



HAPPENINGS



GRANDPARENTS/SPECIAL PERSONS DAY!!!

Grandparents/Special Persons Day will be celebrated this Friday, Feb. 10th!

We will have a small reception from 8 am to 9 am in the Msgr. Pierce Hall (**ONLY FOR THE GRANDPARENTS/SPECIAL PERSONS**). Grandparents/special persons can then visit classrooms and/or go to the Book Fair from 9:00 am to 9:40 am.

At 9:40 am, grandparents/special persons can take their grandchild(ren) to the Church for Mass beginning at 10:00 am followed by a short presentation in church.

Students will return to classrooms at 11:45 am to pack up for dismissal at 12 noon to either parents, grandparents, special persons, etc.

Because of space, we ask parents not come on Friday so that the grandparents/special persons are the guests and the ones to spend the day with their grandchild(ren). A reminder that school will be dismissed at 12 Noon that day and there will be NO daycare that day.



<http://laoblogger.com/daycare-van-clip-art.html>

NO DAY CARE on FEB. 10TH

There will be **NO Day Care provided on Friday, Feb. 10th**, as school will be dismissed at 12 noon as part of the Grandparents/Special Persons Day celebrations. Please make appropriate arrangements to have your child(ren) picked up at the 12 noon dismissal time on that day.

Inside This Issue!

Grandparents/Special Persons Day & Mass NO DAYCARE on FEB. 10TH	1
• Students of the Weeks • Looking Ahead Calendar • Important Tuition Payment Message • Family Envelope Went Home Today!	2
• 7th Grade Pizza Lunch Fundraiser—Order Deadline 2-14 • Valentines Day Free Dress • Room Parent \$\$ for Valentine’s Party • Words of the Week • Important Changes to Feb./March School Calendar	3
• Reception Donations Needed for Grandparent/Special Person Reception	4
• Centerpiece Donations Needed for Grandparent/Special Person Reception	5
• Yearbook Ads—Deadlines Approaching Soon!	6
• Book Fair Information	7-9
• Volunteering for Frontier Days Carnival Get Next Year’s Service Hours Done Early!	10
• SLS Sport News • Save the Date—Mother/Son Dance! • Save the Date—Father/Daughter Dance!	11
• “Move-a-Thon” Donations Needed	12
• Boy Scout’s “Spaghetti Dinner” Fundraiser	13
• Cub Scout Bake Sale	14
• Bishop Amat Junior Choir Invitation	15
• Puere Cantores Choir Invitation	16
• Parish News	17 &

Special Dates of Interest:

- ♦ Wed., Feb. 8th -
Scoliosis Screening (6th—8th Grades ONLY)
- ♦ Fri., Feb. 10th -
“Grandparents/Special Persons Day” Mass
10:00 am—Church / **NOON DISMISSAL**
- ♦ Tues., Feb. 14th -
Class Valentine’s Day Parties / Regular Dismissal
- ♦ Wed., Feb. 16th -
7th Grade’s “Pizza Lunch” Fundraiser
- ♦ Mon., Feb. 20th -
NO SCHOOL (President’s Day Holiday)
- ♦ Wed., Feb. 22nd -
School’s “Ash Wednesday” Mass—10 am—Church
- ♦ Thurs., Feb. 23rd -
School’s “MOVE-A-THON” Fundraiser Day
- ♦ Thurs., Feb. 23rd -
2nd Gr. “First Reconciliation” - Church—6:30 pm
- ♦ Fri., Feb. 24th -
NO SCHOOL (Teacher’s In-Service—Rel. Ed, Congress)

Important to Remember...

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK!

(For days of Jan. 30, 2023 through Feb. 03, 2023)

Aubree Diaz, Gr. TK, was recognized for being a good listener and being a great friend everyone! Hats off to you Aubree!

Benedict Ruvalcaba, Gr. 2, was recognized for his enthusiastic for Science; for his readiness to always help; and, for being so conscientious about his classroom job! Way to go Ben!

Jason Orosco, Gr. 5, was recognized for his academic excellence and for showing an eagerness to try challenging work! Bravo Jason on a great job!

Lauren Fritts Rodriguez, Gr. 8, was recognized for consistently going above and beyond expectations for all her assignments. Thank you Lauren for taking initiative, working hard, and always doing your best! Keep up the outstanding work!



WELL DONE !!



SCHOOL FINANCE MESSAGE...

As a reminder, tuition and fees showing on your Blackbaud account are due this Friday, February 10th, by 9:00 p.m. PST. Any payments received after 9:00 p.m. on the 10th will incur a \$60 late fee.

FAMILY ENVELOPE WENT HOME TODAY!

The family envelope went home today with the oldest child in your family today. If you have not yet done so, PLEASE be sure to take all the contents out of the envelope, read the materials, sign the front of the envelope and return the **EMPTY ENVELOPE** by tomorrow, Jan. 5th.

PLEASE NOTE: Your Family Statement is in yesterday's envelope - **PLEASE** review carefully and contact Denise Wold at DeniseW@stlouisedm.org with any questions you have regarding it.

PLEASE DO NOT RETURN ANY PAPERS, ETC.

LOOKING AHEAD...



The following is a list of upcoming important dates to remember:

- ◆ **Wed., Feb. 8th -**
Scoliosis Screening (6th—8th Grades ONLY)
- ◆ **Fri., Feb. 10th -**
“Grandparents/Special Persons Day” Mass
10:00 am—Church / **NOON DISMISSAL**
- ◆ **Tues., Feb. 14th -**
Class Valentine’s Day Parties / Regular Dismissal
- ◆ **Wed., Feb. 16th -**
7th Grade’s “Pizza Lunch” Fundraiser
- ◆ **Mon., Feb. 20th -**
NO SCHOOL (President’s Day Holiday)
- ◆ **Wed., Feb. 22nd -**
School’s “Ash Wednesday” Mass—10 am—Church
- ◆ **Thurs., Feb. 23rd -**
School’s “MOVE-A-THON” Fundraiser Day
- ◆ **Thurs., Feb. 23rd -**
2nd Gr. “First Reconciliation” - Church—6:30 pm
- ◆ **Fri., Feb. 24th -**
NO SCHOOL (Teacher’s In-Service—Rel. Ed, Congress)

Did You Know..

Valentine's Day Party

Dress Attire for This Friday, Feb. 11th...

Students can wear Valentine colored attire and accessories on Tuesday, Feb. 14th, for the Valentine's Day parties. Be sure to dress with the dress code guidelines in mind.

ATTENTION ROOM PARENTS

Valentine's Day Party money is available for pick up now at the school office. The parties will take place on Tuesday, Feb. 14th, at 2:15m. Please arrive for set up at 1:45 pm.

Words of the Week:

"Hope lingers over us like a lullaby because we were created to experience love and to give love."
— Robin Jones Gunn

IMPORTANT CHANGE TO FEBRUARY/MARCH SCHOOL CALENDAR...

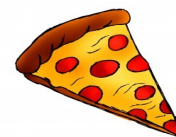
Originally the Religious Education Congress, was to be held on Friday, March 17th. However, there has been a change in this date.

PLEASE NOTE: Because of this change of date, there is **NO SCHOOL on Friday, February 24th**, instead so that the teachers can attend it.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS ACCORDINGLY—There will be **NO Half Dismissal on Feb. 3rd AND** there **WILL** be school **on March 24th**. The calendars on the school website have been updated to reflect this change. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

"7th Grade" PIZZA LUNCH FUNDRAISER—Thursday, Feb. 16th

Deadline to Order is 2-14-23 (12 Midnight)!



<https://clipartix.com/piz>

The 7th Grade will be having a COSTCO pizza lunch fundraiser on Thursday, Feb. 16th. Profits from this pizza lunch will go towards the costs of the end-of-the-year 7th/8th grade luncheon.

The cost is as follows now:

- Pizza Regular—\$5.00—**ONE** slice of pizza, one bad of chips, one fruits snack & one juice
- Pizza Plus—\$7.00—**TWO** slices of pizza, one bad of chips, one fruits snack & one juice

You will be ordering and paying for your pizza lunch ONLY through your Blackbaud Tuition account. Please follow the steps below to access the ordering process. If you have any questions regarding the ordering process, please contact Denise Wold in the finance department - denisew@stlouisedm.org or 626-915-7873, ext. 211. **The ABSOLUTE deadline to order is Tuesday, Feb. 14th, NO LATER THAN 12 midnight. Please note: there are no refunds or credits for pizza lunch.**

To place your order follow the "PURCHASE OPTIONAL ITEMS" (SHOPPING CART) instructions below:

- ◆ Log into your Blackbaud Tuition account (if you need help logging into your Blackbaud Tuition account, please contact Blackbaud at 888-868-8828)
- ◆ Select "purchase optional items" at the top of the screen
- ◆ "Select student(s)" in the middle of the screen
- ◆ Check the name of all students you wish to order for and select "go"
- ◆ Check all of the items you wish to order for each student
- ◆ Choose the quantity you wish to order for each student (please note your total amount below)
- ◆ Select "save"
- ◆ Consent to the agreement (this is a description of the shopping cart items you have purchased)
- ◆ Check "I have read the description of this item and agree to purchase" (you will have to do this for each item)
- ◆ Check "I understand that all purchases are final and non-refundable" (you will have to do this for each item)
- ◆ Select "agree"
- ◆ Select "continue"
- ◆ Click "pay now" (all shopping cart items are pay now items - they cannot be added to your Blackbaud invoice)
- ◆ Choose account to be used for payment – you may use an existing saved payment method or add a new one (remember, convenience fees are added to credit card or debit card transactions)
- ◆ Select "checkout" - You can choose to print a receipt. This is the only opportunity to print the receipt.

GRANDPARENTS Day

**Yes, we finally get to
celebrate it again!**

On Feb. 10, 2023, our children will be able to spend some time with the special people in their lives: their grandparents.

Traditionally, we have a little reception for them when they come visit our school. This reception is made possible by the generosity of our school families . Please check out the list below and bring your donations in on the morning of Feb. 10, at drop-off.

Based on the grade of your oldest child, please bring the following (we are more than happy to accept several donations if you wish to give more than for your oldest child.):

8th - 7th: Donuts/Pastries

6th - 4th: Muffins

1st to 3rd: Grapes or strawberries (washed)

TK - K: Sugar-free pastries

Thank you!

St. Louise Parent Club



GRANDPARENTS Day

**Yes, we finally get to
celebrate it again!**

We are so excited to welcome our grandparents and the special people in our children's lives. We would like to continue on with our tradition of providing them a special reception on their visit.

Please help us make it more memorable with the gift of succulents as our centerpieces. If you have succulents, soil, jars and vases (up to 4-inches in diameter) you can donate, please bring them into the school office starting Friday, Feb. 3 through Tuesday, Feb. 7.



We can also use some volunteers to help us prepare these centerpieces. Please email Sue at susanr@stlouisedm.org if you are available to help on Wednesday, Feb.8

Thank you!

St. Louise Parent Club

**ABSOLUTE DEADLINE IS THIS THURSDAY, FEB. 9TH
THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS
SO PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW!!!**

St. Louise de Marillac

Dear Parent or Student,
Yearbook Recognition Ads are the perfect way to commemorate achievements and celebrate milestones. In addition, revenues from Recognition Ads help our school create a better yearbook. To purchase your ad online, follow the instructions listed below. Jostens is responsible for our school's yearbook ad sales. Please do not contact or send materials to the school. Please also consider our school's ad content guidelines below during the creation of your ad online. All orders must be placed by 02/09/2023.

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK RECOGNITION AD TODAY!



ORDER BY 02/09/2023

COLOR AD

1/4 Page	\$55.00
1/8 Page	\$35.00

*Tax, service and delivery fee(s) will be added if applicable.
*Credit card installment plan available for orders of \$30 or more.

IT'S EASY! Create your ad online at
www.jostensadservice.com/student

1. Choose your ad size and layout.
2. Enter your text and upload your photos.

Important information about Yearbook Recognition Ads

- Our school reserves the right to edit ads per our guidelines.
- We retain the right to remove any explicit text, graphic photos or copyright-protected imagery or photos.
- For the ad to appear in the yearbook, your ad must be purchased by the order deadline.
- Color photographs uploaded for black-and-white ads will appear in black and white.
- We will make every effort to use your layout and text as indicated. A proof will not be provided and no changes can be made after purchase.

GUIDELINES SUR ROUNDING RECOGNITION AD CONTENT.

Our school reserves the right to edit ads per our guidelines. Please make sure all submitted materials are appropriate for school publication.

EASY PAYMENT PLAN AVAILABLE*

Frequently Asked Questions

How are the ad prices determined and what is the money used for?

Ad prices are determined by our school. The revenue from Recognition Ads helps support our yearbook and keep it affordable for everyone.

How is the ad deadline determined?

The ad deadline is set by our school based on the production schedule for the yearbook.

Can I create my student's ad on my mobile device?

Yes, yearbook ads can be created online from both desktop and mobile devices.

Can I send my materials to the school?

No, please do not send your materials to our school. Our school has selected Jostens to assist with our ad program. Please call our customer service number (800-358-0800) if you have questions or need assistance in creating your ad.

More questions? Call Jostens at (800) 358-0800.

www.jostensadservice.com/student



Jostens[®]



Explore an
OCEAN OF BOOKS



at our Scholastic

Book Fair

Starts Monday

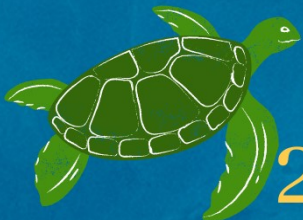
Feb. 6, 2023



Hours:

2/6 to 2/9, 9 AM to 3pm

2/10 (Fri), 8 AM to 1pm



in the Youth Room

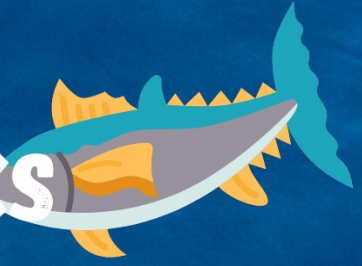
Shop online:

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/SLDMSchool>





Explore an **OCEAN OF BOOKS**



Can't make it to the fair? You can add funds to the teacher's E-wallets and they can purchase their choice books for their respective classrooms.

E Wallets for Teachers:

TK - <https://tiny.one/TKLuna>

4th - <https://tiny.one/4MCmp>

Kinder - <https://tiny.one/KCerv>

5th - <https://tiny.one/5MkEG>

1st - <https://tiny.one/1Flor>

6th - <https://tiny.one/6Lnrs>

2nd - <https://tiny.one/2Durk>

7th - <https://tiny.one/7Fjrg>

2nd - <https://tiny.one/2Vsqz>

8th - <https://tiny.one/8MRch>

3rd - <https://tiny.one/3EPmy>

Reading: <https://tiny.one/ReadLab>



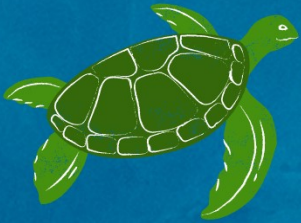


SCHOLASTIC



Visit our Scholastic Book Fair
website to browse the fair,
shop online and set up an
E-wallet for your child.

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/SLDMSchool>





Please consider volunteering for our 60th Frontier Days Carnival!

June 2nd, 3rd, 4th 2023

Frontier Days Carnival is one of our School and Parish's largest and most profitable fundraisers. Funds earned help keep our tuition affordable and go towards maintenance and upkeep of our St. Louise DM buildings and grounds.

Frontier Days is anticipated and enjoyed by all that attend. When volunteering for Carnival you will not only have fun and meet new people from our St. Louise community, you will earn your 40 mandatory school service hours.

There is something for everyone:

- Food & games booths
- Boutique
- School Grand Raffle
- Bingo
- Marketing
- Security
- Setup/Teardown
- Donation opportunities
- Sponsorship opportunities
- Work from home positions

Please contact us for more information at:
frontierdays@stlouisedm.org

FYI...

SLS Weekly Sports News

Save the dates:

Girls Playoffs begin Saturday Feb 18/19th
Congrats to the Girls A level basketball team, we are currently 4-1 in league and have qualified for the playoffs. We are all so proud of how the team has played! Thank you all so much for all your support.
Boys Playoffs begin Saturday Feb 25/26th

Basketball Banquets

March 13th – A level Basketball teams
March 14th – B level Basketball teams

Week sports schedule for Feb 6th - Feb 12th

Girls B Basketball – No Practice

Tuesday, Feb 7th

Boys A Basketball – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Girls A Basketball – No Practice

Boys B Basketball – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Girls B Basketball – Practice 2:45 – 3:45



Wednesday, Feb 8th

Boys A Basketball – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Girls A Basketball – No Practice

Boys B Basketball – Game day vs Holy Name of Mary at Holy Name 3:45pm

- 124 S San Dimas Canyon Rd, San Dimas, CA 91773

Girls B Basketball – No Practice

Thursday, Feb 9th

Boys A Basketball – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Girls A Basketball – No Practice

Boys B Basketball – Practice 2:45 – 3:45

Girls B Basketball – Game day vs Sacred Heart at Sacred Heart 3:45pm

- 360 W Workman St, Covina, CA 91723



Friday, Feb 10th

No Practices

Saturday, Feb 11th

No sport activities

Sunday, Feb 12th

No Sports activities

GO VIKINGS!



Attention All Boy Moms!!

Please save the date March 25, 2023!

For our Mother/Son Dance

Invitation to come soon!



Attention All Girl Dads!!

Please save the date April 22, 2023!

For our Father/Daughter Dance

Invitation to come soon!

Ready to Move



2nd Annual St. Louise Move-a-Thon
Thursday, Feb. 23, 2023 at 8:00 am

*Donations can
be done online*

<http://bit.ly/3WEwxMw>



*In-Kind
Donations
needed*

*Water & healthy snacks will be
needed.*

*Sponsors
Needed*

Contact Mrs. Ossa for more information



ST. LOUISE BOY SCOUT TROOP 461

10th Annual Spaghetti Dinner



ENJOY AN EVENING OF DELICIOUS FOOD, EXCITING RAFFLES AND FELLOWSHIP ON

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2023 - 5PM-7PM

ST. LOUISE DE MARILLAC PARISH HALL

TICKETS ARE \$12.00 PER MEAL AND WILL BE ON SALE AFTER AM MASSES ON

JANUARY 28-29 AND FEBRUARY 4-5 OR VIA VENMO @BSATROOP461

MEMO: SPAGHETTI DINNER - COMPLETE NAME

(TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT WILL CALL)

We Thank You for Your Support!



PACK 457

**CUB SCOUT
BAKE SALE**

SAT 2/11 5PM-7PM

DURING SPAGHETTI DINNER &
SUN 2/12 8:30AM-1:30PM
AFTER SUNDAY MASSES

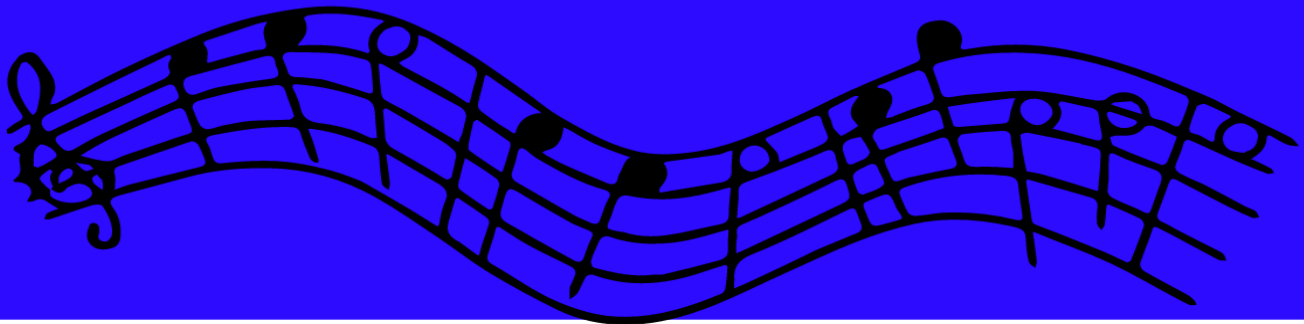
COME BUY GAME DAY TREATS





Registration Forms

REGISTRATION FOR BISHOP AMAT'S JUNIOR LANCER CHOIR ARE NOW OPEN!



JLC is back! After a long break, we are so excited to once again offer this FREE choral program to all students grades 3rd-8th. We will be preparing to perform in the brand new Performing Arts Center for the Spring concert and Spring Musical! Registration forms are linked through the QR code above. Please visit bishopamat.org or email mmacaraeg@bishopamat.org for more info.

PUERI CANTORES SAN GABRIEL VALLEY
IS CURRENTLY



Auditioning

Young Singers ages 6-18



Training in Vocal
Technique & Music Theory to
be singing for:

- Liturgies
- Concerts
- Opera
- Recordings
- Tours (Italy!)

VISIT OUR WEBSITE:
PUERICANTORESSGV.ORG

VISIT OUR
YouTube
CHANNEL



BROWSE OUR
FACEBOOK
PAGE



Contact us:
PUERI CANTORES SAN GABRIEL VALLEY
TEL (626) 918-3994 CELL (626) 374-2410
puericantoressgv@gmail.com



PARISH NEWS...

THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

New Face at St. Louise

We are very pleased to welcome Ms. Ora Garcia to our parish team as our new Social Media Coordinator!

Ora recently graduated from John Paul the Great Catholic University with a Bachelor's degree in Media Communications. She states that her goal is to aid the Church in impacting a culture for Christ through media for continued growth.

Ora will be managing our digital presence via Facebook, Instagram, and our Saint Louise website, among other media needs of the Church.

Ora is the 5th child of a family of 13 children! She enjoys cooking, photography, and spending time with her family most of all!



Ora can be reached through socialmedia@stlouisedm.org.

LIVING STATIONS

Rehearsals for Living Stations of the Cross have begun. We meet every Tuesday from 7 PM to 8 PM in the Church. Our next meeting is **Tuesday, February 7th**.

If you are interested in participating in Living Stations, please contact the Faith Formation Office at 626-332-5822.

PARISH COUNCILORS NEEDED

The Pastoral Council is a consultative body in the parish that serves to advise our Pastor, Fr. Robert Fulton, about pastoral issues. The Council's main purpose is to investigate, reflect and reach conclusions about pastoral matters to recommend to Fr. Robert, as appropriate. Council members are from a wide cross-section of the St Louise de Marillac community - Church, school, ministries, staff, etc., and have the important task of contributing to the well-being of the Church community. The Council meets once per month and serve a limited term.

If you would like to volunteer for a position on the Council, please write to manager@stlouisedm.org, for consideration.



CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Catholic Men's Fellowship of St. Louise (CMF) is a lay apostolate that reaches out to all men.

Our next Meeting will be on **Thursday February 09, 2023**. Our brother Miguel Ruiz will be leading us for Lectio Divina for Sunday's Gospel.

Please join us for Fellowship, Prayer and Reflection. Rosary begins at 6:45 PM in the Multi-Purpose Room.

Follow us now on Instagram @catholicmensfellowship and Facebook Catholic Men's Fellowship St. Louise De Marillac and catholicmen.org.

DID YOU KNOW?

Archdiocese of Los Angeles celebrates 18-year partnership with VIRTUS®

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles and Joan Vienna, director of Safeguard the Children, were recently recognized for 18-year partnership with the VIRTUS® program, working to keep children and young people safe from child sexual abuse in our parishes, schools, homes and community.

"So many have experienced hope and healing through ongoing awareness and education, and we appreciate [the Archdiocese's] vision of where and how the programs would and do best serve our Church and communities," said Pat Neal, director of VIRTUS® Programs and Services.

For more information visit:

<https://angelusnews.com/local/california/virtus-partnering-for-safety/> and <https://lacatholics.org/protect/>.

For more information on other ways to keep kids safe, contact Linda Filkins, the Parish Safeguard Committee Chairperson at the Parish Office at (626) 915-7873 or the Archdiocesan Safeguard the Children Office at (213) 637-7227. For particular help, call the Victims Assistance Office at (213) 637-7650.

PARISH NEWS...

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

February 22nd

8:30 AM Mass & Ashes

10 AM School Mass
& Ashes

12 PM Service & Ashes

6 PM Service & Ashes

7:30 PM Mass & Ashes

*There will be no
confessions this day*

MALAWI MISSION FUNDRAISER

SAVE THE DATE!

St. Louise will be hosting a fundraiser on Saturday, February 18th, at 5:30 PM in the Msgr. Pierce Hall. to support Fr. Emmanuel's order, Missionary Society of St. Frances de Sales' mission in Malawi.

Fr. Emmanuel will be preparing traditional Indian food. Tickets are \$25 and a table of 8 will be \$180, which can be purchased through the Parish Office.

Show your support and enjoy delicious Indian cuisine!

CUB SCOUT BAKE SALE

St. Louise's Cub Scout Pack 457 is having our annual Bake Sale on Saturday, February 11th, during the Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner.

It will also be on Sunday, February 12th, after the 8 AM, 10 AM and 12 PM Masses. Please help support our Cub Scouts and buy some treats for your Super Bowl Celebrations.



**SAVE
THE
DATE!**

**IT'S
MARDI
GRAS**

**LET'S
CELEBRATE!**

Faith Formation will host their Mardi Gras Celebration in the Multi-Purpose Room on Tuesday, February 21st.

