



St. Aloysius

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Prayer Intentions:

For Greyson Dulaney, son of Mrs. Dulaney, who is hospitalized and scheduled to have surgery tomorrow.

A prayer of thanksgiving for baby Benjamin Michael DeVries. Mrs. DeVries, our Title I teacher, and her family welcomed him into the world on Monday morning!

Prayer:

Almighty God, grant us the grace to hope in you with unwavering trust. As we begin this season of Advent, may our hearts be filled with the hope that comes from knowing your promises are true. Amen.

Calendar:

12/4

- School Mass 9:00 am (Gr. 7)
- Gr. 4-8 Christmas program 1:45 pm & 7:00 pm

12/8

- School Mass 9:00 am (Gr. 6)

12/9

- AAF: Red, green, elf
- PA Meeting 7:00 pm @ Annex

12/10

- School Reconciliation
- AAF: Wacky sweater

12/11

- PS - Gr. 3 Christmas program 1:45 pm & 7:00 pm

12/15

- January lunch order ends
- Last day to purchase candy cane grams
- Candy Cane Gram sales end

12/18

- School Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 5)
- Jr. High Extreme Service

12/19

- Jr. High to BGSU ice arena
- Dress down: Christmas or spirit wear

12/22-1/2

- Christmas break

From the Principal:

It's been a busy start to December, but we are so excited for the Christmas programs tonight and next Thursday. We are praying for no more weather disruptions! Everyone has been working so hard and there is nothing that puts me in the Christmas spirit faster than children singing about the true meaning of the season!

I also want to thank you for your generosity with the canned food drive and the adopt-a-family project. We brought in 1993 items for our food pantry and OSU won our competition. 8th grade was our winning class, followed by 6th, 1st and 4th grades. Our adopt-a-family fundraiser continues with dress down days and candy cane sales and will allow us to help some very deserving families right here in our own school and parish community to have a little bit merrier Christmas.

*God's Blessings,
Andrea Puhl*

From the Office:

- **Candy Cane Grams** will be sold by Student Council through Monday 12/15 to support our Adopt-A-Family project. Return the attached order form with payment to school by Monday, 12/15.
- **BGCS buses** will be running the alternate route the FIRST day back from break, 1/5/25. Please complete the [form](#) for EACH child in your family. Also make sure that PikMyKid is up to date. You can check the BG busing app, [My Ride 360](#), to see pick up and drop off times as well as locations closer to that day.
- Yearbooks can be ordered through March 27, 2025 at <http://shop.memorybook.com/login>. The school code is 229949M.
- **UPDATED Staff Wish Lists:** Gifts are not expected, but parents usually ask for ideas, so the wish list is attached. You can also find it on the website under the Parents tab ~ [Parent Association](#)
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. Click the link at **9:00 am, MONDAY 12/8/25:** <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/NjlxMzY5Nw>

Christmas Program Details:

- Thursday, December 11th will be our Christmas Program for Grades PS-3. We will have 1:45 pm and 7:00 pm performances. Students in grades KR-3 may wear festive holiday colors for their daytime performance (no jeans or athletic pants. Leggings must have a skirt over the top). This is a dress up day, but consider saving their holiday best for the evening performances so they don't get dirty at lunch or recess. Grades 4-8 are expected to be in uniform on Tuesday.
- Students in the program should arrive at 6:45. If you arrive earlier than that to save seats, the students should stay with you in the gym

1/1

- February lunch orders begin

1/5

- School resumes
- BGCS Alternate Bus Route



until that time. They can not be wandering the building unsupervised. Thank you.

- If you or a family member are coming to the 1:45 pm performance and plan to take your children of any grade level home with you as soon as it is over, please email the homeroom teacher(s) so they know to have them packed up and ready to go. We also need you to make sure the Pik My Kid app is updated. If you are picking them up, choose carline.

From the Parish:

Our Lady of Guadalupe Fiesta

Sunday, December 7

12 noon Mass, followed by potluck celebration in
Hartmann Hall

Everyone is invited!

TRAVELING CHALICE PROGRAM FOR PRIESTLY VOCATIONS

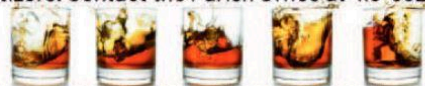
Sign up electronically [here](#)

This could be a great Christmas gift for someone and a fun way to support our school. The bourbon tasting earlier last month was a big success.

Fr. Tom's Scotch Tasting

All proceeds benefit St. Aloysius School!

Seats remain for the Scotch Tasting on Jan. 23.
Events will be held at 7 PM in the narthex. Reservations for the tastings are \$100 and include heavy appetizers. Contact the Parish Office at 419-352-4195 to register.





Alumni:

Congratulations to St. Al's Alumni for Honor Roll at St. Ursula Academy
4.0 and above Dean's List

Kelsey Fecht 11th grade Dean's List