

Saint Monica Catholic School

Silent Auction

January 31st, 2015

On the next several pages, you will find **some** of the auction items that will be available to purchase at the Silent Auction during the Winter Carnival. The auction items will be in the pre-school rooms, 107 & 109. This is not a comprehensive list, it's only a small portion of the available items. This list will be updated periodically, so check back for new and exciting items.

Three Ways to Win an Item and Support our School:

1. **Preview** this list, and then Complete a **Pre-Bid Form** (available on the St. Monica website). Please preview the pre-bid form rules.
2. **Come** to the Winter Carnival and bid on an item **in person**.
3. During the auction, you can place a **blind bid** on an item that is disclosed to all until the end of the auction.

Thank you for all who have donated items, time and energy to bring you this year's fun event.

Class Created Treasures – PRICELESS!!

Each class, with the help of Trena Kerrins & Mindy Lauria created unique and wonderful keepsake gifts. – These are sure to steal your heart.

Preschool: Black & White Photo of children



Kindergarten: Each child decorated a bag or box that was put together in a charming advent tree. It's ready for next Advent! A must see item.



First Grade: How many colors are there in a box of crayons? This beautiful heart-shaped crayon canvas with each child's name listed in the center. Perfect for decorating during Valentine's Day.

Second Grade: Each 2nd grade child has carefully traced and decorated their hand is this beautifully framed piece of art. A room full of hands that will capture your heart.

Third Grade: Colorfully and uniquely decorated watercolor triangle pieces crafted by each student and placed on a squared canvas.



Fourth Grade: A rectangular white frame displaying each student's sharpie designed cloth pieces.

Fifth Grade: An one-of-a-kind art deco ladder. Each student decorated a foil piece with indentations that was placed on a ladder to create an interesting and super cool art piece.

Sixth Grade: A silver wall hanging with a raised silver heart displaying a creative set of foil pieces designed by each student.

Seventh Grade: Popsicle Art. Our very own St. Monica 7th graders have uniquely designed a popsicle stick that was creatively arranged to create this fabulous piece of Art.



Eight Grade: (2) Butterfly Memory Books; thanks to Karen Acri for all her hard work to make these happen.

Extraordinary Educator Excursions

EXTRA TIME WITH YOUR TEACHER - PRICELESS!!!!

These adventures have been generously donated by the St. Monica Teaching Staff. Don't miss out.....

Subway lunch for four with Mr. Wilson.

Mrs. Hammer and her 6th graders have crafted a quilt.

Lunch at the Rootbeer Stand for you and 3 friends in the Spring with Mrs. McAfee.

Jimmy Johns lunch delivery to school for 4 students with Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Page.

Dinner and Fun at Jac's with Ms. Matyas for 10 students.

Auction Exclusives

Lunch w/ Father James Adams (New This Year)

Father Adams will be coming to St. Monica and hosting a pizza lunch for 10 students.

Kindergarten Celebration Reserved Seating Group A

Get up close so you can have the best photos and views of your Kindergartners graduation, includes front row seats for you and your guests

Kindergarten Celebration Reserved Seating Group B

Get up close so you can have the best photos and views of your Kindergartners graduation, includes front row seats for you and your guests

8th Grade Graduation Reserved Seating Group A

A front row seating for the BIG show includes 6 seats for you and your guests

8th Grade Graduation Reserved Seating Group B

A second chance for a front row seating for the BIG show, includes 6 seats for you and your guests

Morning Drop-Off Privileges for the 2015-2016 School Year

Enjoy being the only family allowed to use the front entrance after 7:30 a.m. drop-off. Great for those hectic mornings or allowing a few extra minutes sleep for our little ones.

Afternoon Pick-up Privileges for the 2015-2016 School Year

Enjoy the ease of zipping into school and circling the front entrance at 2:50 p.m. to pick up your children. You will be out of the parking lot by 2:55 p.m. Yahoo!!!!

Principal for 1/2 Day

Give your child the opportunity to rule the school for a day. (Well, sort of ☺)Your child can help with morning activities, lunchroom duties and work with Mrs. Reits to schedule an additional uniform holiday for the students.

Head of the Lunch Line for the 2015-16 School Year

Your child can go to the head of the line and give up the wait for their meal.

After School & Special Events Parking with Sign for the 2015-2016 School Year

Want front row parking for all events held at St. Monica? This is your item. A spot will be reserved for you with designated signage. This is also good for end of day pick up.

Family Events and Get-a-Ways

Disney Theme Park Passes (Traditional Favorite)

4 Complimentary One day Hopper Passes for admission to these exciting theme parks: Magic Kingdom, Epcot, Hollywood Studios, or Disney's Animal Kingdom. Have a magical time! (\$496 Value) Opening bid: \$200

Great Wolf Lodge Get-a-Way in Traverse City (New This Year)

Plan a family get-a-way to Traverse City for an overnight stay at Great Wolf Lodge in a Family Suite for 4. Plus 4 tickets to the Indoor Waterpark and an additional \$200 gift certificate that can be used for another night stay or at any restaurants or gift shops. There are black out dates where the gift is not valid. (\$496 Value) Opening Bid: \$200

Amway – (New This Year)

Do you have an anniversary coming up or looking for a night away from the kiddos? Take this opportunity to visit a Grand Rapids 4 Star hotel. Receive a gift card to a relaxing “**Dreams**” stay. (\$220 Value) Opening Bid \$100

Chicago Get-A-Way

Go West! Go West! St. Monica Families, We are thrilled to present you with a Chicago Weekend Package including a: \$50 gift certificate for Amtrak, 4 passes to Shedd Aquarium, 4 passes to Field & Science Museum and \$25 gift card for Maggiano's (\$175 Value) Opening Bid \$45

Henry Ford Museum or Greenfield Village – 4 admission passes (Value \$96) Opening Bid: \$30

Gerald R. Ford Presidential Museum – 4 admission passes (Value \$28) Opening Bid: \$10

Family Benefactor Gifts

Italian Dinner for 8 served by the Lauria Family

Homemade Italian Dinner for 8 served to you. A 3rd generation recipe straight from Sicily, homemade sausage, hand rolled meatballs, tomatoes pureed for the sauce by hand. Includes antipasti appetizers, an array of desserts, and will be paired with several bottles of wine. Donated by the Lauria Family (\$350 Value) Opening Bid \$100

Organized Style

\$100 gift certificate for organized style. This gives you 2 hours of organizing for your home or office. Great for the pantry, kid's toy room, craft room, mud room, supply closet, front office space, etc... Worth every penny. Donated by Trena Kerrins, St. Monica Family (\$100 Value) Opening Bid \$30

Van Sweden Jewelers – Tissot Watches

Two classic watches from Switzerland are sure to enhance your wrist and keep you on time.

Men's Tissot Watch with black leather strap (\$225 Value) Opening Bid: \$65

Women's Tissot silver link band watch (\$450 Value) Opening Bid: \$30

Donated by the Van Sweden Family

Wine & Liquor Baskets (3 different)

Beautifully decorated and fabulous looking tote containers with wine tote, 2 bottles of wine and several wine accessories to make an enjoyable wine drinking experience.

Donated by Ogrin Family

Red Wine Basket (\$125 Value) Opening Bid \$40

White Wine Basket (\$80 Value) Opening Bid \$25

Liquor Basket (\$70 Value) Opening Bid \$25

Eve Salon \$50 gift certificate

Looking for a new hairstyle or treating your winter feet to a spring clean-up, check out this hip salon right off Westnedge. Donated by Ogrin Family (\$50 Value)

Opening Bid \$20

Park Street Market 5-\$20 gift certificates

Best place to buy meat in Kalamazoo. Purchase these gift certificates to take a trip into Kalamazoo for some of the best meat in town. This can be used for groceries or catering. Excludes alcohol and tobacco products. Donated by the Gamsho & Sadek Families (\$100 Value) Opening Bid \$20

Movie Night 2- \$20 gift cards with popcorn and treats

American Sniper is getting great reviews, *Paddington* is showing for more of the family outing, either way you have an opportunity to go to the movies while supporting your school. Donated by Ogrin Family (Value \$48) Opening Bid \$15

Spring Wreath

Come check out this handmade and beautifully done Spring Wreath. The greens with the pizzazz of black & white ribbon will truly jazz up your front door come mid March.

Donated by Smojver Family, St. Monica Family (\$72 Value) Opening Bid \$20

Centre Street Spa

Stylist Jennifer Buck, from our St. Monica Family, has put together over 10 packages of salon products that are available for your bidding. She's moving spas and will be newly established at Centre Spa & Wellness. (\$25-\$150Value) Opening Bid \$ Varies

Jamerry Gift Certificate & More –

This basket will include a \$30.00 gift certificate, a manicure kit, and a small make-up pouch. Donated by Andrea Ziolkowski, St. Monica Family (\$35 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Restaurants

Bold – Wine Dinner for Six (Go in together with 2 Other Couples for a Great Evening Out)

A Fabulous restaurant tucked away in a strip mall at Texas Corners serving up some delicious food....Simple Food, Big Flavors. A great way to spend a cold winter night...drinking wine and enjoying a delicious dinner (\$600 Value) Opening Bid: \$150

Grand Traverse Pie Company – They've been around for over a year now. If you need a pie or two, please bid now. (\$50 Value) Opening Bid \$15

Main Street Pubs – Every night is a fun night at Main Street Pub. Wanting a night off of cooking? Stop into this local favorite for a night off in the kitchen. – Donated by the Housler Family.

Outback Steakhouse – 2-\$20 Gift Cards - Taking the family out to dinner soon or is this the family favorite. Have \$40 in your pocket the next time you go out for your meal. (\$40 Value) Opening Bid \$10

Millennium Restaurant Group – details to come

Noodles & Company – One of the delicious bowls for each month of 2015 (\$90 Value) Opening Bid \$25

Breakfast at Tiffany's – Is breakfast your favorite meal of the day? Take this opportunity to enjoy breakfast at this local favorite. (\$25 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Old Chicago - gift certificates for various amounts

For The Sports Enthusiasts

Detroit Pistons vs. Washington Wizards for February 22, 2015 @ 3:30 p.m. –

Two Tickets with Parking Pass - Section 115, Row EE, Seats 3 & 4. The pistons are playing tough ball right now and you could score some awesome tickets. This set of two tickets come with a parking pass. Donated by the Housler Family (\$ 200 Value) Opening Bid \$ 60

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2 Tickets - Detroit Red Wings vs. St. Louis Blues on Sunday, March 22nd @ 12:30 p.m. -

Head East to Joe Lewis Arena and catch the Detroit Red Wings in action. Seats are in Suite 44, Row 2, Seats 27 & 28. Donated by the Housler Family (\$ 400 Value) Opening Bid \$ 120

Detroit Tigers vs. Chicago White Socks – 4 Lower Bowl Tickets on June 25th, 2015–

Hey Tiger Fans or White Socks fans. Here's an awesome opportunity for a set of four to catch a game at Comerica Park this summer. Donated by the Housler Family (\$150 Value) Opening Bid \$ 45

Detroit Tigers vs Pittsburgh Pirates – 2 Lower Bowl Tickets on June 30th, 2015 -

Summer Game Night for Two at Comerica Park. Donated by the Housler Family (\$100 Value) Opening Bid \$ 30

Michian State vs Penn State – 4 tickets for November 28th

Calling all Spartan Fans...."Check out this opportunity to enjoy college football in style. You will sit at the 40-45 yard line in Section 23 Row 36 Seats 13-16 on State's sideline. Includes parking pass. Donated by the Darner Family (\$300 Value) Opening Bid \$ 50

WMU Hockey on Saturday, February 21st (8 tickets total)

Western Michigan Hockey will play against North Dakota. Donated by the Cavanaugh Family. (\$240 value) Opening Bid: \$ 80

WMU Basketball

WMU vs. Kent State on February 4th, tip off at 7:00 p.m. - 4 tickets. Donated by the Kling Family (\$80 Value) Opening Bid: \$ 25

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Autograhed Derek Jeter 1997 Sports Illustrated Cover w/ COA #70/110

Come one, Come All Jeter Fans. This is an exclusive St. Monica Auction item donated by the Pienta Family (\$ 250 Value) Opening Bid \$75

Detroit Lions Matthew Stafford signed photo

Pro-Bowl MVP and Detroit Lions quarterback exclusive photo. Donated by the Gamsho Family (\$ 100 Value) Opening Bid \$25

Pavel Datsyuk Signed Detroit Red Wings Photo

A favorite Red Wing player photo available for all his fans (\$ 100 Value) Opening Bid \$25

Miguel Cabrera signed Detroit Tigers photo

(\$ 300 Value) Opening Bid \$ 75

Carlos Villanueva signed Chicago Cubs Photo

(\$ 25 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Kalamazoo Growlers – Enjoy a beautiful summer night at the local ballpark. Sunday through Wednesday four can enjoy a night out watching American's favorite pasttime. (\$ 28 Value) Opening Bid \$5

West Michigan Whitecaps

4 lawn seat tickets to a 2015 season home game. (\$24 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Grand Rapid Griffins

4 tickets to a 2015 season home game. (\$24 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Hackett Supporters

Hackett Family Sports Pass for 2015-2016 School Year (Attention 8th Grade Parents)

Let's Go Irish! Let's Go Irish! Come out and support Hackett Irish Sports for all home sporting events for a whole year. Donated by Mike Garvey, Hackett Athletic Director (Value \$ 175) Opening Bid: \$50

Girls Summer Sport Camp Session

Attend one of Hackett's summer sports camps for girls. GO IRISH!!! Donated by Mike Garvey, Hackett Athletic Director (Value \$50) Opening Bid: \$15

Boys Summer Sport Camp Session

Attend one of Hackett's summer sports camps for boys. GO IRISH!!!! Donated by Mike Garvey, Hackett Athletic Director (Value \$50) Opening Bid: \$15

Hackett's Theatre Group –

A fun evening supporting your local artist in a great show of "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat". Good for 4 tickets to see the production in March along with intermission snack and water. This also includes your very own tie knot "dreamcoat" (blanket.) (\$40 Value) Opening Bid: \$15

Fitness & Activity Based Interests

The Moors Golf Club – A Round of Golf for Four and Lunch at the Grille Room

Spring can't come soon enough. If you're itching to play a round of golf, set up your tee time early with this fabulous outing. Lunch is included at the Grille Room. (Value \$350 Opening Bid: \$100

Bronson Athletic Club – 3 month temporary Family Membership. This is a great way to see if your family would like to become a member of the Bronson Athletic Club. It one of the newer family fitness facilities in the area. They offer exercise equipment, aerobic classes, basketball courts, pool and much more. (\$429 Value) Opening Bid \$120

YMCA 3 Month Membership - A 3 month membership at the YMCA includes full use of both the Portage and Maple Street facilities. (\$147 Value) Opening Bid: \$45

West Hills Athletic Club – 3 month individual membership for any new member. Interested in working on your cardio and improving your health? This is a great club that also offers tennis. (\$135 Value) Opening Bid: \$45

Intentional Yoga with LuLu Lemon Yoga Mat – 10 free visits to intentional yoga along with a LuLu Lemon Yoga mat (donated by the Gamsho Family) and an Intentional Yoga T-Shirt. (\$175 Value) Opening Bid \$45

Bittersweet Ski Resort - 4 One day complimentary lift tickets. Great opportunity to check out the slopes for Bittersweet (\$156 Value) Opening Bid: \$50

Fitness Boot Camp – 1 month free membership to Veritas Fitness Boot Camp or 3 personal training sessions. Donated by Kimberly & Brien Brockway (\$120 Value) Opening Bid \$30

Courthouse Summer Camps – Two Summer Camp Certificates that can defray the cost of setting up your kids activities for the summer (\$75 Value) Opening Bid \$20

Local Businesses & Community Supporters

Bert's Bakery – If you haven't been, you must stop in and support this local business. Just across Westnedge, you will find Bert's Bakery. Great place to order your First Communion or Confirmation Cake. They are delicious. **Offering:**

1 – 8" round cake (\$20 Value) Opening Bid \$5

10 punch card of gellato (\$30 Value) Opening Bid \$10

Tulips – “a little pop up shop” – A new adorable shop in the Oakland Plaza shopping area has a Michigan mitten unisex sweatshirt along with a \$50 gift card to their shop. (\$ 110 Value) Opening Bid \$30

Modernistic – (2) Whole House Cleaning – Wouldn't you love someone else to give your house a fresh cleaning and you head off to lunch with a girlfriend. (Each \$170 Value) Opening Bid \$45

Main Street Portraits – Children's Sitting (\$30 Value) Opening Bid \$10

Main Street Portraits – Family Sitting (\$75 Value) Opening Bid \$20

Celebration Cinema & Old Chicago – Movie and a Dinner for two. An Old Chicago gift certificate for \$25 and \$20 of gift cards to Celebration Cinema. (\$45 Value) Opening Bid \$10

Marshall Music – (2) \$25 gift certificates – calling all musicians and band members. Is Marshall Music your place to go for reeds or sheet music? Take this opportunity to give your money to St. Monica and still be able to purchase the items you would normally. (\$25 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Little Chicks Shoes – (2) \$25 gift certificates for the local children's shoe shop. (\$25 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Redmond Photography – An excellent opportunity to **finally** get that family portrait taken. Or better yet, start planning for this year's Christmas Greeting. (\$200 Value) Opening Bid \$60

Wedel's Nursery- \$25 gift certificate to help you get started on your Spring flowers. (\$25 Value) Opening Bid \$5

Biggby – A local favorite drive through coffee shop is offering a 12 oz of Biggby's Best Coffee, a 20oz Solars Tumbler and 2 free coffee drinks. (\$35 Value) Opening Bid \$ 10

Kalamazoo Nature Center – a family membership certificate. (\$75 Value)
Opening Bid \$20