



ST. LOUIS SCHOOL

Circular No. 173 (21-22)

14th June, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Re: Celebration of Feast of St Aloysius Gonzaga

“Have special devotion for the Blessed Sacrament, the Blessed Virgin, St. Francis de Sales, St. Aloysius Gonzaga, and St. Joseph, who are the special protectors of every house.” — an extract from Saint John Bosco in the Regulations for the Houses of the Oratory of St. Francis de Sales, 1877.

On June 21, our school is celebrating the Feast of St. Aloysius Gonzaga, the Patron Saint of our school. St. Aloysius Gonzaga was the eldest son of an Italian noble family. He was destined for the military by his father, but by the age of 9 Aloysius had decided on a religious life. When he was 18, he joined the Jesuits. In 1591, a terrible plague broke out in Rome. He served in a hospital and he caught the plague and died from it at the age of 23. St. Aloysius Gonzaga was canonized on December 31, 1726 and he is also the Patron Saint of Youth.

As a Salesian Catholic School, the celebration of Feast Day is an important tradition to share life and communion in the Salesian Style. Following the footsteps of St. John Bosco, the school will organize various activities. The details are as follows:

1. The celebration of the Feast of St. Aloysius Gonzaga, will be held on Tuesday, 21st June, 2022.
2. All students should return to school in full summer uniform before 8:05 a.m. and report their attendance to class teachers before 8:10 a.m.
3. The celebration comprises a Holy Mass and prize presentation.
4. Students may leave the school at 11:15 a.m.

Wishing you all a happy Feast Day! May the Love and Peace of the Lord be with you!

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Principal