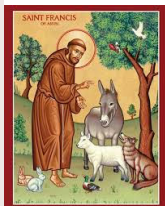




SVS This Week

Through Knowledge and Prayer, We Grow in Faith

October 1 - 5, 2018



Bring your pets for Blessing of the Animals

In honor of the Feast of Saint Francis, students are invited to bring their pets or favorite stuffed animal to the school on Thursday, October 4 for Blessing of the Animals. The program will be held in the grassy circle area outside the cafeteria during prayer and pledge. Please be sure have pets on leashes and clean up after them.



This Week at a Glance

Tuesday 10/2

- Bank Day - \$0.10 minimum deposit

Wednesday 10/3

- PTO and carnival shirts may be worn.

Thursday 10/4

- Blessing of the Animals
- Eye Exams

Friday 10/5

- Fall Holiday - No School

Prayer & Pledge Leaders

4th Grade

Mass Leaders

6th Grade

Looking Ahead . . .

October 10: End of First Quarter

October 16: Honor Roll announced

October 25 - November 2: Book Fair

October 25: Student of the Month

October 27: Fall Festival, 1-4 p.m. (Book Fair Open)

October 31: Family Luncheon

November 3: 6th Grade Bonfire

November 8: Veterans Day Reception

This Week's Sanctuary Light Burns in Memory of

Rodney Sandoz

Last Week's Knight Winner

Monica Grumme



Art News

The 3rd grade classes visited the Alice Moseley Museum on September 27. It was great for the students to see in person and up close many of the paintings they learned about in art class. The museum is located in the Train Depot in Bay St. Louis and there is no admittance fee. Mrs. Tara encourages you to take your children so they can see some of the paintings by Alice Moseley. If you do go, challenge your kids to count how many they see that Mrs. Tara showed them in art class!

For the next art project, students will be learning about the pop artist Andy Warhol.



Free eye exams available at SVS

Dr. Jimmy Benigno and staff will come to SVS on Thursday, October 4 to give free eye exams in the library. If you do not wish to have your child's eyes checked, please send in a note to the school before Thursday.



Register for the Pink Hearts Fund Race

It's time to get our SVS Team together for the [Pink Hearts Fund](#) race. Race [registration forms](#) were sent home and are also available on the school's website. The goal is to have 150 SVS team members. You can walk or run, but we want our SVS TEAM to be the largest team at the Pink Heart! This is for SVS students, families and friends (young and old), and walkers or runners. There are prizes for top finishers in the race, most decked out kids and most decked out dogs. The race is October 13. Don't worry, the race begins at 8:00 AM, so you will have plenty of time to get to the St. Thomas Fall Festival or Crusin' the Coast events. In addition to medals for race winners, there will be prizes for the biggest team, most 'decked out' runners/walkers, etc.



CARNIVAL NEWS Carnival Happenings

Check out what's new with our two carnival associations. Remember, these organizations directly support our school so please get involved! Here's what's coming up:

- SPCA Golfing with Royalty Golf Tournament - October 20
- CALB Tea Party - October 21

[Calendars](#), [news](#) and [details](#) about both carnival associations and their events are updated and available on the school website.

Earn free tuition with SCRIP

Do you shop at Winn-Dixie, Walmart, Belk, Home Depot, Lowes or Walgreen's? Or maybe you like to eat out at Harbor View, Logans or Subway? Planning a vacation to Disney World? There are hundreds of merchants that you can earn money from toward your tuition. Check out the "[Shop Scrip](#)" link on the homepage and use the SVS enrollment code 59D317EB4998.

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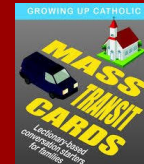


Lunch Menu

Class Lunch Times

Prepare for Sunday with this week's

MASS TRANSIT CARDS



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.

Friday, October 5 is a Fall Holiday. There will be no school.

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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