



November 1, 2019

Dear Falcon Families:

We recently celebrated an awe inspiring 80th Anniversary for our school. In retrospect, I asked myself, how over these many years have we continued to be blessed with families like yours and why have you, like so many others, chosen to be a part of our school community? Perhaps it is to be able to share in the Catholic faith, friendship and generous support that abounds in our school or because we remain dedicated to prepare your student, for the challenges of his/her future, by developing their mind, body and spirit in Christ.

Maybe it's our continued commitment to a challenging academic program that inspires your student to strive for his/her best. Another thought was you may be a legacy family, with generations attending St. Francis. What matters most is that together we embrace our school mission "To Be Like Christ in all that we think, do and say while experiencing a joy of learning," and strive to ensure the future of our school for generations to come.

As we kick-off this year's **"Every Gift Counts - Annual Fund,"** we ask you to help secure our foundation of **Character, Compassion and Catholic Values**. Visit our website www.stfrancisfortmyers.org to learn about online giving, corporate matching gifts (which can double and even triple your gift), and setting up a recurring gift. For more information contact me at esther.kiesel@stfrancisfortmyers.org or **239-334-7707 ext. 222**. Once again, we are blessed that a generous donor will match the first \$50,000 raised by January 31, 2020! We remain dedicated to keep tuition affordable and prioritize both physical plant and technology projects. We thank you for your heartfelt prayers, spirit of giving and generous tax-deductible donation as **"Every Gift Counts."**

Joyfully,

Esther Kiesel

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