



December 6th, 2019

LUNCH BILLS: Please remember to keep your lunch bill in a positive balance. We cannot pay our bills if you do not pay yours. Paying a little each month helps keep balances at bay. Payments can be made online or by check or cash in the school office. **All negative balances need to be paid in full by Dec. 20th.**

Thank You!

We would like to thank Dennis Steinkamp, Dan Hoffman, and the Holy Name Society for the \$100 gift to each teacher, and the \$4,475.00 check to our school from the Golf Outing Proceeds. We were very sad the day of the Golf Tournament since it was cancelled due to rain, but the donors were very generous anyway! Our hearts and our prayers go out to all of you who shared in this special fundraiser for our students and our school!

God Bless,

Lori Shepard

St. Francis 6th-8th graders are helping to stock the St. Francis Food Pantry prior to Christmas. Mary Beth gave me their Reverse Advent Calendar and I am asking students to collect the requested items each week. We will then take the items to the Food Pantry when we go to Mass on Wednesday. We will take the final items over when we start the Christmas Party. Thank you for your generosity!

December 1-7 - Box of cereal, peanut butter, macaroni and cheese, canned tuna, simple crackers, can of mixed fruit, can of corn, dish soap

December 8-14 - Can of green beans, hamburger helper, instant potatoes, canned chicken, tuna helper, pancake mix, can of spaghetti sauce, toothpaste

December 15-21 - Spaghetti, pork and beans, canned soup, applesauce, syrup, jelly, bar soap, toilet paper.

Thank you, Jeff Zanger

Cold Weather: Please have your child dress appropriately for the cold weather. The students will go outside for recess if the wind chill is 34 degrees or higher.

Crazy Quarters Auction Items: Items are needed for this fun event. All donations are asked to have a value of \$15.00 or more. If any local businesses donate two or more \$15 items, you may set up a FREE Vendor booth. Auction bidders will likely be Christmas shopping. This fun event will be held on Friday, Dec. 13th at 6:00 in the Parish Hall. If you would like to be a vendor or donate, please call or text Marsha Collins at 217-430-2828. Or email mcollins@stfrancissolanus.com. Thanks!

St. Peter School has an immediate opening for an assistant cook. Applicants must have experience in batch cooking and preferred sanitization certification. 25 hours/week. Team player. Send resumes to: Evelyn Garrett, cafeteria manager, at 2500 Maine St., Quincy, IL 62301.

Playground Duty: If you cannot help on your scheduled day, please send in \$10.00 to pay for the substitute. If you switch a shift, please call and let Judy know asap. Schedules are on the back of every lunch menu. Thanks!

CHANGE CANCER RAFFLE 10TH ANNIVERSARY:

The 10th annual Change Cancer Fundraiser will begin on Dec. 9th. The raffle prizes are bigger and better than ever! Help us celebrate this great fundraiser. All proceeds will benefit chemo patients at four chemo treatment centers and the Allison Holbrook Scholarship at St. Francis. We will have the raffle drawing on Monday, Dec. 16th. Help us help others!

Yearbooks: the last day to order a yearbook for the 2019-2020 school year is Friday, Dec. 20th. To order online go to ybpay.lifetouch.com and use code 13535220. Books are \$12.00 each and are in color! Forms and payment can be sent to the school office as well, but will need to be turned in by Dec. 18th to allow for mailing.

QND/PMO Christmas Choral Concert

The choirs of Quincy Notre Dame and the Parochial Music Organization will present a Christmas Choral Concert on Monday, December 9 at 7:00 pm in St. Peter Church. Come listen to favorite Christmas carols and songs presented by choristers in grades 4-12. The choirs are directed by Monica Scholz and accompanied by Robert March and Hana Knuffman. Free-will donations will be accepted at the door. Everyone is welcome!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Dec.8th: FOUND at St. Peter for 7th and 8th grade 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 9th: Change Cancer Raffle begins (Drawings Dec. 16th)
Dec. 12th: Christmas Program at church at 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 20th: Classroom Christmas parties at 2:00 p.m.
Dec. 21-Jan 5th: Christmas Break
Jan. 6th: School Resumes
Jan. 20th: No School : Martin Luther King, Jr. Day