



SVS This Week

Through Knowledge and Prayer, We Grow in Faith

September 18 - 22, 2017



1st Grade Sponsors Food Drive

In honor of the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul, the first grade students are sponsoring a food drive. They invite everyone to send in non-perishable food items and drop them off in the front office. Thank you for your generosity!

St. Vincent de Paul



Help Us Gear Up for Fall Festival at the PPM

Our monthly Parent Planning Meeting (PPM) will be held Wednesday at 8 a.m. in the



This Week at a Glance

Tuesday 9/19

- Bank Day

Wednesday 9/20

- PPM, 8 a.m.
- Gray SVS shirts may be worn

Thursday 9/21

- International Day of Peace

Friday 9/22

- School Mass at Holy Family, 8:30 a.m.
- *Knightly News* for Sale

Prayer & Pledge Leaders

5th Grade

Mass Leaders

6th Grade

Looking Ahead . . .

September 27

- Feast of St. Vincent de Paul

September 28

- Student of the Month

October 4

- Blessing of the Animals

October 5

- Eye Screening

October 11

- PPM for Fall festival
- Flu Shots

October 13

- Book Fair Opens

October 14

- Tech Run & Fall Festival

October 26

cafeteria. We will use this time to start setting in motion plans for the annual Fall Festival. We'd love to hear your ideas about how to make this year a great success!



Now Accepting Submissions for Art Contest

The theme this year for the *Children in the Arts* contest is: *The Roaring Twenties: Age of Innovation*. Students in grades 4 - 6 should create original compositions no larger than 16" x 22". They may use any media — paint, collage, marker, pastel, color pencils, etc. And the artwork must be flat. The top three (3) entries from our school will be submitted to the *Children in the Arts* overall contest. Those three will then compete against other student artists from around the coast for the chance to win cash prizes. Those three (3) are also invited to attend an art workshop and reception in November. [Check out the flyer for more information](#). The SVS deadline for entries is Monday, September 25.

SVS ANNUAL TECH RUN



Register for the SVS Tech Run

The annual SVS Tech Run will be held on Saturday, October 14 before the fall festival. Please be sure to submit your registration and/or sponsorship form for the 5k or 1-mile fun run. Funds raised will go toward upgrading and maintaining our school's technology. The race is an out and back course. Runners and walkers of all fitness and skill level are invited to participate. Don't forget to check out the [Tech Run](#) page on the school website for all the details.

Walgreens to Give Flu Shots at SVS

Walgreens will come to SVS on October 11 to administer flu shots to staff, students and family member (7 years and older). [Permission slips](#) and [waivers](#) are on the school website. If you'd like to take advantage of this opportunity to protect yourself from the flu this season, please send completed forms and a copy of your insurance.



Box Tops Contest Underway

See it, clip it, turn it in. Our fall box top contest has begun and you have until October 24 to send them in. Prizes will be given to the top 3 classes that bring in the most box tops. This is a big fundraiser for our school and you don't even have to leave your home. Thank you for your support!

** Note: we also collect other labels to bring in cash for our school. Please bring in any Community Coffee, Tyson Chicken or Coke tops that you have at the home or office. Coca-Cola also has an app where you can scan the codes from your smartphone. If you can't volunteer at events, this is a great way to give back to support our school.*

Get Scrip, Earn Tuition

Stock up on all your daily needs with [SCRIP](#). Shop and earn tuition dollars! Details are on the school's Website. There are over 300 merchants that you can purchase gift cards from at face value and get a percentage for SVS. Please see Mary in the front office if you have any questions or [sign up](#) today. (School code: 59D317EB4998). Order early, order often!

• ADORE at Sacred Heart Dedeaux

Last Week's Knight Winner

Ann Allen

This Week's Sanctuary Light Burns in Thanksgiving for

Bruce Carver

September



Breakfast & Lunch Menu

[Class Lunch Times](#)

If you'd like to submit an announcement to be included in the weekly newsletter, please email yynasrallah@gmail.com no later than Thursday by 3 p.m.

Support our School

Brick Walkway - Are you looking for a way to honor your child or another loved one? Consider purchasing a brick with their name on it to add to the walkway in front of the school. It's truly a memorable gift that will last for years to come! [Download the sponsorship form.](#)

Fleece Jackets with the SVS crest are now available and can be worn in the classrooms. You can pick up order forms at the front office or download it [here](#). Proceeds benefit the enrollment/PR committees.

Birthday Book Club is a great way to support our library and remember your child's special day! Feel free to wrap a new book, preferably library bound or hardback, and have your child present their book to the school at Prayer and Pledge on their birthday! A special sticker will be placed in the front of the book to honor your child's donation.

Honor a Loved One with the Sanctuary Light - If you would like to have the light in the chapel burn in honor or in memory of a loved one and have them remembered at Prayer & Pledge for the week, please submit his/her name and the date you'd like the light to burn along with a \$5 donation to the front office. This is a wonderful way to honor someone special.

Rewards Programs - There are lots of ways to support our school with your everyday purchases. Check out all the [opportunities](#) on the school Website. You can also help by volunteering to hearing codes from Coke Bottle Tops. Pick up a bag from the front office (instructions included) or email svspto@yahoo.com and we will send a bag of bottle caps home with your child next week. Thank you!

Prayer and Pledge is held in the gym at 7:50 a.m., Monday through Thursday. All families are invited to attend.

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