

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

(Includes donations and pledges)

\$10,000 AND ABOVE

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Nathan and Liane Brock, Amy Crabb, Steve and Alyssa Mansfield

*We make every effort to ensure that all donors are recognized appropriately and accurately. If we have made an error in our list, please let us know by emailing kspaeder@sfxcs.org

GRACE SCHOLARS

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GRACE allows Georgia taxpayers to redirect part of their state tax liability to GRACE and receive a 100% tax credit. You, as a taxpayer, are given the opportunity to ask the state to direct your taxes to a Catholic school and allow a student to receive tuition assistance. Thirty-seven percent of GRACE scholarships are awarded to Diocese of Savannah students.

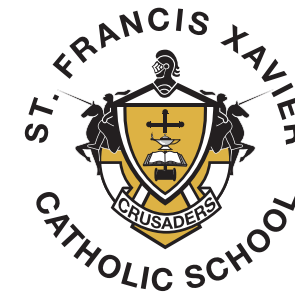


How to donate to our school:
Mail donations to
1121 Union Street
Brunswick, GA 31520
or go to our website: www.sfxcs.org



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ANNUAL REPORT 2018-2019

Dear Friends of St. Francis Xavier Catholic School,

On behalf of our students, faculty, staff, alumni, and friends, we express sincere gratitude to the hundreds of caring individuals, organizations, and businesses who have made a commitment to support our school's mission and to make a difference in the lives of our students.

With all of the challenges that our world faces today, and the known and unknown challenges that we will face in the future, schools like St. Francis Xavier are crucial in helping younger generations deal effectively with those challenges. The St. Francis Xavier Catholic School faculty and staff provide a world view filled with hope and love, which helps our students become faith-filled critical thinkers, ready to lead us into the future. Our students are well prepared to handle



the academic challenges of high school and college. More importantly, our students receive the character and spiritual formation that instills in them principles of faith and morals based on the gospel of Jesus Christ.

This year, with a team of over twenty-five stakeholders, we developed a five-year Strategic Plan to guide us forward in three target areas: leadership, learning and resources. Please visit our school webpage to review the Strategic Plan.

We celebrated Teacher of the Year, Ms. Robyn Turpin, who has been at St. Francis Xavier for six years and a teacher for twenty years.

Our students accumulated more than five hundred hours of community service at Manna House, food drives, Special Olympics, and church activities.

Moving forward, the year 2020 will be an exciting year for us as we embark on the construction of a new school. Plans are underway for a new, two-story school on Grant Street facing St. Francis Xavier Church. The building will feature state of the art science and computer labs and will have thirteen classrooms and rooms for art, music, and a library. There will also be a green space for the children. With \$1.3 million dollars from the Forward with Faith Campaign, we will initiate a new capital campaign with a goal of \$5 million dollars to make this new school become a reality.

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MISSION

St. Francis Xavier Catholic School, guided by Gospel values and Catholic tradition, is dedicated to educating and nurturing the mind, body, and spirit of all children. Each student is encouraged to develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ through the study of God's holy word, personal prayer, communal celebration of the sacraments, and service to others.

St. Francis Xavier Catholic School is part of the Diocese of Savannah Catholic Schools. Our school is accredited through SACS/AdvancED. Our average class size is fifteen.

ADMINISTRATION

Fr. Tim McKeown, *Pastor*
Dr. Terry Mermann, *Principal*
Mrs. Kelley Spaeder, *Director of Development*
Mrs. Lori Carden, *Office Manager and Admissions*
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Most Reverend Gregory J. Hartmayer, *OFM CONV., Bishop, Diocese of Savannah*

2018-19 SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD

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EVENT CHAIRPERSONS

Stephanie D’Amico and Amanda Murphy
Crusader Autumn Bash

Stephanie D’Amico and Melissa Walsh
Davis Love Foundation Car Raffle

Amanda Murphy
Charleston Wrap
Amy Pavlou-Barr
Fun Run



NOTABLE SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS

Tennis Team – Third place in championship

MODEL UN

Statesboro: Outstanding School
Savannah: Distinguished School;
Outstanding Delegate General Assembly

KGIB – SCHOOL RECYCLE CHALLENGE

Second place, Writing Implements

QUIZ BOWL

PAGE Regional Quiz Bowl, First place
St. James Quiz Bowl, First place

BASKETBALL - SFX INVITATIONAL

Girls, Third place; Boys, Runner up

SPELLING BEE

Deanery Bee (Savannah) First place

SCIENCE FAIR

Regional winners, Second place



INCOME		EXPENSES	
Tuition Income	\$808,682.12	Payroll	\$1,041,224.72
Student Fees	\$99,033.81	Overhead	\$154,458.72
Church and Parish Support	\$128,881.96	Administrative	\$16,287.42
Development	\$224,880.96	Staff Development	\$19,619.78
Student Programs	\$46,080.00	Development	\$21,344.91
Student Activities	\$107,309.06	Instructional	\$38,684.45
Interest/Investments	\$4,056.10	Student Activity	\$79,919.39
Miscellaneous Income	\$288.02	Student Programs	\$10,315.46
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,419,212.03	Financial Fees	\$1,239.18
		Total Expenses	\$1,383,094.03
		Net Operating Income	\$36,118.00

“Give, and there will be gifts for you.”
- Luke 6:39

DONORS

\$10,000+

Diocese of Savannah, The Link Foundation, Davis Love Foundation
Knights of Columbus, St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, St. William Catholic Church

\$5,000-\$9,999

Bob and Diane Ghioto, Fr. T. J. Goggin Education Foundation, Mike Murphy Kia, Ken and Mary Jane Murray,
Pediatric Associates of Brunswick, Ken and Katherine Thompson, Steve and Maureen Thompson

\$1,000-\$4,999

Frank Acosta, Barr Family, Ross and Jeni Begnaud, Henry Cooper, Georgia Burgess Erwin, Rosemary Fallstrom,
Family Chiropractic, Tracey Glass, Hall Booth Smith, Ben and Kim Holcomb, Jamieson Family,
Jerome and Karen Jarocki, David Loehle, Terrence and Michelle Mermann, Julie Minors,
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Southeast Georgia Health System, Bernadette Weiss

\$500 - \$999

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Carol Horan, Michael Horan, Kitchens by Design, Beth Murphy, Sam Norris, Gregory Peacock, Primesouth Bank,
Southeast Car Agency, Teamwork Services, 365 Total Degrees Marketing, Vrolijk Family, Betsy Wagner, Carrie Wessel



The cost to educate a student at St. Francis Xavier Catholic School was \$7,100.00. Tuition was \$6,481.00 for non-Catholic students and \$4,688.00 for students registered in a Catholic parish.

ENROLLMENT
60% Catholic
40% Other Faiths