



St. Aloysius
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

*Living for Christ,
Learning with Purpose*

Prayer Intentions:

Pope Leo who is recovering from surgery and undergoing treatment

Mrs. Rath who is recovering from surgery

Prayer

Dear Heavenly Father, Thank You for being the God who never forgets Your children. Even when my circumstances make me sometimes question where You are, Your Word reminds me that Your love never changes, even when You seem silent at times. Thank You for writing my name on the palms of Your hands and for holding every detail of my life with perfect care. When we feel discouraged or exhausted, please draw near to us and remind us that You are still at work, even when we cannot see it. Replace every lie that says You've abandoned us with the truth that You are a faithful Father who always keeps His promises. Amen.

Calendar:

10/15

- November lunch order ends
- Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 7)
- BG Alt Bus Route Intention [10/23 form](#) DUE

10/16

- PS Pumpkin Peddler
- BG Alternate Bus Route

10/19

- Picture Retakes in A.M.

10/22

- Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 6)
- BG Alt Bus Route Intention [10/30 form](#) DUE

10/23

- BG & Otsego Alternate Bus Route

10/25

- 10/30 Early dismissal [form](#) DUE

10/29

- Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 5)

10/30

- Early Dismissal at 11:30 am
- BG Alternate Bus Route

From the Principal:

This Sunday we are offering a parent session titled Danger in Disguise at 9:05 am (between the 8am and 10:15 Masses) in the gym. It is being presented by experts from Active Response Solutions whose instructors are active and former law enforcement officers, SWAT operators, EMTs and military veterans who have spent their careers responding to situations they now teach families and organizations to prevent. It is intended for parents of every age group....early elementary through high school. Families should leave with conversation guides, recommended privacy settings and a plan, not just a list of worries. I hope many of our school parents will take advantage of this opportunity to learn more about what our kids face today online (including in virtual gaming worlds such as Roblox and Fortnite). I am always open to learning more on such an important and always evolving topic! Your kids may come and attend a teaching safety session with students in their age group or you can attend on your own.

Halloween is also quickly approaching. Our schedule will be a little different this year since it is an early dismissal day for an afternoon of accreditation work for the teachers. Classroom teachers will be sending more information on parties, but we will be having our parade at 11am around the block weather permitting. Parents are welcome to come for the parade and then we will begin dismissal procedures. 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.

*God's Blessings,
Andrea Puhl*

From the Office:

- **There will be an early dismissal** on 10.30.26. Complete **ONE form PER CHILD** by 10.25.26, <https://forms.gle/3cUEyZhZwWBRFkVG8>.
- **September lunch & extended day bills** were sent home last week.
- **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 for each date, 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 [10.23.26](#) due 10.15.26 TODAY
 - Google form for [10.30.26](#) due 10.22.26



SCOTCH & BOURBON TASTINGS
WITH FR. TOM!

All proceeds benefit St. Aloysius Catholic School

Seats remain for the Scotch Tasting (Nov. 13) &
Bourbon Tasting (Jan. 8)

Both events will be held at 7 PM in the Bishop &
Pope meeting rooms.

Tickets for the tastings are \$100 and
include heavy appetizers.



Contact the Parish Office
parishoffice@stalbg.org
419-352-4195 if you'd like to
attend and help support our
Catholic School!

The bourbon tasting is sold out! There are spaces remaining for the November 13th Scotch tasting. Contact the parish office to reserve your spot(s). Support the school while spending time learning about one of Fr. Tom's favorite non-theology topics and tasting varieties of scotch personally selected by him! \$100 a ticket.

- 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: FE73026
 - The email is the primary one listed on your child's school registration form. Others can request access and Mrs. Rath will approve it.
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. Click the link at **2:10 pm, Thursday, 10/22/26:** <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/NzA5NzEzNQ>

From Parent Association:

- We will be accepting candy donations to use in the holiday parade, consider donating Halloween candy. Take any donations to the office. Plan ahead to be part of the parade with us on November 21st as well.
- 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 jideer79@gmail.com.
- Next PA meeting is November 10 7:00 pm in the Saints meeting room.
- Join the PA Facebook account.
<https://www.facebook.com/share/g/19L928Ra5y/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

From the Parish:

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.

Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 25; St. Al's parking lot
Setup begins at 2 PM; Event begins at 3 PM

In the event of inclement weather, Trunk or Treat will shift inside to the school hallways.

Please sign-up to attend and/or to decorate a trunk and pass out candy:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0E4EABAB29A4F85-66181829-stalloysius#/>