



ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Lion's Roar: February 27, 2023

Fasting and Feasting

God, help us during this season of Lent to:

Fast from judging others; feast on the Christ dwelling in them.

Fast from focusing on differences; feast on the unity of all life.

Fast from apparent darkness; feast on the reality of light.

Fast from words that pollute; feast on phrases that purify.

Fast from discontent; feast on gratitude.

Fast from anger; feast on patience.

Fast from pessimism; feast on optimism.

Fast from worry; feast on trust.

Fast from complaining; feast on appreciation.

Fast from negatives; feast on affirmatives.

Fast from unrelenting pressures; feast on unceasing prayer.

Fast from hostility; feast on nonviolence.

Fast from bitterness; feast on forgiveness.

Fast from self-concern; feast on compassion for others.

Fast from personal anxiety; feast on eternal truth.

Fast from discouragement; feast on hope.

Fast from facts that depress; feast on truths that uplift.

Fast from lethargy; feast on enthusiasm.

Fast from suspicion; feast on truth.

Fast from thoughts that weaken; feast on promises that inspire.

Fast from idle gossip; feast on purposeful silence.

May our fasting and feasting during this season of Lent purify our hearts and minds that we may more worthily heed the voice of the One who beckons us, “Come and follow me.”

Important Dates:

Tuesday, February 28	PK-2 Spring Conference SignUp Opens, 8pm
Wednesday, March 1	3rd Grade Class Mass
March 1-8	1st Grade Toiletry Collection (see below)
Friday, March 3	4th Grade China Day
Friday, March 3	2nd Grade Reconciliation
Monday, March 6	PK-2 Spring Conference SignUp Closes, 8pm
Tuesday, March 7	8th Grade Picture Retakes
Friday, March 10	End 3rd Nine Weeks
Friday, March 10	PreK-2 No School- Parent Conferences
Monday, March 13	No School for All Students- Teacher Inservice
Tuesday, May 2	Tuition Due

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES (Grades PK-2): Conferences for students in grades PK-2 will be held on **Friday, March 10**. Students in grades PK-2 will not have school on this day. The online sign-up for conference times will open on **Tuesday, February 28, at 8:00 p.m. and will close on Monday, March 6, at 8:00 p.m.** Further information with a sign up link will be sent soon.

TUITION: Tuition is due by **Tuesday, May 2, 2023** via e-check through Gulf Coast Bank Tuition <https://www.tuition.gulfbank.com/>. Loans must be applied for by **Tuesday, May 2**, as well. Current year tuition loans must be closed out in order to apply for a Gulf Coast tuition loan for 2023-24. Any payments or loan applications made after May 2, will incur a \$50.00 (PER CHILD) late fee. Tuition information can be found under Important Links on the school website (Tuition and Fee Information).

RELIGION UPDATES:

Toiletries Drive- 1st grade is sponsoring a drive to collect travel-sized toiletries for the Volunteers of America Homeless Outreach Shelters. The dates of the collection are Wednesday, March 1-Wednesday, March 8. Please let your students know to bring items. Boxes will be on the stage of the Old Gym.

Mass this week- 3rd grade has class mass on Wednesday, March 1. Natasha Mapp's class is facilitating

Lent Activities-

Rice Bowls- Rice Bowls have been given to each student. Students may return them when they have finished donating. The due date is noon on Wednesday, March 5.

Divine Mercy Chaplet- Each Monday of Lent, we will be praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet in morning assembly.

Stations of the Cross- the parish is sponsoring Stations of the Cross on **Friday mornings at 7:15 am. 5th-8th grade students are needed to volunteer to carry the cross.** The parish also sponsors Stations of the Cross at 5:30 pm on Friday.

Reconciliation- Please consult the Parish bulletin for Reconciliation times.

LIONS IN ACTION:

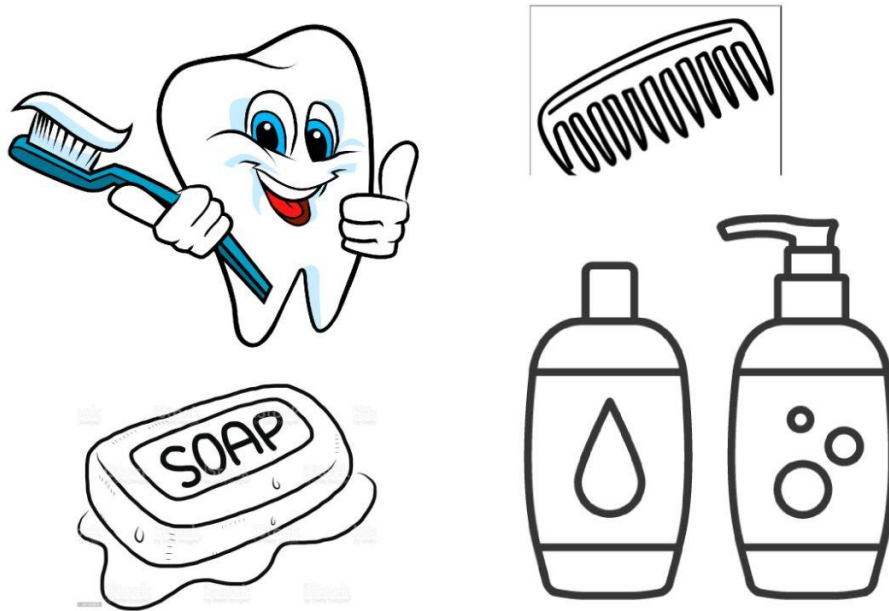
Boys' Basketball:

**ALL JV AND DEV LEAGUE NIGHT GAMES 5:45, 6:30, AND 7:15--VARSITY AT 5:45, 6:30, AND 7:30
**WHEN ONLY TWO GAMES ARE PLAYED, GAMES ARE AT 6:00 AND 7:00 (6:45 FOR DEV LEAGUE)
**SATURDAY GAMES ARE AT 9:00 AM, 9:45 AM, 10:30 AM, AND 11:15 AM
**SUNDAY GAMES ARE AT 1:00, 1:45, 2:30, AND 3:15

Mon, Feb 27th			
MBS	MBS VS ALOY (6)	MBS VS ALOY (7)	MBS VS ALOY (8)
Tues, Feb 28th			
MBS	EO(W) VS ALOY(R) (7) NS (6:00)	MBS VS THER (8) (6:45)	XX
Wed, Mar 1st			
ALLOY	ALLOY(W) VS ELIZ (6) (6:00)	ALLOY(W) VS OLOM(J) (7) (6:45)	XX
GEO	GEO(D) VS ALOY(R) (7)	GEO(G) VS OLOM(B) (7)	GEO(W) VS OLOM (8)
Thurs, Mar 2nd			
GEO	GEO(G) VS ALOY(R) (6)	GEO(G) VS OLOM(J) (7)	GEO(G) VS JOHN (8)

The mission of St. Aloysius School is to educate the whole child in the Catholic tradition for a life of meaning and purpose.

1st Grade
Collection of Toiletry Items
March 1-8



Combs, toothbrushes,
travel-sized
shampoo, hair products,
toothpaste, soap,
deodorant, lotions



Calling all Youth Volunteers!

Do you LOVE Jesus? Do you need service hours? Join us for Vacation Bible School as St. Jude and St. Aloysius blast off on a Stellar Adventure. VBS will be June 12-16th 9am-12pm at St. Jude. There are many opportunities to share your time and talents, and Youth Volunteer registration is now open. [Click here to Follow this link for an out of this world experience!](#)

Rich Dad,
Holy Dad

Investing in Your Spiritual Life During Lent

St. Aloysius Men's Club Lenten Dinner
Guest Speaker, Father Mark Thibodeaux, SJ
Best-selling author and Pastor of Holy Name of Jesus

Thursday, March 16th at 630pm
Parish Hall, Dinner will be served

RSVP HERE

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