

St. Francis Xavier Religious Ed News Bulletin November 22, 2019

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Important to Remember

ABSENCES

Call RE Office prior to the start of class at 708.352.4555 or email sfxreligioused@sfxlg.org

SIGN IN PROCEDURE

Please make sure to stop in the RE Office whenever you are in the building to sign in before going to your child's class or to a presentation in Joyce Hall.

EARLY DISMISSAL

Parent note required. Stop in the RE Office to sign your child out.

Coordinator's Message

Our Theme For The Year
Be the Light!

NO CLASSES
Sunday, November 24
Wednesday, November 27
AND
Sunday, December 1
Wednesday, December 4

Classes Resume
Sunday, December 8
Wednesday, December 11

My next News Bulletin will be sent on
Friday, December 6

Happy Thanksgiving!!!
Make memories with family and friends!!!

Toys from our annual Toy Shower for the children of St. Agatha Parish will be delivered on Sunday, November 24. Thank you to all families who were able to donate a toy or gift card. Great example to our children of sharing and looking out for others!!!

[Click here](#) for permission form for children to participate in the entrance candle procession for the 3:00 and 5:00 Mass on Christmas Eve. The number of participants for each Mass will be limited to the first 50 who respond. Attendance at the practice on

This is only on an emergency basis.

PICK UP PROCEDURES

Please do not double park. Children always have the right of way.

Be considerate of our neighbors on Waiola and Spring Avenues.

CLASS TIMES

Sunday: 9:00-10:15am

Wednesday: 4:00-5:15pm

Wednesday: 6:15-7:30pm

Please make sure your child arrives five minutes early so that class can begin on time.

Kindergarten parents ONLY may walk their child into the building.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am,

9:00 am, 10:30 am,

12:00 noon, and 6:00 pm

Thursday, December 19 is expected. More details on the attached permission form.

Yule Flip Pancake Breakfast

St. Francis Xavier Parish presents the Yule Flip Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, December 15 from 8:00am-Noon. There will also be a Santa's Workshop. [Click here](#) for a flyer with detailed information. This parish event is sponsored by the SFX Social Committee and the Knights of Columbus. Put the date on your calendar now so you can enjoy breakfast at SFX on December 15.

Pies Needed for Our Food Pantry

A parish wide Thanksgiving Pie Drive, benefitting our SFX Food Pantry, will take place at masses on November 23-24. Pies can be dropped off at side altars. The Food Pantry hopes to collect 120 store bought non-perishable apple and pumpkin pies. Thank you for your generosity.

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLW)

Check the church bulletin for the schedule as to when children will be invited to participate in their own reflection of the readings or when there is a Religious Ed Grade Level Mass OR when the Children's Choir will be leading us in prayer thru song and therefore, the readings will be taken from the Children's Lectionary.

WELCOME Women's Retreat

[Click here](#) for the flyer with information about this event that women of the parish are invited. Women of the parish are invited to give yourself a treat by attending.

Stewardship

You will notice a **Quick Link** box to the top left that gives us all the opportunity to **Donate On-Line** for our weekly contributions to the parish. Stewardship is an attitude that leads to the devotion of time, the sharing of our talents, and the giving from our treasures so that we bring the gospel to life in word and action.

St. Francis Xavier Family Ministry

The St. Francis Xavier Family Ministry Group is excited to share the following service opportunities for the 2019-2020 school year! SFX families are invited to participate in these service events. The idea behind the Family Ministry is to give families a chance to have fun and work together while serving others in need. Please help to make a difference.

[Click here](#) for a flyer with information about these opportunities.

New Parish Instagram and Twitter Accounts

The parish is increasing our social media presence and is on Instagram and Twitter. Like and follow for updates on SFX happenings, upcoming events, and more! @sfxlg_parish

Absences

Please remember to phone in (352-4555) or email sfxreligioused@sfxlg.org your child's absence prior to the start of class. Thank you!

See You In Church!!!

Terri Simeoni

Religious Education Coordinator