

St. Alphonsus Catholic School

Kaleidoscope Connection

Forming Faith and Future

Dr. Cynthia C. Ryals, Principal

January 19, 2023

UPCOMING EVENTS

- January 20 - School Mass
- January 22 - New Student Open House and New Student Registration
- January 25 - Spirit Dress
- January 27 - School Mass / Family Bingo Night
- January 30- February 3 - Catholic Schools Week

*The Mission of
St. Alphonsus
Liguori Catholic School
is to form students in the
Catholic Faith
spiritually,
academically,
physically, and
culturally in an
environment of
academic
excellence.*

Open House / New Student Registration

St. Alphonsus School will be hosting a new student open house on Sunday, January 22nd from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Please spread the word to any interested families and please share the flyer that is attached to the Kaleidoscope with prospective families. If you know of someone interested in joining our St. Alphonsus School family, please let them know that new student registration opens on January 22nd.

Enrollment for the 2023-2024 School Year

Re-enrollment for currently enrolled students and new siblings is open now. The registration fee increased to \$350.00 on January 14, 2023 and will increase to \$400 on January 23, 2023. If you have any questions concerning re-enrollment, please contact Mrs. Tammy Feduccia, tfeduccia@stalphonsusbr.org. Re-enrollment is available through the "Family Portal" on RenWeb or by clicking on this link: <https://SA-LA.client.renweb.com/pw/> Once on the Family Portal, select "Apply/Enroll," Application (for a new sibling) or Enrollment/Reenrollment for a returning student. ***If you are not enrolling your student for the next school year, please contact Tammy Feduccia or click the "Will Not Enroll" link in the Family Portal.

Tax Statements for 2022

A *printable payment summary* is available by logging into FACTS, selecting "View Details" and then selecting "View Payment Summary." Our Tax ID is included on the summary. If you need assistance navigating to your FACTS account, please contact Karen Keller, Finance Manager at 225.261.5299 or by email at kkeller@stalphonsusbr.org.



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St. Alphonsus School Celebrates *Catholic Schools Week* January 30th - February 3rd

..... *Monday 1/30-Community helpers are our Super Heroes*

Super Hero Day - Students may wear a super hero shirt and socks with spirit dress guidelines.

..... *Tuesday 1/31-Celebrating Students*

Students may wear any SAS shirt or SAS colors with spirit dress guidelines.

..... *Wednesday 2/1-Celebrate Catholic schools across the U.S.A*

Students may wear red, white, blue, or patriotic shirts with spirit dress guidelines or school uniform.

..... *Thursday 2/2-Celebrating Vocations*

Students may wear school appropriate pajamas with athletic shoes.
(No fitted pajama pants)

..... *Friday 2/3-Celebrating Faculty, Staff, & Volunteers*

Mass Dress

God's Helping Hands



God's Helping Hands will be open to any 1st or 2nd grade student who wants to serve our school and church community! If your child is interested in joining God's Helping Hands this year, please turn in the permission slip attached to the Kaleidoscope newsletter and return it to your child's homeroom teacher no later than Friday, January 20th. If you have any questions about joining God's Helping Hands, please email Jessica Fisher (jfisher@stalphonsusbr.org). All information and details regarding this club, meeting dates, and what our club is all about can be found on the permission slip that is attached to the Kaleidoscope newsletter.

SAS Home and School Family Bingo Night



SAS Home and School Association would like to invite you to our Family Bingo Night on January 27th! Bingo boards will be \$5 in advance and \$7 at the door.

In addition- we are now offering a VIP Package which includes: Tables fit 6+, 10 Bingo Cards, 2 Large 1 Topping Pizzas, (2) 2 Liter Drinks, AND 20 Door prize tickets! All for \$75.00. First Come First Serve!

We will also be selling raffle tickets and concessions during the event!

To Reserve your tickets/tables, please fill out the attached forms and submit it to Home and School by January 23rd. We can't wait to see you there!!



NEW Parish Branding

You will see our new logo used everywhere by both our Church Parish and School. We hope our parish community will embrace this beautiful new logo, motto, and mission statement, all of which reflect the ultimate goal of unifying God's people through the Church.

INTRODUCING our NEW Parish Branding



The St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish Marketing Committee met over several months to brainstorm what core values represent our parish and how we could integrate our Church and School branding under one logo, motto, and mission statement.

The CONCEPT Behind the LOGO

The idea came from the suggestion to use the "two rivers," which is also the name of our annual parish festival. From the merging of the waters (unity) rises the cross (the church). The new logo is modern, simple and clean. It joins basic but powerful elements into one new symbol.



CROSS

The latin cross is the main symbol of Christian religion. Its the sign of Christ himself and the christian faith around the world. It represents the church.



INTERSECTION

Represents the community. How the people come together, intertwine, unite in the name of the lord.



WATER

Essential to life, shows movement, represents purity, sanctification, the Spirit of God, his Word and so much more. Its so important that its mentioned 722 times in the Bible.

Our MOTTO

"One Family United in Christ" reflects the ultimate goal of our parish: Unifying God's people through our Church family.

CORE VALUES of our Parish



Faith



Family



Fellowship

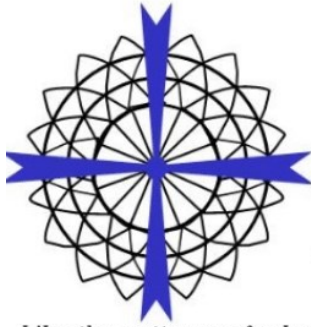


Formation

MISSION Statement:

St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish celebrates the living waters of Christ by nourishing our Catholic community spiritually and academically so that Christ may be known in our world.

Special thank you to our logo/branding designer Yara Gonzalez Oquendo Ashley, who is a parishioner of St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish and member of our Marketing Committee.



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Like the patterns of a kaleidoscope, our students are ever-changing and unique

OPEN HOUSE

January 22nd 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Grades Pre K3 - 8th

13940 Greenwell Springs Road
Greenwell Springs, La 70739
225-261-5299 - stalphonsusbr.org
Dr. Cynthia Ryals, Principal



WHO ARE WE?

- Certified, Caring Faculty
- Excellence in Academics
- Religious Education
- Weekly Mass
- Reading Lab
- Athletics 3rd-8th
- Morning and Extended Care
- Technology
- Computer Lab
- K - 8th Grade 1:1 Chromebook Program
- Multi-Media Library
- Science Lab
- Foreign Language
- High School Credit in Algebra 1, Physical Science, and Spanish 1
- Extracurricular Activities/Clubs
- Summer Camp

ST. ALPHONSUS YOUTH MINISTRY



DROP OFF ★ FRI, FEB 10 AT 7:00PM
PICK-UP ★ SAT, FEB 11 AT 7:00 AM
DINNER - MOVIE - GAMES

Traveling to **CELEBRITY THEATERS**
for a private **MOVIE** screening

Returning to St. Alphonsus for
GAMES and maybe a little **SLEEP**

**Register
by Feb. 3
Pay Online
& Return
Registration
Form**



**\$25
PER
YOUTH**

CONTACT
Elizabeth Norwood for Information
261-4644 or elizabeth@alphonsus.org

WE'RE HOSTING



VBS THIS SUMMER

June 12-16

9 am - 12 pm



Ages

5 - 11

**Adult/Teen
Volunteers
Needed!**

**Contact
Elizabeth
261-4644**

elizabeth@alphonsus.org

Children



St. Alphonsus School God's Helping Hands Club



What is God's Helping Hands?

The purpose of God's Helping Hands is to serve our school and church community through various service projects as well as promoting and creating a caring school environment.

Who is eligible to join?

God's Helping Hands is open to any 1st or 2nd grade student. Students should be willing to promote a caring school environment while serving our church and school through various service projects.

When and where are the meetings?

Meetings are right after school in the 1st grade classrooms beginning at 3:30 p.m. and ending promptly at 4:00 p.m. All students must be picked up from the 1st grade classrooms no later than 4:00 p.m. If your child needs to go to aftercare from the meeting, please indicate on your permission slip. Students who stay for the meeting need to inform the office and homeroom teacher of a dismissal change for that day.

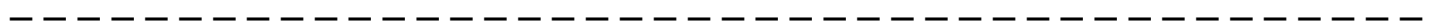
Meeting Dates

January 24th, February 28th, March 28th, April 25th

Club Moderators

Club Moderators for God's Helping Hands are Karen Harrison, Irene Berard, and Jessica Fisher. Feel free to email club moderators with any questions!

Fill out the information below if you are interested in joining and return it to your child's homeroom teacher. (Return no later than Friday, January 20th. Spots are limited.)



God's Helping Hands Permission Slip

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian e-mail address: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____



St. Alphonsus Home and School Presents

Bingo Night



• **GAMES** • **FUN** • **PRIZE**

January 27th, 2023 at 6:30pm
In the Family Center



Ticket Presale \$5 per Bingo Card

\$7 per Bingo Card at the door



PREORDER TICKET

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Bingo Night

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Ultimate VIP Package \$75

Reserved Seating: 10 Cards, 2
Large 1 Topping Pizzas, (2) 2 Liter
Drinks, and 20 Door Prize Tickets

___Pepperoni ___ Cheese

___Coke ___Dr. Pepper ___Sprite

___Diet Coke

Bingo Card PreOrder \$5

Number of Cards ___

Student Name and Homeroom Teacher
