



**St. Francis of Assisi Home & School Association Meeting**  
**DECEMBER MEETING**

*December 6th 2021*

6:30-8:00pm

- **Present:** Josh Noser, Cassie Mueller, Annie Leisenheimer, Margi Newkirk, Andy Poterucha
- **Prayer**
- **Secretary's Report**
  - November meeting minutes were electronically approved and submitted to Jessica for the website.
- **Treasurer's Report**
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- **Teacher's Report**
  - Mr. Krenick - how can we support him as a community? (Ideas - spiritual bouquet -cards/prayers from each classroom, restaurant gift cards, etc)
    - Annie had an idea of 'Mr. Krenik Day' at school and take pictures? Favorite memory of Mr. Krenik, etc.?
  - Future Book Fairs - Holy Spirit and St. Pius are no longer doing book fairs, just asking families to donate for the library instead
    - Discussion of continuing the book fair or not - usually book the next years' fair during the current year
    - Positive of getting more books for the classrooms
  - Playground - 20 years old, look at getting a playground committee back together.
    - Upgrade the wood chips on the playground?
- **Principal's Report**
  - Christmas Concert
    - Getting questions about why it's only K-6 - not able to fit everyone, more likely to have scheduling conflicts for older kids, Spring concert is a bigger highlight for the junior high kids
  - O.O.M progress
    - Looking to increase participation, this Friday is the last day for collection. Josh will put a note on the Facebook page.
  - Joe Beckman
    - Andy will be speaking with him on Thursday about coming in to do speeches on human interaction (student and parent events).

**December Activities:**

- Sign cards for staff

**January Activities:**

- Staff luncheon - Annie and Nichole have discussed
  - Wednesday, January 19th
  - Will email volunteers, planning on soups/salads
  - Josh will email Brendan Foust to see if he has access to a previous Sign-Up Genius used
  - Margi will ask the office for power strips, etc.
- Science Fair

**Looking Ahead:**

- Catholic Schools Week
  - Book Fair Group
  - Ice Cream Social - idea to give out ice cream treats instead of scooping

- School Carnival - start planning in January

**Follow Up:**

Welcoming new families

**Next Meeting: January 10th, 2022**