



Our Lady of Victory

Catholic School

An Archdiocese of Atlanta Regional School
Tyrone, GA

"This Month In Victory"

The News at OLV

February 2018

Important Dates to Remember

- Feb 1- Basketball St. Paul @OLV
- Feb 2- CSW Prayer Service 10 am
- Feb 7- 2:00 pm Dismissal ASP Open
- Feb 7 & 8- Basketball Tournament @ Bedford and OLV
- Feb 8- 8th grade retreat to OLM
- Feb 9- Valentines Dress Down Day
- Feb 13- Middle Division Field Trip
- Feb 14- Ash Wednesday
- Feb 15- Valentines Dance- 3:30-5:00 pm
- Feb 16- No School for Students- Staff In-service
- Feb 16- Deadline to return Intent to Register
- Feb 19- Presidents Day- No School
- Feb 19-22- AdvancED Archdiocese Accreditation
- Feb 21- Conference Day- See communication from teachers
- Feb 24- Hot chocolate 5K- Peachtree City 8:00 am
- Feb 24- Archdiocese of Atlanta Job Fair @Chancery 10 am
- Feb 27- Prayer Service 2:00 pm



OLV's 5-8 Spelling Bee Participants

Principal's Message

Greetings!

I hope everyone is getting adjusted to the winter weather. Thank you everyone for your patience and support during this month's inclement weather.

As we move into February, there are several important dates coming up. Please remember to start the registration/re-enrollment process as soon as possible, as there have been several changes for the upcoming year.

Please look over the attached information regarding some upcoming events we have for the students. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you again for your support of OLV.

Sincerely,
George Wilkerson

"We lift our voices to our God, who gathers us together in the name of Jesus. Amen"

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Make-Up Snow Day

Due to our accreditation requirements, OLV will have to make up one of the inclement weather days. This make-up day will be Holy Thursday, March 29: this day will be a half-day with a Noon Dismissal.

Friday Rosary

Weekly Rosary for our OLV parents/guardians and community members will continue in February. There will be a weekly Rosary reading every Friday at 8:00 am in the cafeteria led by Ms. Hawkins. Please place prayer intentions in box in the lobby.

Home and School

Home and School will be having a meeting Friday, February, 2 at 2:00 pm in the cafeteria. Please make plans to come to the meeting before car line that day to help discuss and plan for the OLV 5K.

Saturday, February 24, 2018

8:15-Warm-up

8:30-Dash

9:00- 5K

Entry forms can be picked up at school, on PlusPortals, on OLV's website, on Active.com, and will be sent home.

5k- \$25 t-shirt included

Race Day registration- \$30 t-shirt not guaranteed

Race Day Registration No frills- \$10 t-shirt not included

We are looking forward to a big turn out. All proceeds will go back to Our Lady of Victory to help support our Mission. Make plans we will see you there!

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Intent To Register

Deadline to return Intent to Register forms is Friday, February 16.
Please contact Ms. Nardozza or Ms. Gordon in the Front Office with any questions.

Conference Day-No School

Conference Day is February 21. Please communicate with your student's teacher or the Front Office to set up conferences.

Volunteer Hours

Active parents enhance the school's ability to provide an excellent education in a Christ-centered environment. When a parent takes the time to come to school, the message is sent to his/her child that "School is a priority in our family." It is with this in mind that the school, in coordination with the Home and School Association developed a MANDATORY VOLUNTEER program. More information will be forthcoming, each family will be required to VOLUNTEER at least 16 hours next school year.

Some Volunteer service opportunities include, but are not limited to (hrs. appx.) (items in bold require VIRTUS training certification):

- Evening Orientation (2 hrs)
- Parent/Teachers Conferences (.5 hrs)
- School Programs- Advent, Graduation, etc...
- Facilities and grounds beautification and garden maintenance
- Career Day
- **Classroom activities**
- **Chaperoning field trips (up to 5 hrs)**
- **Carpooling students to and from field trips, Archdiocesan events, or OLV Sports program**
- Field Day Assistants (4 to 6 hrs)
- Hospitality for various school events
- Home and School Meeting Attendance
- Home and School Association Officer or Committee member
- Room Parent
- School Advisory Council Meetings (15)
- Athletic Coaching (16)
- Assistance with Extra-Curricular Activities
- Office Assistance
- Media Center assistance
- Donations to annual Harvest Carnival and 5K (1hr)

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Patriot Fund/NCEA Giving Day

Thank you to everyone for your contributions to OLV's giving day, with your help we raised over \$1,100 towards our Annual/Patriot Fund. We continue to work towards our goal of 100% participation from families in our Patriot/Annual Fund. If you have not yet donated, you can still do so. Please see the link below for the preferred method.

Reminder: this fund is used specifically for the educational needs of our students, technology, instructional materials, and helping bridge the gap between tuition and cost to educate per child. Whatever you feel you can contribute is good enough. Thank you again for your support of OLV!

<http://www.olvcatholicschoolk-8.org/support-olv.html>



From the Clinic

Parents, this is a little update from the clinic. We have had confirmed cases of influenza in the Lower Division. We have had confirmed strep throat in both divisions. Please watch your children for

- 1) dry cough accompanied by fever and body aches
- 2) sore throat with fever or sore throat that does not improve.

The duration of influenza may be shortened if your child receives medication within 48 hours of onset. Strep throat needs to be treated with an antibiotic. The children have all been instructed to wash their hands frequently. If your child does have a fever for any reason, please do not send them back to school until they are fever-free for 24 hrs without a fever reducer. Please call me with questions!

Nurse Jayne



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order your YEARBOOK!

Parents,

Yearbooks are a wonderful time capsule your daughter or son will go back to again and again to remember academic, athletic, and social milestones.

This year, the only way to purchase a yearbook will be through FACTS and the price will increase the longer you wait. Orders MUST be made by February 28, 2018 or a yearbook cannot be guaranteed. There will be a limited quantity available after this date.

Order early to get a discount on the purchase price.

Order by February 28, 2018 for \$30.00

Don't miss out on the book that helps build pride in our students, our school, and our entire community.

Please send in the bottom portion to order your yearbook through FACTS.

I would like to order the yearbook for my son/daughter and agree to have my FACTS account charged.

Order by February 28, 2018 for \$30.00

Name of Student(s) : _____
Grade of Student(s) : _____
Quantity Ordered: _____
Parent Name (Printed): _____
Parent Signature: _____
Date Ordered: _____