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Dear OLQH Families,

I wanted to take a moment to recognize the outstanding faculty and staff we have here at OLQH and to thank them for their hard work and dedication. Each and every day, they put tremendous energy into creating wonderful moments and lasting memories for our students.

As a school community, we continue to learn more about our February virtue, **Love for Neighbor**. Since children learn by example, we can model what love for neighbor looks like in our daily lives. There are countless ways to show love for those around us. Here are a few simple ideas to get started:

- Help a neighbor with yard work or hold a door for someone
- Thank a law enforcement officer and show kindness to store clerks.
- Write a letter to neighbors, loved ones, or residents in a senior home.
- Serve others-volunteer at a local food pantry, visit a nursing home, or help at school.

Let's continue to be Christ's hands and feet.

Blessings,

Ms. Shelley L. Bruley

*"Love comes from God, and those who love know God." - 1 John 4:7-12*

### Dates to Remember

#### **FEBRUARY**

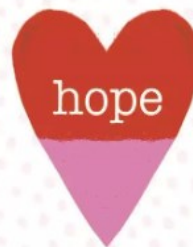
- 16 – Royal Parents BINGO 1 pm
- 17 – Late Start Monday
- 18 – Children's Mass 9 am (Moody)
- 21 – Royal Spirit Wear/Red Day  
End of Hex 4  
February/August Birthday Breakfast
- 24 – Late start Monday  
Beginning of Hex 5
- 25 – Children's Mass 9 am (Morrow)
- 28 – Report Cards Go Home



**Please pray for the following people:**

Lori Buntrock  
The Pupolz Family

And now these three remain:



but the greatest of these is love.

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# Royal Parent News



**Next Bingo Date:** Sunday, Feb. 16 at 1 pm

**Next Meeting Date:** Wed. March 5 at 6 pm



We will celebrate family Mass on the following date:

Friday, April 25 at 2:30 pm

**ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!**



## Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

Did you know your child(ren) could attend Assumption Catholic Schools tuition free?

This program is open to new students AND current students entering 4K, 5K, 1st or 9th grade.

The 2025-2026 application period is February 3 thru April 17th, 2025.

Please visit the ACS website for more qualifications: [www.assumptioncatholicschools.org](http://www.assumptioncatholicschools.org)

Applications and re-applications can be completed using the following link beginning Feb. 1st:

<http://www.dpi.wi.gov/choice>

## Save the Date



### Spring Parent Teacher Conferences

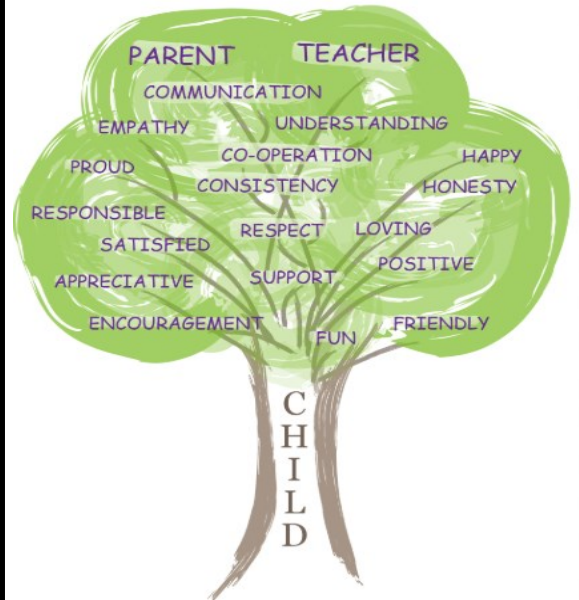
Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0449A4A92FA2FA7-olqh2#/>

In Person Only

Tuesday  
March 4th

4:00-  
7:00 PM



## Coming Soon!



OLQH READ ACROSS AMERICA WEEK

**March 3—March 7, 2025**

**More information coming home in Friday folders!**

# OLQH MUSIC BEAT

February 2025 Edition



Welcome to the February music newsletter! It's hard to believe we're already over 100 days into the school year! The students have been busy learning lots of new songs and concepts and I'm excited to share what we've got coming up this month! This will be a month filled with lots of Valentine songs and activities!

Our composer of the month is Scott Joplin, the King of Ragtime music. We will have some fun doing rhythm play alongs as well as listen to some of his most famous pieces, such as Maple Leaf Rag and The Entertainer. For Mass music, we will begin to prepare for the Lenten season.

In 4K, we will be honing in on the concepts of loud/quiet, fast/slow, and up/down. We will sing songs and say poems about food and create word rhythms using food picture cards. This is one of the beginning stages of reading rhythm. The students are also getting more and more confident singing solos in class, especially to Melody the Elephant!

In Kindergarten, we had fun singing along to the story of Sleeping Beauty. We have also been singing songs about trains, which reinforces the idea of fast and slow in music. Later this month we will make a class book for the song Alice the Camel which has been a hit with the previous kindergarten classes.

In First grade, we learned a song from Ghana called Kye Kye Koolay and learned about call and response songs. Later in the month the students will create a class book for the song Aikendrum and accompany the song on instruments. The students are also improving their rhythm reading skills with our rhythm of the day.

In Second grade, we learned a Native American song called "Gitsigakomim" which means "I love you." We played a stick passing game while singing the song which was a great beat keeping and concentration skill to learn. For Valentine's Day, we will be playing a rhythm matching game. Students will also learn about ABAC form with the song "Ham and Eggs."

The First and Second graders will also begin a Mallet Madness unit where they will get to explore playing xylophones, glockenspiels and drums.

At the end of the month, we will begin working on our spring concert music. (I know that's hard to believe!) Our concert will be for 4K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade students and will be Tuesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. I'm so excited to include our 4K students in this concert! Please mark your calendar for this wonderful evening of music that our students will be so excited to share with you!



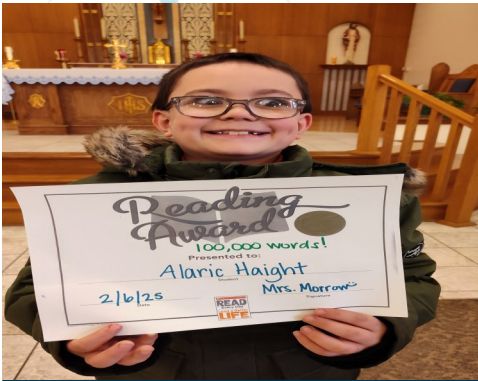


**American Heart Association®**

A big thank you to Mr. Moody for teaching our students HANDS ONLY CPR this week.



# OLQH Awards



**Alaric and Eve read 100,000 words. Aleks read 200,000 words.**



**Emily, Drake, and Ali joined the 100 book club. Charlie and Nolan are Math Masters.**