



## Prayer Intentions:

Prayers for Mrs. Rath's family. Her dad died earlier this week.

Continued prayers for Noah

For our 7th and 8th graders Confirmation retreat on Sunday. May they grow in faith.

## Prayer:

Dear God, help us to live healthy lifestyles so that we can avoid disease and illness. Help us to make wise choices about what we eat and drink, and how much exercise we get. May we take care of our bodies as temples of the Holy Spirit, so that we can be strong witnesses for Your Kingdom. Amen.

## Calendar:

### 10/25

- Spirit Day: BGSU/UT Dress down
- BGCS Alternate Bus Route

### 10/28

- Boo gram sales end
- RRW: Wear Red

### 10/29

- RRW: Favorite school or university gear
- Gr.6-8 BGSU Women's Game

### 10/30

- RRW: Favorite Clue Character or in their color

### 10/31

- Boo grams delivered
- RRW: Favorite Halloween shirt
- Halloween parade 2:45 pm

### 11/1

- All Saints Mass 9:00 am (Gr. 6)
- NO DRESS DOWN
- BGCS Alternate Bus Route
- December lunch order begins
- End of 1st quarter

## From the Principal:

Next week is Red Ribbon Week to promote healthy lifestyles. The theme this year is "Life is a Movie, Live Drug Free." Student Council has planned some fun, simple dress down days that tie in with both that theme and also a special pre-Halloween event that will be taking place next week. The whole school will be participating in a Clue style mystery game (don't worry, no murder or weapons involved) over announcements next week with classes competing for prizes. Wednesday has been scheduled to be dress like a robot for 1BookBG and students are still welcome to do that if they prefer it over dressing as their favorite Clue character or in their favorite character's color (Yellow for Colonel Mustard, Purple for Professor Plum, etc). All the Red Ribbon Week details are in a flyer attached to today's email.

*God's Blessings,*

*Andrea Puhl*

## From the Office:

- **Spirit wear** will be sent home tomorrow, 10/25/24. There was a delay in shipping due to the weather down south.
- Mark your calendars for our annual **Christmas programs**.
  - **Thursday, Dec. 5 1:45pm and 7pm** Preschool through Gr. 3
  - **Thursday, Dec. 12 1:45pm and 7pm** Gr. 4 through 8 (Band & Music)
- **Boo grams** will be on sale 10/21-10/28 and will be delivered 10/31.
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. Click the link at **9:00 am, Friday, 11/1/24:** <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/NTA3OTQyNQ>

## Info for New Families (& good reminders for the rest of us)

We will celebrate Halloween on Thursday, October 31st. During the day students may wear Halloween themed shirts or Halloween colors with jeans. Each classroom schedules their own celebrations, but students may bring costumes to change into before our school parade. **Please make sure the costumes do not include weapons, blood, guts or gore and that your child will be able to put on their costume with minimal assistance.** If weather permits we will walk around the block at approximately 2:45pm, but if it's too cold or wet we will parade around the gym. All are welcome to join us for the parade. If you are planning to volunteer in a classroom for a party, you must have completed the Virtus requirements.



Just one week left to visit Mission Stops and earn tickets. We have some great prizes thanks to PA!



Congratulations to the 5th grade volleyball team on winning their division and making it through the 1st round of tournament play. Come support the team this Saturday. They have a game at 2:30pm at St. Rose in Perrysburg.

Our 7th and 8th grade volleyball team also has a tournament game on Sunday at 4:00 at St. Ursula. Go Lions!



RSVP and Volunteer:

<https://tinyurl.com/staltrunk2024>

Facebook event:

<https://www.facebook.com/share/cFJQQShsHSzFU4UZ/>

## A thank you to #NoahNation:



We want to thank each and every person at St. Aloysius for the amazing support they've shown for Noah last month and the continued support and prayers we've been receiving regularly. We are so grateful for such a caring community St. Aloysius has provided us with, especially the last few months. Your prayers are working, Noah has a long journey ahead of him but he is responding very well to treatment and is currently in remission. We cannot thank you all enough for embracing us during this difficult time for our family. #NoahNation

*All Our Love,  
The Milligans*

## Technology Note:

Ohio Senate Bill 29 ("SB29") requires schools to notify parents about our monitoring of school issued devices. It is unclear whether this new policy applies to chartered nonpublic schools like St. Aloysius, but we are happy to share what software we are using to keep kids safe online. Please see the letter attached to today's schoolgram and contact Mr. VanTilburg with any questions.

## From Parent Association:

1. PTA is looking for someone that can manage the teacher luncheons. This event only happens 4 times during the school year (every quarter) and is easy to maintain. If interested, please email April Gladieux at [YourPerfectDayLLC@gmail.com](mailto:YourPerfectDayLLC@gmail.com)
2. We are looking for adults/children that want to ride on the St. Aloysius float for the BG Holiday Parade on November 23rd. If interested, please email April Gladieux at [YourPerfectDayLLC@gmail.com](mailto:YourPerfectDayLLC@gmail.com)
3. PTA is collecting candy for the holiday parade. If you have an extra Halloween candy, please send it to the office starting the week of November 4th.
4. Every year for our big school fundraiser event, the "Reverse Raffle," we auction off class art projects from each grade. We are in need of volunteers who can help come into the classroom and work with the students on creating an art project together. It can be a painting, a photograph, or even a bookcase. The possibilities are endless! If you love creating art or making craft projects and you would love to help volunteer in your child's classroom then contact Jami Deering at [jideer79@gmail.com](mailto:jideer79@gmail.com).

## From the Parish:

Bittersweet memories. Loss of traditions. An empty seat at the table. Heaviness of heart. The holiday season can trigger sadness and despair for people grieving a loss. Join us for a 2-hour event called **Surviving the Holidays** where we talk about how to deal with grief around the holiday season while learning practical strategies that really help. Please register so that we can best meet your needs.



**GRIEF SHARE SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS WORKSHOP: November 13 from 5:30-7:30 PM in the Davis Narthex.**