

Catholic Schools Week 2025

Theme: “Faith, Excellence, and Service”

St. Francis Solanus School



January 26 through February 1, 2025

Sunday, January 26

Parish and Donors Day

Saint: St. Francis Solanus

Wear dress code clothes to Mass.

Mass with the parish 9:00am

Coffee and donuts after Mass served by the school staff

Monday, January 27

Community Day

Venerable Augustine Tolton

Wear a shirt from a school, group, club, or team in the community with dress code bottoms.

ACTIVITY - 8:30am Rosary online with all Quincy Catholic Schools

“We are smart cookies at St. Francis Solanus School.”—cookie snack

Change Cancer raffle begins

Tuesday, January 28

Student Day

Saint: St. Carlo Acutis

ACTIVITY - Religious theme movie

“Popping in the Like the Holy Spirit”—popcorn snack with Capri Sun drink

Wear your favorite out of dress code outfit—no pajamas—no hoodies

Students’ favorite school lunch-pizza

Student led favorite prayers in religion classes

Student book trade with other students in the school.

Change Cancer raffle continues

Wednesday, January 29

Nation Day

One of the USA saints: St. Kateri Tekakwitha There are 11 saints from the United States

ACTIVITY- patriotic crafts to donate to charity—made with another class

Wear red, white or blue dress code clothes for Mass.

School Mass 8:35am

'Exploding with pride for our nation"--Bomb pops" (popsicles) for snack

Change Cancer raffle continues.

Thursday, January 30

Vocation Day

Saint: St. John Vianny

ACTIVITY - Trivia with priests and deacons joining teams.

Wear a hat of your choice with dress code clothes.

Thank Fr. Arisman, Fr. Scott, Fr. Ken, Deacon Wayne, Deacon Dennis

St. Francis' Vocation Prayer

"Be a Chip off the vocation block"--variety of chips for snack

Big Push Thursday for Change Cancer Raffle—special prize drawing today

Friday, January 31

Faculty, Staff, and Volunteers Day

Saint: St. Thomas Aquinas

ACTIVITY - Change Cancer raffle final drawing

Wear a color of shirt representing cancer and out of dress code bottoms

PTO Family Dance

"Show our colors as we collect for cancer."—fruit snacks

Saturday, February 1

Family Day

Saints: St. Mary and St. Joseph the Worker

Do something in service for a family member in your home

Family prayer sent home.

Take thank you note home on Friday : "Thank you for my Catholic education."

Sometime this week: Candlemas activity in religion class

Prayer Wall—Students may write requests for prayers on a wall and have others pray for the requests.

Events we could use adult support for...

1. Serving coffee and donuts after Sunday Masses.
2. Book trade on Tuesday morning and at lunch.
3. Making and bagging popcorn with Cody and Shawnee Deters on Tuesday morning.
4. Helping PTO set up for the Family Dance on Friday, or work at the dance. Contact: pto@@stfrancissolanus.com

Service hours are available for helping with these events.