



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

The Buzz

Forming Faith and Future

Kristy M. Monsour, Principal

September 4, 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **September 5 -**
School Mass
- **September 8-12**
- Book Fair Week
- **September 8 -**
Book Fair Family
Night 6-8 p.m.
- **September 9 -**
Picture Retakes
and Class Pictures
- **September 11 -**
Progress Reports
- **September 12 -**
School Mass
- **September 16 -**
Hornet Run
Kickoff / 1:00 p.m.
Dismissal - No
Aftercare /
Parent/Teacher
Conferences
- **September 19 -**
School Mass /
Family Bingo Night
6-8 p.m.
- **September 23 -**
Hornet Run Turn
In Day

First Friday Adoration and Benediction



Tomorrow we will have our first Friday Adoration and Benediction following our school Mass at 8:30 with the singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Parents are invited to join us in prayer and adoration.

Class Pictures and Picture Retakes

On **Tuesday, September 9th** students will be taking class pictures and picture retakes. Any student needing to take retakes will need a note from their parent.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher conferences will be on **Tuesday, September 16th** from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Students will dismiss at 1:00 p.m. and there will be NO aftercare. Busses will run on this day.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive

Thank you to all the students who have brought in canned goods this week for St. Vincent de Paul! There's still time to donate and help stock the pantry for those in need.

- Canned tuna or chicken
- Cereal
- Mac & cheese
- Jelly
- Sugar
- Boxed side
- Flour
- Jiffy corn muffin mix

Your donations will go directly to families in need. Thank you for your support and generosity!

FOOD DRIVE





Yearbook News

2024-2025 Yearbooks

Today is the last day to purchase a **2024-2025 yearbook**.

If you **did not order a yearbook last year**, now is your chance to secure one before they're gone!

Don't miss out — order yours today!

Click [HERE](#) to purchase.

We Need Your Pictures

You can now upload and share your pictures to the yearbook site throughout the school year. Click on the link YearbookShare.com and enter the code 2454 to upload your pictures.

UPLOAD PHOTOS AT YEARBOOKSHARE.COM

Yearbook staff is looking for:

your pictures for the SAS
2025-2026 Yearbook!

Submit photos with **eShare**.

Visit YearbookShare.com to upload photos from your own devices. Be sure to include details, such as names of students pictured, dates or the event title.

Photos you upload to eShare may be used in the yearbook!

USE THE QR CODE OR VISIT YEARBOOKSHARE.COM

THEN, USE OUR SCHOOL CODE: 2454

Beginner and Advanced Band



The St. Alphonsus Beginner and Advanced Bands will be forming in **September**. Band is open to 4th-8th grade students interested in learning to play an instrument in a group setting. Please click [HERE](#) for more information. Click on the link to register <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/Rt7ZWFEv>

Cafeteria News

Cafeteria Volunteers

We can always use helping hands in our cafeteria. Please see [THIS LINK](#) to volunteer to serve lunch. Parents and grandparents are welcome. The shift is from 10:30 - 12:30 and is a recurring monthly spot. Volunteers can start once they have completed the child protection packet and background check. If you would like to get background checked, email our Office Manager, Bethany Richard, at brichard@stalphonsusbr.org for more information.

September Lunch Menu

My School Bucks

Free/Reduced Lunch



SAS BOOK FAIR

The SAS Book Fair will be held September 8 – 12! Each student will be able to preview the book fair at the beginning of the week and then come back to the Book Fair as needed to purchase books. Payment options are cash, check, credit card, and Scholastic eWallet. The eWallet allows parents to load money into a virtual wallet, enabling students to spend it at the Book Fair without needing to send cash/checks to school. Unspent monies roll over to the next Book Fair. [Click here](#) for information on setting up an eWallet

We will once again host a Family Night on Monday, September 8, from 6 – 8 PM. Family Night allows parents to accompany students to the book fair and preview/purchase books for their children. We will have a spinning wheel for a chance to win a poster, books, bookmarks, erasers, or gift certificates to the book fair.

We cannot wait to see you there! Thank you for supporting our school library!

Monday

8:45 - 9:15 - PKA

9:15 - 9:45 - PKB

9:45 - 10:15 - 5A

10:15 - 10:45 - 5B

11:15 - 11:45 - PK3B

11:45 - 12:15 - KB

1:15 - 1:45 - 2B

1:45 - 2:15 - 2A

6p - 8p - Family Night

Tuesday

8:45 - 9:15 - PK3A

9:15 - 9:45 - 3A

9:45 - 10:15 - 3B

10:15 - 10:45 - 4A

10:45 - 11:15 - 4B

11:45 - 12:15 - KA

12:45 - 1:15 - 1A

1:15 - 1:45 - 1B

Wednesday -
Middle School All
Day During
Reading Class

Thursday & Friday -
Students May
Reshop As Needed

Help our teachers build their classroom libraries! Last year, we had tremendous support from parents contributing to our Teacher eWallets. Below are the homeroom teachers' eWallet links. Please consider supporting our teachers' classroom libraries by contributing to their class eWallet!

***The below links are for the homeroom teacher eWallets only; this does not fund student

eWallets**

[Mrs. Irene](#)

[Mrs. Alex](#)

[Mrs. Lonibos](#)

[Mrs. Glissman](#)

[Mrs. Debra](#)

[Mrs. Michelle](#)

[Mrs. Harrison](#)

[Ms. Fisher](#)

[Mrs. Nicosia](#)

[Mrs. Ashford](#)

[Mrs. Penton](#)

[Mrs. Weaver](#)

[Mrs. Wiebel](#)

[Mrs. Jada](#)

[Mrs. Jones](#)

[Mrs. Karen Hill](#)

[Mrs. Kelli Hill](#)

[Reading Lab](#)



**CLICK HERE TO
VOLUNTEER AT
THE BOOK
FAIR!**



Girls Basketball

Come out and support
our girls' basketball teams
in the Family Center!

Athletic Gear

Order your athletic gear
today!

- [Fan Shop](#)
- [Athletic Sweatshirts
for ALL Sports](#)

BASKETBALL HOME GAMES

10
SEPT

5:45 P.M. - 4TH GRADE
6:30 P.M. - 5TH GRADE BLUE
7:15 P.M. - 5TH GRADE WHITE

11
SEPT

5:45 P.M. - 6TH GRADE BLUE
6:30 P.M. - 6TH GRADE WHITE
7:15 P.M. - 7TH/8TH GRADE

Join The HIVE - Support SAS Athletics

Click [HERE](#) to become a MEMBER

JOIN THE HIVE

ST. ALPHONSUS ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

Membership includes:

- 1 year-long athletic pass
 - 1 Hive t-shirt
 - Additional passes for \$40 each
- *HIVE members can purchase extra passes
for family members.*



Counselor's CORNER

September 2025

Ms. Morgan Bueche

A Note from Ms. Morgan

We are almost through the first month of school, and it has been a great month! I have enjoyed getting to know our new students and welcoming our new 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students with special lunch groups. I am looking forward to the different lunch groups I have planned for various grades and student groups this year.

Guidance classes with PK4 through 8th grade have been nothing short of fun and full of activities! Our topics have included getting to know the school counselor, following directions, whole-body listening, and communication and team building. I am looking forward to my biweekly classes with all the grades this school year.

Important Links

[Parent Referral Form](#)

[Elementary Student
Check-In Form](#)

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

[School Website
Counseling Program](#)

Let's CONNECT!



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Happy, Healthy Hornet Tip

Rather than asking your child, "How was your day?" and them replying again with, "good."

Try asking, "What was the best part of your day?" "What did you learn?" "Who did you play with?" "Who did you sit with at lunch?"





HOPE

YOUTH FEST

OUR LADY OF HOPE
3167 Old 51 S. Osyka, MS

OCTOBER 11, 2025

YOUTH GROUPS / CATHOLIC SCHOOLS
8TH - 12TH GRADE

Music by:

THE VIGIL PROJECT
MUSIC FOR THE CATHOLIC JOURNEY



Deacon Michael Parker



COLIN AND AIMEE MACIVER



FATHER PAUL GROS



KATHLEEN HIGGINS

REGISTER: WWW.OURLADYOFHOPEMS.COM/YOUTH-FEST

ST. ALPHONSUS

Don't miss the opportunity to learn about Catholicism.
Together we grow in faith and love.

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Sundays 6:00 -8:00 PM in the PAC
(Nursery Available upon request)

Sept. 21, Deacon Don Allison
"A Second Chance"

Oct. 26 John Fabre
"Marian Apparitions"

Nov. 16 Fr. Miles Walsh
"Heaven, Hell and Purgatory"

Jan. 18 Dr. Durwin Walker
"Angels and Demons"

Feb. 1 Hunter Hardin
"Eucharistic Miracles"

March 8 Deacons
"Questions and Answers"

WISDOM WEDNESDAYS

Wednesdays 6:30 -8:00 PM in the PAC

Aug. 27 Fr. Tat Hoang
"Becoming more hopeful The Method: Care"

Sept. 10 Fr. Tat Hoang
"Becoming more hopeful The Method: Share"

Sept 24 Frank R. Campbell
Suicide Prevention Presentation

Oct. 8 Fr. Tat Hoang
"Becoming more hopeful The Method: Dare"

Nov. 5 Fr. Jason Palermo
"All about Confession"


Dec. 3 Fr. Jason Palermo
"Is the Mass based on the Bible?"

Jan. 14 Steve Whitlow
"Overview Road to Emmaus the Mass"

Feb. 11 Rhett Covington
"Why we do what we do at Mass"

Special presentation:
Monday, Oct. 13, 2025 at 6:30 PM
Les Hausse "God and War: A study on the development of Catholic doctrine on war"

Deeper Understanding Pray Together Faith Growth



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**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

**Dear Holy Spirit,
Thank You for living in my heart.
Help me grow Your beautiful fruits:**

Love - so I care for others
Joy - so I smile even when life is hard
Peace - so I stay calm and trust in You
Patience - so I don't get upset
Kindness - so I treat everyone like a friend
Goodness - so I choose to do what's right
Faithfulness - so I always follow You
Gentleness - so I use soft words
Self-control - so I make good choices

**Help me be more like Jesus every
day. Mary, Mother of God, pray for
me. All you holy angels and saints,
pray for me too. Amen.**



SAS Home and School Family Bingo Night

SAS Home and School Association would like to invite you to our Family Bingo Night on September 19th at 6:00 p.m. in the PAC!

Click [HERE](#) to for more information!





SEPTEMBER 2025

Elementary School



Monday

LABOR DAY

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

1

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza
Garden Salad, Steamed Corn
Garden Variety Veggies
Pineapple
Milk

Choice: Chicken Smackers

2

BBQ Pulled Pork
Macaroni and Cheese & Baked Beans
Garden Variety Veggies
Peaches
Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

3

Spaghetti and Meat Sauce
Garden Salad
Garden Variety Veggies
Orange Wedges
Garlic Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Loaded Baked Potato

4

Chicken Sandwich
French Fries
Sandwich Salad Cup
Garden Variety Veggies
Fruit Sorbet
Milk

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

5

8

Chicken Smackers
Spaghetti and Cheese
Vegetable Medley
Garden Variety Veggies
Green Apple Wedges
Milk

Choice: BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich

Chicken & Sausage Jambalaya
White Beans
Garden Variety Veggies
Peaches
Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Chicken Smackers

9

Hamburger/Cheeseburger
Sandwich Salad Cup
Baked Beans
French Fries
Garden Variety Veggies
Tropical Fruit
Milk

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

10

Chicken Parmesan w/ Spaghetti
Parmesan Roasted Zucchini
Garden Variety Veggies
Orange Wedges
Garlic Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Loaded Baked Potato

11

Nachos
Fiesta Corn
Nacho Salad Cup, Salsa
Garden Variety Veggies
Fruit Sorbet
Milk

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

12

15

Chicken Tenderloin Strips
Red Beans and Rice
Garden Variety Veggies
Orange Wedges
Biscuit
Milk

Choice: BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich

Soft Tacos
Pinto Beans & Spanish Rice
Taco Salad Cup, Salsa
Garden Variety Veggies
Red Apple Wedges
Milk

Choice: Chicken Smackers

16

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza
Garden Salad
Garden Variety Veggies
Peaches
Milk

Choice: Chef Chicken Caesar Salad

17

Chicken Smackers w/ Potatoes
Vegetable Medley
Garden Variety Veggies
Green Apple Wedges
Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Loaded Baked Potato

18

Macaroni and Cheese
Green Beans
Garden Variety Veggies
Fruit Sorbet
Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

19

22

Honey Citrus Chicken
Fried Rice
Steamed Broccoli
Garden Variety Veggies
Pineapple
Milk

Choice: BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich

Salisbury Steak w/ Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Lima Beans
Garden Variety Veggies
Red Apple Wedges
Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Chicken Smackers

23

BBQ Pulled Pork
Macaroni and Cheese & Baked Beans
Garden Variety Veggies
Peaches
Dinner Roll
Milk
Vanilla Cupcake

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

24

Spaghetti and Meat Sauce
Garden Salad
Garden Variety Veggies
Orange Wedges
Garlic Dinner Roll
Milk

Choice: Loaded Baked Potato

25

Chicken Sandwich
French Fries
Sandwich Salad Cup
Garden Variety Veggies
Fruit Sorbet
Milk

Choice: Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza

26

29

Chicken Smackers
Spaghetti and Cheese
Vegetable Medley
Garden Variety Veggies
Green Apple Wedges
Milk

Choice: BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich

Soft Tacos
Pinto Beans & Spanish Rice
Taco Salad Cup, Salsa
Garden Variety Veggies
Red Apple Wedges
Milk

Choice: Chicken Smackers

30

Notes: Menus are subject to change. All meals are served with a choice of milk.

MENUS: www.cnpbr.org

Notification Statement: Peanuts and Peanut butter are not purchased for meals produced by the Baton Rouge Diocese Child Nutrition Program; however, some products served may contain nuts, may be produced in plants that use nuts, and may contain traces of nuts.

MY
SCHOOL
BUCKS

PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE

MySchoolBucks.com