



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

The Buzz

Forming Faith and Future

Kristy M. Monsour, Principal

January 22, 2026

- **January 22 -**
Home Basketball Games
- **January 23 -**
School Mass / Family Bingo Night
- **January 25-30 -**
Catholic Schools Week
- **January 30 -**
School Mass
- **February 5 -**
Progress Reports
- **February 6 -**
School Mass
- **February 7 -**
Daddy Daughter Dance 6:30 p.m.
- **February 10 -**
1:00 p.m.
Dismissal / 1:00-4:00 p.m. Parent/Teacher Conferences
- **February 13 -**
School Mass / Mardi Gras Parade at 2:00 p.m.
- **February 16-20 -**
Mardi Gras Holiday
No School

St. Alphonsus School Celebrates Catholic Schools Week

January 25th - January 30th

Sunday, January 25th - Celebrating our Parish

Attend Mass in school uniform or SAS gear.

Monday, January 26th - Fruit of the Spirit: LOVE

We love because He first loved us.

Dress: Red or pink shirt with spirit dress guidelines

Tuesday, January 27th - Fruit of the Spirit: JOY

Celebrating the joy of being in a Catholic School.

Dress: Crazy socks and hair (no artificial coloring)

Wednesday, January 28th - Fruit of the Spirit: PEACE

Peace in our hearts, classrooms and community.

Dress: Red, white, and/or blue shirts with spirit dress guidelines

Thursday, January 29th - Fruit of the Spirit: KINDNESS/GOODNESS

Living the Gospel with grateful hearts and serving hands.

Dress: Dress up like your dream job with free dress guidelines

Friday, January 30th - Fruit of the Spirit: FAITHFULNESS/SELF-CONTROL

Growing strong in Christ through faithfulness and self-control.

Dress: Mass uniform

****Free Dress Guidelines - No leggings, no inappropriate graphics, shorts and skirts must be longer than the student's fingertips, no halter, sleeveless or tank tops.**
Students must wear athletic shoes.

Catholic Charities

Catholic Charities will conduct their annual supply drive again this year during Catholic Schools Week. The collection will be from **January 19th-January 27th.**

Anyone - Walmart or Visa Gift Cards
PK 3, PK 4 and Kindergarten - Baby Wipes
1st - 2nd - Baby Shampoo
3rd - 4th - Diaper Cream / Baby Lotion
5th - 6th - Baby Thermometers
7th - New Pacifiers
8th - Crib Sheets



Enrollment for the 2026-2027 School Year

Re-enrollment for currently enrolled students and new siblings is open. The registration fee is now \$375.00 and will go up to \$425.00 on **January 30th**.

Please note: Enrollment will be completed online and the registration fee will be paid upon submission of the packet for each student. We encourage parents to re-enroll students now to secure their spot for the 2026-2027 school year. Re-enrollment is available through the “Family Portal” on RenWeb or by clicking this link: <https://sa-la.client.renweb.com/pwl>. Once on the Family Portal, select “Apply/Enroll” and then click “Enrollment/Reenrollment”.

- [Registration Timeline](#)
- [2026-2027 Tuition & Fee Schedule](#)

New Student Registration

If you know of someone interested in joining our St. Alphonsus School family, please let them know that new student registration is now open. Tours can be scheduled by calling 225-261-5299.

Tax Statements for 2025

A *printable payment summary* is available by logging into [FACTS](#).

Please follow the steps below:

- Click Financial Home
- Click View Details in the Payment Plan and Billing Box
- Click View Payment Summary (note: page will open in another window or tab)

If you need assistance navigating to your FACTS account, please click [here](#) for detailed instructions.

Congratulations to the 2025 Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest winners!

Kindergarten

1st Place – Dax D.
2nd Place – Frankie F.

Grade 1st – 2nd

1st Place – Jamisyn P.
2nd Place – Heidi H.
3rd Place – Livia K.

Grade 3rd – 4th

1st Place – Levie J.
2nd Place – Mason R.
3rd Place – Joey S.



Grade 5th – 6th

1st Place – Landry F.
2nd Place – Mackayla S.
3rd Place – Olivia M.

Grade 7th – 8th

1st Place – Mackenna S.



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

The G.R.A.C.E. Program

Giving Religious Access for Children with Exceptionalities

Now Enrolling Students for the 2026-2027 School Year

The G.R.A.C.E. Program is a faith-centered, inclusive special education program designed to meet the needs of exceptional learners in a nurturing, Catholic environment. Our goal is to help every child grow academically, spiritually, socially, and emotionally.

Exceptionalities Served:

- Autism
- Intellectual Disability (Mild-Moderate)
- Multiple Disabilities
- Down Syndrome
- Other Health Impairments
- Specific Learning Disabilities
- Traumatic Brain Injury (ambulatory students)

Program Benefits:

- Individualized placement and small-group instruction
- Opportunities for mainstreaming when appropriate
- Access to related services as available
- Engage with age-level peers and Big Buddies to assist in social skills development
- Supportive, Christ-centered learning environment

Interested in Learning More?

We would love to meet with you to discuss admissions and determine whether the GRACE Program is the right fit for your child.

Contact:

Kristy Monsour, Principal
kmonsour@stalphonsusbr.org

We're Hiring! Join Our Team

Are you passionate about making a difference in the lives of students with special needs? We're looking for dedicated professionals to join our team:

- [Special Education Teacher](#)

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.

FRUITS OF THE SPIRIT PRAYER





WHAT IS BULLYING?

When kids know what bullying is – and what it isn’t – it’s easier for them to be aware of it and report it!

The Definition Of Bullying

Bullying is behavior that meets the following conditions:

- **Repeated** – There is more than one incident of the behavior.
- **On Purpose** – The behavior is not on accident.
- **Hurtful** – The behavior is meant to cause harm.
- **One-Sided** – The behavior is being done by one person/group to another person/group. Typically, the person/group doing the behavior has some sort of power – like being older, more popular, bigger, etc. – over the other.

The Types Of Bullying

Verbal – Harming someone with spoken or written words. Examples include:

- Name calling, making threats, rude or inappropriate comments, writing hurtful comments

Cyber – Harming someone using technology such as text messages, social media, etc.

Examples include:

- Posting inappropriate photos, sending mean or threatening messages, creating a fake account

Social or Emotional – Harming someone by trying to damage their reputation or relationships. Examples include:

- Ignoring or excluding the person, spreading rumors, manipulating or controlling the person, embarrassing the person

Physical – Harming someone or someone’s things in a physical way Examples include:

- Hitting, kicking, shoving, tripping, breaking or ruining someone’s things, etc.

What Bullying Is NOT

Not all conflict is bullying. Some other types of relational issues include:

Conflict:

- Once or repeated
- On purpose
- Hurtful
- Both parties involved

Mean Moment:

- Once
- On purpose
- Hurtful
- One-Sided



In our upcoming guidance classes, the overall topic for kindergarten through 8th grade will be bullying and being kind vs unkind. The information discussed and class activities will be tailored to each grade level. If you have any questions or would like more information about your child's guidance class, please feel free to email me.

Morgan Bueche
mbueche@stalphonsusbr.org



Saturday	St. Alphonsus Gym
FE 7th	6:30 - 8:30 pm
	semiformal attire with sneakers
<i>click to purchase</i>	<u>tickets:</u> \$20 for dad (includes professional picture) and \$10 per daughter

DJ | professional photographer | photo booth
cookies & drinks | concessions available for purchase

Boys Basketball

Join us in the Family Center to cheer on
our basketball teams!

Click [HERE](#) for the boys' basketball
schedule!

BASKETBALL HOME GAMES

22
JAN

5:00 PM - 3RD GRADE BLUE
5:45 PM - 4TH GRADE WHITE
6:30 PM - 6TH GRADE JV
7:30 PM - 7TH GRADE JV

23
JAN

5:00 PM - 3RD GRADE WHITE
5:45 PM - 3RD GRADE BLUE
6:30 PM - 4TH GRADE BLUE
7:15 PM - 4TH GRADE WHITE



Congratulations to our
7th grade varsity basketball
team. They won the St.
George Tournament this past
weekend!



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

Forming Faith and Future

- Weekly Mass
- Certified, caring faculty
- Excellence in academics
- Religious education focused on our Catholic faith
- Reading Lab Program
- Athletics 3rd-8th grade
- Morning and Extended Care Program
- Computer Lab
- 3rd-8th grade 1:1 Chromebook Program
- Multi-Media Library
- Science Lab
- Spanish
- High school credit in algebra 1, physical science, and Spanish 1
- Extracurricular activities/clubs
- Summer camp

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GREENWELL SPRINGS, LA 70739



**New student
registration is
NOW OPEN for
the 2026-2027
school year!**



Join us for a fabulous evening at our annual St. Alphonsus Liguori Catholic Church & School Auction, Taste Fair & \$10,000 Raffle

**Saturday, March 21, 2026 at 5 PM
in the Parish Activity Center**

Our Event will include:

**Live Auction - \$10,000 Raffle Drawing - First Pick Raffle
Silent Auction - Food from Local Caterers - Wine & Dine
Vegas/Elvis Costume Contest & More!**



Raffle Tickets

Go to alphonsus.org or
scan this QR code with
your phone to purchase
tickets online.



Tickets are available for
purchase in the Church and School
Offices and will also be sold after
Masses on Jan. 17-18, Feb. 21-22,
March 7-8, and March 14-15, 2026.

Online Auction Feb 26-March 6

The online portion of our auction will
include popular school items such as:

First in Carpool, Pick Your Teacher,
Colorful Shoes, breakfast with teachers,
passes to all 2025-2026 SAS home
athletic events, & more!



The Auction and Taste Fair Committee are in
need of wine donations for the
“Wine and Dine” portion of the evening.

Please send donations of
bottles of wine to the
church or school office
by March 7th.

Contact Megan Jenkins
with any questions
225-335-4118



SchoolStore

Your support matters, help us reach our goal!

The SchoolStore Program is 100% online so there is NO face-to-face selling, handling money, or delivering products. Your participation will take less than 12 minutes, and there are exciting prizes to make it fun for the students.

Here is all you need to do to participate:

1. Go to <https://www.schoolstore.net/sid.t?0000120094> to sign up.
2. Send form emails inviting family, friends and co-workers to support your child.
3. Return the Book Buddy Lanyard with the Student Prize Code to school for your child to get their fun participation prize.

Your participation will make a difference for our school and teachers!



SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL • SERVE OUR COMMUNITY

Professional Tax Preparation
Organized • Accurate • Stress-Free

This tax season, your family's tax return can do more than meet a deadline — it can support faith-based education and our St. Alphonsus community.

\$50 DONATED FOR EVERY TAX RETURN PREPARED

For each tax return prepared by **Bayou Bookkeeping & Tax**, **\$50** will be donated directly to **St. Alphonsus Catholic School**. No added cost. No extra steps.

Tax Services Offered

Individual Returns: W-2 & standard, Itemized deductions, Self-employed / 1099

Business Returns: S-Corporations, Partnerships, C-Corporations

Clean, organized records required. Bookkeeping cleanup available if needed.

Why Families Trust Bayou Bookkeeping & Tax

- Clear, upfront communication
- Organized, accurate filings
- Plain-English explanations
- Local Louisiana experience
- No last-minute stress

Important Note: Tax preparation services are provided by a professional bookkeeping firm (not a CPA or Enrolled Agent). Our focus is accurate preparation and timely filing. Advanced tax planning or IRS representation is referred to licensed professionals when needed.

READY TO FILE & SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL?

Appointments are limited during tax season. File early to help the school sooner.

Schedule:

Phone: (225) 442-1137

bayoubookkeepingandtax.com/consultation

JOIN OUR FUNDRAISER AT RAISING CANE'S!

Mention the fundraiser at the register
and Cane's will donate **15% of sales to:**

St. Alphonsus School

DATE & TIME:

Monday, Feb 9th 4pm-8pm

LOCATION:

Central Location Only



Taylor Morris Events
In Partnership with
The National Ataxia Foundation
presents

KREWE of ATAXIA

MARDI GRAS BALL

FOOD . DRINKS . MUSIC

Hilton Capitol Center
201 Lafayette St, Baton Rouge, LA

DAT-BAND
EST. 2014

NAF National Ataxia Foundation
www.ataxia.org

www.ataxia.org/krewe

www.taylormorrisevents.com

Women's Welcome Retreat

There IS more to life!

This is your invitation to join a faith-filled weekend designed for women—a time that will deepen your relationship with God, strengthen and enrich your community connections, and bring renewed purpose as you live out your Catholic faith.

DATE: Saturday, February 28 - Sunday, March 1, 2026

REGISTRATION FEE: \$50

LOCATION: St. Alphonsus Parish Activity Center
14158 Frenchtown Rd, Greenwell Springs, LA 70739

MEALS: All meals will be provided from breakfast Saturday through lunch Sunday. Snacks and drinks will be available throughout the weekend. Come hungry and ENJOY!

LODGING: This is an OVERNIGHT retreat and we will sleep in the Parish Activity Center. You will need an air mattress, cot, pillow, blanket and/or sleeping bag.

MASS: We will attend Mass on Sunday.

REGISTER online at alphonsus.org or call the Faith Formation Office at 225-261-4644

**If you have previously attended our Welcome Weekend and would like to join us again, we invite you to register for our waitlist. We want to ensure that newcomers have the opportunity to enjoy this wonderful experience. If space becomes available, we will contact those on the waitlist.*

Questions: Email Womenoffaith225@gmail.com or call the Church office 225-261-4644