



**St. Francis of Assisi School**  
Mrs. Nicole Hamilton, M.Ed., Principal  
112 Saxer Avenue, Springfield, PA 19064  
[www.sfaschool.com](http://www.sfaschool.com)

Hello SFA community!

Back to normal this week since we seem to be better with Covid now! (knock on wood). If at any point things get bad again, I will do what we did last week and take those extra precautions. Remember, the week after Thanksgiving we will take the extra precautions again and stay as separate as possible. If I have to due to Covid reasons, I may have to extend the extra precautions to the following week as well. The only thing is we will have our first Friday mass together in church that Friday, but children will be wearing masks the entire time and spaced apart. :)

Originally I had Secret Santa Shop the week we came back from Thanksgiving, but again we will move that to the following week to make sure we are staying safe. Dates are below.

We had a great Preschool Open House this past Sunday, thank you to the Preschool teachers for your work!!

For my Dance-a-thon winners that won a lunch with me, I will be in contact with you this week!! :)

Safe Environment lessons are being taught this week. You can view the lessons ahead of time if you wish. An email will be sent out today with more information on the lessons and a form to sign if you wish to have your child opt out of the lessons.  
[aopelementary.org/resources/safe-environment-lessons/](http://aopelementary.org/resources/safe-environment-lessons/)

After school clubs will return this week!

Did you know we have a Scrip program where you can buy gift cards for the holidays and also make money to get taken off your tuition at the same time!!?? Check out the Scrip program to buy gift cards! If you have questions, please email Deb Peterson and



**St. Francis of Assisi School**  
Mrs. Nicole Hamilton, M.Ed., Principal  
112 Saxer Avenue, Springfield, PA 19064  
[www.sfaschool.com](http://www.sfaschool.com)

Amy Foran at [sfascrripsales@gmail.com](mailto:sfascrripsales@gmail.com). Check out all the information on the website!  
<https://www.sfaschool.com/scrip>

Our Peacemaker winners for the month of October are up! Check them out!

<https://www.sfaschool.com/peacemaker-of-the-month>

Caring/Empathy is our new Virtue we are working on for November. They are to show compassion to others in our school community!

### **Important Dates:**

- November 21st- Father Matt Tralies' Birthday!
- November 24th- 1st/ 5th Thanksgiving Prayer service at 9:30AM.
- November 24th- 11:30AM Early Dismissal Preschool-8th grade. Begin our Thanksgiving Break! NO CARES.
- November 25th- 28th- Happy Thanksgiving!
- November 29th- Classes Resume
- December 3rd- First Friday Mass: 9:30AM
- December 6th and 7th- Santa's Secret Shop in the Gym.
- December 8th- Immaculate Conception- Holy Day No school Preschool-8th
- December 9th- Picture Retakes!

### **FUNDRAISERS**

- Now is the time to start thinking about your Christmas Cards! What better way than to support SFA School in the process! MINTED is a website that personalizes Christmas cards, gifts, and stationery! Use our code: FUNDRAISESFASCHOOL and you will receive 20% off your order and SFA receives 15% of the proceeds! Such an easy way for you to save money! Check it out!! [www.minted.com](http://www.minted.com)

**Birthdays for the week:** Justin Oakes, Benjamin Quevedo, William Krohmer, James Babcock, Abigail Graham, and Father Matt!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**



**St. Francis of Assisi School**  
Mrs. Nicole Hamilton, M.Ed., Principal  
112 Saxer Avenue, Springfield, PA 19064  
[www.sfaschool.com](http://www.sfaschool.com)

## **This weekend in sports:**

### **Football:**

JV played in the Parade of Champions, but unfortunately didn't win. They played a great game and even better season!! So proud!



Flag Football played and won their game! Fantastic!! The Football season will wrap up their games on Thanksgiving day for their annual Turkey Bowl! More information to follow soon!!

### **Soccer:**

Varsity Soccer wrapped up their season this weekend after their loss in the Archdiocese Tournament. What an amazing season they have had!

We are looking forward to our Winter sports starting up soon!

**GO SFA!**

Have a wonderful week everyone!

*Mrs. Nicole Hamilton, M.Ed., Principal*