



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

The Buzz

Forming Faith and Future

Kristy M. Monsour, Principal

February 5, 2026

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **February 5 -**
Progress Reports /
Home Basketball
Games
- **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
- **February 16-17 -**
School Office
Closed
- **February 18-20 -**
School Office Open
8:00 a.m. - 1:00
p.m.

On **February 10th, students will dismiss at 1:00 p.m. due to Parent/Teacher conferences. There will be NO AFTERCARE on this day; however, buses will run.

** Mardi Gras Holidays - NO SCHOOL on **February 16th - February 20th**. We will return to school on **February 23rd**.

Catholic Schools Week

Celebrating Milestones in Catholic Education!

Congratulations to our amazing teachers who have reached a milestone number of years in Catholic Education!

Mrs. Tomecek - 15 years

Mrs. Dora - 20 years

Mrs. Ashford - 20 years

Mrs. Harrison - 35 years



American Cancer Society - Free Dress

On **Wednesday, February 11th**, students who bring \$1.00 to support the Cancer Society may participate in Free Dress. Please refer to the Parent/Student Handbook for Free Dress guidelines.

[Parent/Student Handbook](#)

Krewe of Hornets / Mardi Gras Dress Day

The Krewe of Hornets parade will be on **Friday, February 13th at 2:00 p.m.** Students may wear Mardi Gras shirts with spirit dress guidelines. No beads or accessories can be worn to Mass.



**daddy + daughter
Sneaker Ball**



Saturday St. Alphonsus Gym
FEB
7th 6:30 - 8:30 pm
semiformal attire with sneakers

click to purchase
→ tickets: \$20 for dad (includes professional picture) and \$10 per daughter

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

Join us in the gym to cheer on our basketball teams!

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

BASKETBALL HOME GAMES



SAS 3RD GRADE WHITE VS. ST. GEORGE
5 FEBRUARY | 5:00 PM

SAS 4TH GRADE GOLD VS. ST. GEORGE
5 FEBRUARY | 5:45 PM

SAS 6TH GRADE JV VS. ST. GEORGE
5 FEBRUARY | 6:30 PM

SAS 7TH GRADE JV VS. ST. GEORGE
5 FEBRUARY | 7:30 PM



Congratulations to our 5th grade boys and coaches for winning second place in the SJV tournament this past weekend.



LUNCH AND
HOLE
SPONSORSHIPS
ARE
AVAILABLE

MARCH 27, 2026
11 AM - 2 PM

REGISTRATION DEADLINE
MARCH 20TH

Get More Info:
225-261-5299

LUNCH:
LENT FRIENDLY OPTIONS

2026 HIVE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Click HERE or Scan
the QR Code to
REGISTER NOW!



The mission of the Hive Booster Club is to support all athletic and spirit programs at St. Alphonsus Catholic School.

Top Golf Baton Rouge
10955 N Mall Dr,
Baton Rouge, LA



**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

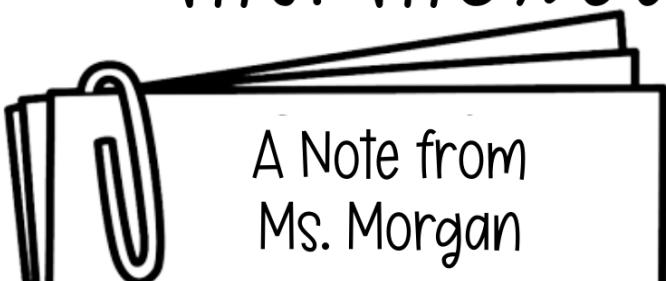




Counselor's CORNER

February 2026

Ms. Morgan Bueche



A Note from Ms. Morgan

Next week, February 9–13, we will be celebrating Kindness Week at St. Alphonsus! We are excited about the activities we have planned. Our Pre-K through 2nd graders will participate in a daily "Happy Heart Challenge," while our 3rd through 8th graders will work to complete their Random Acts of Kindness Bingo Challenge.

Each day will also have a special theme: Manners Monday, Thoughtful Tuesday, Wellness Wednesday, Thankful Thursday, and Friendly Friday. Be sure to ask your student about the activities they participated in and how they showed kindness throughout the week.

Please see the next page for information about the "Planting Seeds of Hope" event hosted by Rain Will Bring Flowers, LSU Athletics, The Joe Burrow Foundation, and OLOL. This is a wonderful opportunity for our middle school students to help raise awareness and normalize conversations surrounding mental health. For more information or if you have any questions, please visit the foundation's website or feel free to email me.

<https://www.rainwillbringflowers.org/>

Important Links

[Parent Referral Form](#)

[Elementary Student Check-In Form](#)

[Middle School Student Check-In Form](#)

[School Website](#)
[Counseling Program](#)

Let's CONNECT!



mbueche@stalphonsusbr.org



225.261.5299



Happy, Healthy Hornet Tip

Kindness starts with everyday moments. Parents can model kindness by how they speak to others, handle frustration, and respond to mistakes—kids are always watching. Encourage your child to notice how their words and actions affect others by asking simple questions like, "How do you think that made them feel?" Praising kind choices, even small ones, helps reinforce that kindness is a strength and a habit worth building.



RAIN WILL
BRING FLOWERS
FOUNDATION

THIRD ANNUAL
PLANTING SEEDS OF HOPE



John Foster



Clyde Edwards-Helaire



Ryan Clark



Rick Yarosh

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 2026 AT 6PM
PETE MARAVICH ASSEMBLY CENTER

N Stadium Dr, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, USA at 6pm

Enter LSU's campus from the corner of Nicholson Drive and North Stadium Drive

Free community event

Free Event T-shirt for the first 2,000 attendees
Free Cane's & Jason's Deli to the first 2,500 attendees

PARKING:

400 – 404 (LSU Tiger Stadium Parking on the south side of Tiger Stadium),
and 104 - 108 (off of Nicholson west of the Bennie Moore Outdoor Track)

**RSVP
AHEAD**



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 @rain.will.bring.flowers



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St. Alphonsus Catholic School

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Forming Faith and Future

- Religious Education
- Weekly Mass
- Dyslexia Lab Program
- Reading and Math Intervention
- Counseling Program
- Morning and Afternoon Care Program
- High School Credit in Algebra 1, Physical Science, and Spanish 1

- GRACE Program for Special Education
- Computer Lab
- 3rd-8th grade 1:1 Chromebook Program
- Hands-On Interactive Science Lab
- Spanish 2nd-8th Grade
- Summer Camp

Scan the QR code to register



**NEW STUDENT
REGISTRATION IS NOW
OPEN FOR THE
2026-2027 SCHOOL
YEAR**



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
kmon sour@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](#)



*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 Office and
will also be sold after Masses on
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 2026-2027 SAS home
athletic events, & more!

**WINE
Donations Needed**

The Auction and Taste Fair Committee are in
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

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OR CLICK HERE TO VOTE

FAIR T-SHIRT DESIGN CONTEST
Rate Each Design 1-5 stars



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



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Taylor Morris EVENTS

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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 alphonus.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