNTEER](#)

3/21

- School Mass (Gr. 8) 2:10 pm
- Teacher luncheon

3/22

- **Dress Down: Springtime & Spring colors**

3/25-4/1

- Spring Break: **NO SCHOOL**

From the Principal:

The Starlab portable planetarium was amazing yesterday and we can't thank PA enough for making that experience possible. We have one more big event to help our students prepare for the eclipse and that's our Earth and Science Festival on Wednesday. We only have half the number of volunteers needed to run the hands on activity tables...please consider volunteering for a half day shift if at all possible. Imagination Station will teach us everything we need to know! Grandparents are welcome to volunteer too (if not virtue trained contact the office tomorrow.) Sign up [here](#).

These kinds of awesome opportunities provided by PA are made possible by the proceeds of our reverse raffle. Please consider buying a ticket or reaching out to find out other ways you can support our only school wide fundraiser of the year!

I hope to see you all tonight at our production of Aladdin, Jr. at 7:00pm and at the one day Parish Mission on Tuesday evening. Tonight's show is free, fun, family entertainment and our junior high is doing a great job! Tuesday's speaker is very dynamic (some of you know him from Dragon Slayer with your 2nd grader) and I look forward to what he has to share with us about St. Joseph.

God's Blessings,

Andrea Puhl

From the Office:

- **BG Alternate Bus Route** runs tomorrow and Monday. If you did NOT receive the bus route through Option C alerts, please be sure to make alternate arrangements for transportation. **Please update PikMyKid. If you signed up for the Alternate Route, you can put your child on their normal bus in the PikMyKid app. There's not an "alternate route bus" in the app.**
- **Yearbooks** are available to order for \$15 through April 5th at <https://shop.memorybook.com/home>. The school code is 229949M. You can also request an envelope by emailing Mrs. Rath, schooloffice@stalschoolbg.org.
- **April lunch orders** are due by midnight 3/15/24.
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. Click the link for Mass at **2:00 pm, Thursday, 3/21/24:** <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/NDU0NzY00Q>

From Parent Association:

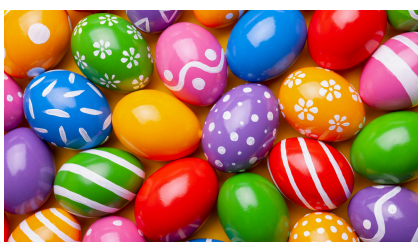
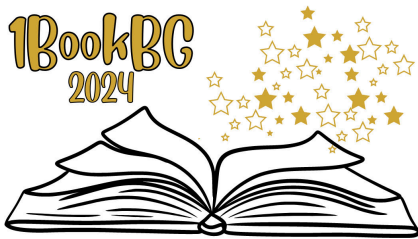
Reverse Raffle invites have been sent. Please **RSVP** with your payment, which can be sent to the school office or mailed.

Join the Reverse Raffle facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/StAlsReverseRaffle>

We still need volunteers for the Earth and Science Festival next Wednesday, 4/20/24. Please sign up [here](#).

Join the PA page:

Join the facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/175112242504536>



1BookBG

5...4...3...2...1...BLAST-OFF!!!! Grades KR-5th grade, get ready to have an out of this world experience reading your 1BookBG book. Books and information packets will be sent home on Monday. Every Tuesday and Thursday we will have writing prompts for you. These are a chance for you to win some awesome prizes. Every Wednesday we will have a dress down theme. Be sure to check the 1BookBG calendar. Starting next week, visit the mission stops on your mission log. Collect a star and earn a prize ticket. When you visit Waddington Jewelers, please give them a big thank you for the book. They purchased the books for St. Aloysius School. We also want to thank our Parent Association for some awesome prizes. This is a great community literacy program. Happy reading!

If you have any questions, contact Mrs. Rogers (rogers@stalschoolbg.org), Mrs. Gerkens (gerkens@stalschoolbg.org), or Mrs. Dulaney (dulaney@stalschoolbg.org).

CYO Track and Field

Track & Field registration is open! All students and parishioners grades 3-8 from St Aloysius, St Thomas More, St Louis and St John XXIII are eligible to join. An \$85 registration fee is due upon registering. Please use the links below to register and to make payment to the St Aloysius Parish office. Come enjoy some fun, fitness and fellowship. GO LIONS! If you have any questions please feel free to contact Al Holman at aeholman12@gmail.com.

Registration Link:

<https://sstalloysius-oh.finalforms.com/sports>

Payment Link:

<https://stalbg.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/CYOFees>

Jr. High Camp & Class Trip Fundrasier:

"Egg My Yard" Fundraiser

All proceeds benefit the Junior High Class Trips to Washington D.C. and Camp Storer!!

See attached flyer.

How it Works:

1. Order an Egg Package of 25, 50, 75 or a *Faith 50* (25/25 Split of religious toys and candy filled eggs)
2. Junior High Families will hide treat filled eggs in your front yard Saturday night March 30th. (You must live in Bowling Green for eggs to be delivered).
3. A bunny sign will be left to let your kids know there are eggs to be found!

Heavy rain or snow may alter the hiding but not the fun! Eggs will be left at the door.

From the Parish:

Parents, maybe you've heard him at the Dragon Slayer Retreat, read one of his books, or even know him as an eye doctor. We're very excited to have Dr. John Wood coming to our parish on the feast of St. Joseph, March 19 at 6:30 PM, to share a talk called Terror of Demons, about St. Joseph. This one-hour talk will inspire many and there is food and social following. Don't be the one to miss what everyone will be talking about on the 20th. Plan to attend and plan to invite others. (For parents of 7th graders, there is a brief (15 minute) Confirmation meeting at 6 PM that same evening in the narthex.)

*****Parents of 7th graders who are preparing to receive Confirmation as 8th graders in 2024-2025, there is a brief informational meeting on Tuesday, March 19 at 6 PM in the narthex. The meeting is for adults but Confirmation candidates are welcome to attend.*****