



St. Aloysius
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

*Living for Christ,
Learning with Purpose*

Prayer Intentions:

For Msgr. Tad Oxley, Fr. David Kidd and Fr. Joseph Mominee as they complete their 70 mile Walk for Vocations at the shrine in Carey today and for an increase to vocations to the priesthood and religious life in the Diocese of Toledo

Prayer

Gracious God, we ask for Your wisdom in every decision our family must make. Guide our thoughts and help us see clearly what is right. Give us discerning hearts so that we choose paths that honor You. Protect us from mistakes that may bring harm or regret. Teach us to rely on Your Word and seek Your guidance before acting. May our choices bring unity, growth, and lasting blessings to our family. Amen.

Calendar:

10/1

- PS to BGFD
- Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 3)
- November lunch order begins
- Midterms go home (Gr. 3-8)

10/3

- Backyard Bash 6:30 pm

10/5

- KR: Stevens Gardens

10/8

- Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 8)

10/11

- Dragon Slayer Retreat (Gr. 2)

10/12

- **NO SCHOOL:** Professional Dev.

10/15

- November lunch order ends
- Mass 2:00 pm (Gr. 7)

10/16

- PS Pumpkin Peddler

10/19

- Picture Retakes in A.M.

From the Principal:

Most Wednesdays our first through eighth graders have an opportunity to spend ten minutes or so with Jesus in adoration. We don't have school adoration scheduled on the first Wednesday of the month because that is a parish Day of Grace and Healing. The parish also has adoration every Friday. I encourage you to let your child share with you how special this time with our Lord can be. Perhaps you sit for a while in the car line before school. Consider parking your car on an adoration day and going into the church instead. When the bell rings you can walk them to the school door and start your day in such a beautiful way! Another option would be to park at the end of the day and walk up to get them and then go and spend some time in adoration before going home. Not sure what to do when you are in church? Let your child teach you!

You may have heard that the fifth grade teacher who started with us this fall is no longer employed at St. Al's. I have been enjoying filling in with the fifth graders this week, but am looking for a new teacher who will be a great fit for the rest of the year. If you know someone, please send them my way.

God's Blessings,

Andrea Puhl

From the Office:

- **Option C alerts** should now work from their end, but Gmail could still mark it as SPAM. We know it's frustrating. Just let Mrs. Rath know if you don't get it and she can forward it to you.
- **BG buses** will be running the alternate route Friday, 10.16.26 and again on 10.23.26 & 10.30.26. Please complete 1 Google form for your family, unless your children will be taking different modes of transportation. IF THE FORM IS NOT COMPLETED BY THE DUE DATE, BUSING MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE. YOU WILL ALSO NEED TO MAKE YOUR REQUEST THROUGH BGCS BUS GARAGE AFTER THAT DATE. Please also make sure that PikMyKid is up to date. You can check the BG busing app, [My Ride 360](#), to see UPDATED pick up and drop off times as well as locations.
 - Google form for [10.16.26](#) is due 10.8.26
 - Google form for [10.23.26](#) due 10.15.26
 - Google form for [10.30.26](#) due 10.22.26
- You should have received an email from **Jostens to order pictures**. You can also go to <https://shop.jostenspix.com/login> to log in and enter:
 - ST ALOYSIUS SCHOOL
 - Event Code: FE70825
 - The email is the primary one listed on your child's school registration form. Others can request access and Mrs. Rath will approve it.
 - Email [Mrs. Rath](#) if you have not received the email and cannot locate it by searching "Jostens" in your inbox.



- **November lunch orders** begin today. Remember to send in payment when you order.
- **The PikMyKid DEFAULT mode of transportation** is now disabled. If you need to change **THE DEFAULT** mode after that date, email Mrs. Rath. You will still be able make daily changes yourself by creating a one time or recurring change. Instructions can be found [here](#).
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. Click the link at **2:10 pm, Thursday, 10/8/26:** <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/NzA5NzEzMg>

Mark Your Calendars

Danger in Disguise

Sunday, October 18th, 9:05-10:05 am

Hartmann Hall

Adult Session: Our kids carry the whole internet in their pocket, often behind a closed bedroom door and late at night. The people and products that target them count on one thing: adults not knowing. Dangers in Disguise is a parent information session built on awareness, not fear. Parents and caregivers get a clear, current look at what children actually face today, how to spot the warning signs at home, and exactly what to do next. You do not need to be a tech expert. You need to be present, curious, and the first person your child runs to.

Kids Session: It's easy to get confused about different types of secrets. In this very kid-friendly session, children will be empowered to know which secrets should not be kept. Our school students will receive a similar presentation later this year, but they are welcome to attend this as well, especially if it allows you to attend the adult session knowing they are safe and supervised.

From Parent Association:

- PA is looking for creative parent volunteers who love to make art or crafts. Every class at St Al's creates a class project for our big fundraising event (Reverse Raffle) in the spring. If you're interested or have questions you can contact Jami Deering at jjdeer79@gmail.com.
- Next PA meeting is October 13 7:00 pm in the Bishop room.
- Join the PA Facebook account.
<https://www.facebook.com/share/g/19L928Ra5y/?mibextid=wwXlfr>
- The parade is November 21st.
- We will be accepting candy donations to use in the parade, consider donating Halloween candy. Take any donations to the office.

From the Parish:

Exciting news - St. Al's is bringing back a tradition where our parish will pray the Rosary before all Masses during the month of October. That means we need volunteers to cover a total of 16 Masses.

Here is a SignUpGenius where you can pick a Mass:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0C45AEA62DA7FE2-> No experience is necessary, just a willingness to pray.