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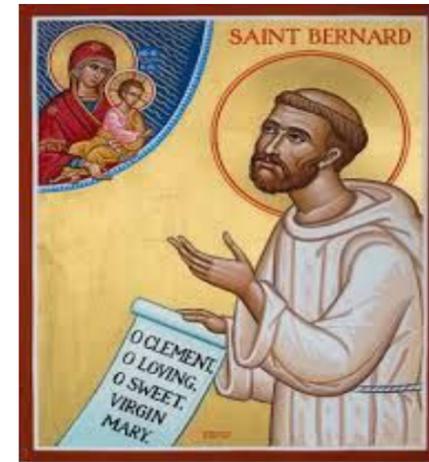
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SUNDAY AT 8:30 & 10:30 A.M.

(8:30 A.M. LIVE STREAMED)

PLEASE REFER TO "THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH" FOR THE TIMES OF THE WEEKDAY MASSES

THOSE WISHING TO CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE ARE ASKED TO CONTACT THE PASTOR AT LEAST SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO THE INTENDED

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Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 19, 2023

Blessed are those who hope in the Lord.

NOTES FROM FR. RICK:

THE PARISH FAMILY EXTENDS PRAYERFUL SUPPORT to the Protz family at the death of their father, Bob Protz (Bob was a former longtime parishioner); to Luther Kaushagen at the death of his brother, Kyle Kaushagen. May the Lord grant them eternal life!

MINUTES FROM THE ST. BERNARD'S FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING – February 15, 2023. The Council gathered for prayer and addressed the following items: received an update from our Architect, Hepper-Olson; received an update from our Accountant; received a financial report from our Building Fund; received an update from the Buildings/Grounds Committee; receiving a Grant to help purchase a new walk-in Freezer/Refrigerator for the church kitchen; IT Maintenance update; our Diocesan Annual Appeal goal is \$49,448.00. Next Meeting: March 15, 2023.



Today is the beginning of the 2023 Diocesan Annual Appeal (DAA). Our theme is **BUILD MY CHURCH!** The overall DAA goal has been set at \$925,000. This goal is shared and pro-rated among our 66 parishes based on the prior year's offertory and the number of donors who offer more than \$50 per year to their parish. Our parish goal for 2023 is \$49,448.00. These gifts help fund the Offices of Formation in Discipleship, Worship, Vocations and Seminarians, the Tribunal, Safe Environment and Ministerial Standards, Catholic Schools, Communications, the Office of the Bishop, and General Administration of the Pastoral and Retreat Center; ministries that affect our parish family in so many ways!

Please, prayerfully review the mailing you have received at home, visit www.crookston.org/DAA or scan the QR code above for additional information about all the good you do when you support the DAA!

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

- 20 Monday – Sirach 1:1-10 –Psalm 93:1-2,5– Mark 9:14-29**
No Mass today
No School today—Teacher Inservice
- 21 Tuesday— Sirach 2:1-11- Psalm 37:3-4,18-19,27-28,39-40—Mark 9:30-37**
8:00 A.M. Mass + Helen & Marie
8:30 A.M.—10:00 P.M. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
10:30 A.M. Care Center Mass + James Sherack
6:00 P.M. Eucharistic Revival Team Mtg. & Potluck
- 22 Wednesday— ASH WEDNESDAY—Joel 2:12-18—Psalm 51:3-6,12-14,17-2 Corinthians 5:20; 6:2—Matthew 6:1-6,16-18**
7:00 A.M. + Steve Pavcek
8:30 A.M.— M.J.
6:30 P.M. Mass + Connie Omdahl
Religious Ed Classes attend Mass
8:00 P.M. Men's Prayer Group
- 23 Thursday— Deuteronomy 30:15-20 – Psalm 1:1-4,6 – Luke 9:22-25**
8:00 A.M. Mass + Pope Benedict XVI
10:00 A.M. Bible Study
1:30 P.M. Fish Fry Prep
8:30 A.M. —10:00 P.M. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
6:00 P.M.—8:00 P.M. OCIA
- 24 Friday— Isaiah 58:1-9a—Psalm 51:3-6,18-19 - Matthew 9:14-15**
7:00 A.M. KC Rosary
8:00 A.M. Mass + Waldo Thompson
8:30 A.M. Rosary
8:30 A.M. —10:00 P.M. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
4:30 P.M.— 6:30 P.M. Curbside Fish Fry
- 25 Saturday— Isaiah 58:9b-14—Psalm 86:1-6 –Luke 5:27-32**
4:00 P.M. Reconciliation
4:30 P.M. Rosary
5:00 P.M. Mass + Darrel Janisch
- 26 SUNDAY— Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7 –Psalm 51:3-6,12-14,17– Romans 5:12-19—Matthew 4:1-11**
8:00 A.M. Rosary
8:30 A.M. Mass + Eileen Kahler
No Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Mass—For the People

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RELIGIOUS FORMATION NEWS

By Margaret Rasmussen
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February 22—ASH WEDNESDAY
—RE Classes to attend Mass—7:00 & 8:30 am, 6:30 pm
February 26—9:20 am Sunday School
March 1—6:30 pm Grades 6 & 7 RE
March 5—9:20 am Sunday School
March 8—6:30 pm Grades 6 & 8 RE
March 12— 9:20 am Sunday School—Daylight Savings Time!
8:30 am—12:30 pm Confirmation Retreat - begins with Mass
March 15- 6:30 pm Grades 6 & 7 RE
March 19—9:20 am Sunday School
March 22—6:30 pm Grades 6 & 8 RE
March 26—9:20 am Sunday School
March 29—FAITH Night—Living Stations

"Yet even now, says the Lord, return to me with all your heart..." // Joel 2:12

Blessed is She

Lent begins this week, and many of us are praying about our Lenten prayers and practices. The Church calls us to prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. When seeking the Lord's Heart for your Lent, there are a few blunt questions we can ask ourselves about our lives and souls.

What needs to end? // During Lent, we may give up small comforts like treats or podcasts. But what sins or attachments need to go for good? How can we, with God's grace, turn away from the things that keep us from Him?

What needs to begin? // Conversely, what good spiritual habits need to take root and bloom in our lives? Is there a devotion we have felt called to explore? The commitment to daily prayer? A regular holy hour?

What needs to change? // Finally, what in our lives needs to shift? These are the things that don't necessarily need to go, but adjust to properly order our lives. Do our schedules need more space to allow for leisure? Do we need to surrender certain people or circumstances to the Lord?

<p>WHY THE ASHES? THE MEANING OF ASH WEDNESDAY</p> 	<p>1 ASHES WERE USED AS A SIGN OF REPENTANCE IN THE OLD TESTAMENT</p> 	<p>2 ASHES ARE A PUBLIC SIGN OF OUR INTENT TO DIE TO OUR WORLDLY DESIRES AND LIVE IN CHRIST</p> 
<p>3 ASHES ALSO SYMBOLIZE GRIEF, IN THIS CASE, GRIEF FOR OUR SINS.</p> 	<p>4 AS OUR FOREHEADS ARE BEING MARKED, THE PRIEST SAYS: "REMEMBER THAT YOU ARE DUST AND UNTO DUST YOU SHALL RETURN"</p> 	<p>5 THE ASHES COME FROM THE BLESSED PALMS USED IN THE PALM SUNDAY CELEBRATION OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR</p> 

INFORMATION FROM ARCHTORONTO.ORG AND CATHOLIC.ORG 

YOUTH NEWS

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This week's "turn the other cheek" Gospel reading contains some of the most radical and challenging teachings of Jesus' ministry, but the key to the entire passage is the final instruction. Jesus tells us that we should strive to be perfect the way God is perfect. We cannot lose God's love because he is love. This isn't a weakness, but a strength. God remains perfectly who he is no matter what we choose to do.

In his article "Pilgrimage to Nonviolence" Martin Luther King Jr. writes about how nonviolence is not just a change in behavior, but is, at its core, a change of heart. The nonviolent, passive resistance of King's civil rights activists created as stark contrast that made it impossible to ignore the violence and evil of racism. Our actions as Christians should stand against the world, changing hearts and minds and transforming them into reflections of the kingdom of God.

Think of someone who is always able to push your buttons. Do you feel more or less in control when you've been baited into losing your temper? Who holds the power in that interaction? Commit yourself this week to rise above when someone tries to goad you into acting out of anger instead of principle. Don't let other people use your emotions to control your path. Remember that by standing firm in the face of provocation, you are imitating Christ!

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 22: Ash Wednesday is when we begin our Lenten journey! Mass and distribution of ashes are at 7:00am; 8:30am; and 6:30pm.

A Prayer for Lenten Grace

Loving God,
During a sacred season of Lent, bring me closer to you. Prepare a place in my home and heart for silence and solitude, so that I may rediscover the grace of a prayer-full life. Help me to fast from those things that threaten the well-being of body and soul and remind me of the grace of simplicity. Enlarge my heart so that I give to those in need and in so doing, rediscover the grace of gratitude and generosity. May this season be grace-filled time to rekindle my love for and faith in you. Amen.

You have heard that it was said
You shall love your neighbor as yourself
and hate your enemy
BUT I SAY TO YOU
LOVE YOUR ENEMIES

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO PERSECUTE YOU
that you may be
CHILDREN
of your
HEAVENLY FATHER
so be perfect just as your
Heavenly Father is perfect

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But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you..."MATTHEW 5:44

Love your enemies, easier said than done. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from "me" and moves it towards God and others. It changes my heart and actions, allowing for a little more empathy for "my enemy." When we pray for others, even our enemies, it may soften their hearts as well.

PROMISE TO PROTECT PLEDGE TO HEAL
 If you or someone you know has been a victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24 hour confidential number).

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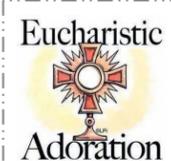
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SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP
Sunday — February 12, 2023

Weekly Offertory Total.....	\$ 14,308.18
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Excess/Shortfall	+ \$ 3,475.18



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First Friday/Saturday Adoration Vigil.
 In remembrance of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, St Bernard's holds an Adoration Vigil between the First Friday and Saturday of each month. If you would like to sign up for an hour or sign up as an alternate, please contact Mark Christiansen at (218)556-0037 or email at mark.christiansen22@gmail.com



Please join the rosary rally praying the Patriotic Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet for peace in our country, from 5 to 6 pm on the last Thursday of each month.



Volunteers are needed to serve Coffee & Rolls after the 8:30 am Sunday Mass. Please consider helping in this ministry. Contact Julie Peterson for more information and to sign up. 218-686-8599



In today's Gospel, Jesus challenges us by saying: "You must be perfected as your heavenly Father is perfect."

The St. Bernard's Society of St. Vincent de Paul is so grateful to our parish, when you have given generously monetarily, prayerfully and this past month with helping families that have needed our assistance. Blessings to you All!

Preparation for the Lenten season environment in the church will take place on **Sunday, February 19th, after the 10:30am Mass**. All help would be greatly appreciated in the removal of the plants from the Altar space. Thank you!



St. Bernard's Youth Masses—Grades 1 & UP!

YOUTH Mass	March 12—Sunday 8:30 am
	April 2—Sunday 10:30 am
	April 29—Saturday 5:00 pm

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Save the date: May 28, 2023
 2nd Annual Pentecost Pilgrimage
 Stations of the Cross, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary, ending with potluck.
 Contacts are Arlene Thune, Mike & Cindi Wavra. Come Holy Spirit!



The Diocese of Crookston invites you to "United for Life, Minnesota's Pro-Life Advocacy Day," on February 28th, 2023.

United for Life is a pro-life advocacy day at the Minnesota State Capitol bringing together pro-life Minnesotans, organizations, and church bodies from across the state to stand up for life. The day will consist of a rally in the Capitol Rotunda, educational opportunities, and meetings with your state representatives. You will get to hear from a variety of inspiring speakers and get a chance to connect with many of the leading pro-life organizations from around the state. It is now more important than ever to UNITE and make the pro-life message heard in Minnesota. Registration is required for the MCC to schedule meetings with your legislators. **Tickets are free.** When: February 28, 2023, at 10:00-2:30pm Where: Minnesota State Capitol, 75 Rev Dr Martin Luther King Junior Blvd, Saint Paul, MN 55155 Register Here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/united-for-life-minnesotas-pro-life-advocacy-day-tickets478597727687> OR – look for the registration link at unitedforlifemn.org The Diocese is offering a \$75.00 travel voucher for members of the diocese who drive to this event (limited to the first 40 requests). Please email Cassandra Johnson at cjohnson@crookston.org to your travel voucher for the event.

Lent 2023

DAILY MASS

Tuesday & Thursdays 8:00 am
Wednesdays- 5:15 pm - Friday -8:30 am

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Tuesdays & Thursdays-8:30-10pm
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Wednesdays at 5:45 pm
Fridays at 8:00 am
Saturday 4:30, Sunday 8:00 am

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March 12--St. Lawrence, Mentor
March 26,- St. Joseph, Red Lake Falls

LENTEN FISH FRY'S

St. Bernard's--Fridays 4:30-6:30 pm
Clean up help is needed!

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesdays at 5:45 pm
Saturdays at 4:00 pm

PARISH SEDER MEAL

Tuesday, April 4, 6:00 pm

LENTEN RETREAT

Saturday March 18 - St. Bernard's
8 am - 12:30pm

MERCY HOUR

March 9, 7:00 pm Cathedral, Crookston

FAMILY FAITH NIGHT

March 29 7:00 pm
"Living Stations"

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Following 5:15 pm Mass

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm
Thursdays at 8:30 am (School)

BIBLE STUDY

Biblical Walk Through the Mass
Wednesdays-- 7:00 pm

LENTEN REGULATIONS FOR CATHOLICS

ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT

Beginning at age 14, Catholics are obliged to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all other Fridays of Lent. From the first century, the day of the crucifixion has been traditionally observed as a day of abstaining from flesh meat to honor Christ who sacrificed his flesh on a Friday.

FASTING

From ages 18 to 60, Catholics are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. During these days, we are encouraged to limit ourselves to eating lightly, or one full meal - eating nothing between meals.

ALMSGIVING

Is the practice of considering and treating all things, the earth and one's own life (time, talent, and treasure) as belonging to God, and oneself as the manager, or "steward" (See 1 Corinthians 4:1 - 2; 1 Peter 4:10). Please pick up a Rice Bowl to set aside money during this penitential season for the poor.

Return the Rice Bowl to the church during Holy Week.

"This rather is the fasting that I wish: releasing those bound unjustly, untying the thongs of the yoke; sharing your bread with the hungry, sheltering the oppressed and the homeless, clothing the naked and not turning your back on your own." Isaiah 58:6-7





Ash Wednesday: The Journey Home



THE GRACE I SEEK: to believe that Jesus will guide me to heaven, my true home

IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER, AND OF THE SON, AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. AMEN.

Jesus, the Lord of Life, has given himself to you in the Eucharist. He is gazing upon you, his beloved child, with great love at this very moment. Pause for a few moments and wonder at his gift for you. Allow yourself to rest in his loving gaze.

Thank Jesus for the gift of himself in the Eucharist.

ASK FOR THE GRACE: Jesus, help me to believe you will show me the way home to heaven.

SCRIPTURE MEDITATION — Read slowly, 3-4 times. Allow the words of Scripture to wash over your mind and heart. Allow the Holy Spirit to speak to you through this passage.

“Even now, says the LORD, return to me with your whole heart, with fasting, and weeping, and mourning; rend your hearts, not your garments, and return to the LORD, your God. For gracious and merciful is he, slow to anger, rich in kindness, and relenting in punishment.” (Joel 2:12-13)

REFLECTION QUESTION — Allow yourself to sit with these questions for a while, being attentive to how the Lord is speaking in your heart.

What are the burdens you are carrying that Jesus is inviting you to lay down today? How can you allow Jesus to help you lighten your load so that you can journey more freely with him through this Lenten season?

SCRIPTURE MEDITATION — Read slowly, 3-4 times. Again, allow the words of Scripture to wash over your mind and heart. Let the Holy Spirit speak to you through this passage.

“When you pray, go to your inner room, close the door, and pray to your Father in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will repay you.” (Matthew 6:6)

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The inner room of our hearts is the place where Our Lord desires to cultivate deep intimacy and friendship with us. Gazing upon the Eucharist, ask Jesus to help you open your heart to this closeness with him. Ask him to help you believe that you belong, that you are called to have a home with him!

Remain in silence with the Lord. Allow him to speak in the silence, in your heart. Receive his presence. If it helps, write down what you sense the Lord communicating to you during this time of prayer.

CLOSING PRAYER — Grant, O Lord, that we may begin with holy fasting this campaign of Christian service, so that, as we take up battle against spiritual evils, we may be armed with weapons of self-restraint. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. (Collect, Ash Wednesday)

SUNDAY MASS CONNECTION — At every Mass, Jesus offers himself to the Father for us. We can always join our own offerings with Jesus at Mass. Next time you are at Mass, offer your desire to journey through this Lenten Season with Jesus, who shows us the way to our Heavenly Home.



Curbside Fish Fry Friday, February 24, 2023 St. Bernard's, Thief River Falls

West on First Street – turning North on Kinney – turning east on 2nd Street to St. Bernard's – pay for meals at trailer, turn Right (south) on Knight to front of St. Bernard's – pick up meals at 2nd trailer. Please stay in your vehicle.

Cash, check, or credit card
(Correct change appreciated & cash/check only for delivery)

Menu Includes:

**St. Bernard's famous deep-fried beer battered walleye,
Mashed potatoes & white gravy, corn, coleslaw, and bun
(No custom meals)**

Price: \$15.00 for one approx. 8 oz fillet
Due to supply issues we had to purchase a larger fillet comparable to our previous two fillets.

St. Bernard's School Sweet Shop “Cinnamon Coffee Cake” \$2.00

Serving from 4:30 to 6:30 P.M. Curbside

**ORDER ONLINE for delivery only at stbernardscc.org
(Link is available Tuesday noon – Friday noon only of that week)**

**Phone delivery orders taken starting at 2:00 P.M.
(No orders taken after 6:00 pm)**

Call 681-3560

No delivery charge but tips for the driver are welcome!
Come enjoy this wonderful delicacy and thank you for supporting
St. Bernard' Parish!



St. Bernard's School News ~February 19, 2023~



St. Bernard's Catholic School educates and guides families
to grow and serve in the love of Jesus Christ

THANK YOU!

We are grateful to announce a generous donation to the St. Bernard's School Scholarship Fund in memory of Bonnie Pokrzywinski. We extend our sincere thanks to Mark & Tammy Thune for this meaningful contribution that will help deserving students pursue their educational aspirations. Your support is greatly appreciated!

ST. BERNARD'S SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FOR 2023-2024

Welcome to the 2023-2024 School Year. It may seem early, but we are already beginning to plan for next school year. "Go Make a Difference" in the life of your child!

- January 1 – Current Families Re-enrollment – **Early Bird Registration - \$50 off per student until March 1!**
- March 1 – New Families Enrollment Opens
- March 9 – Early Childhood Round Up – Preschool, Prekindergarten, Kindergarten

If you are interested in enrolling your child, please see our website at <https://www.stbernardscc.org/>, email laura.brickson@stbernardstrf.com, or call 218-681-1539



Tickets are on sale NOW until **March 1**
The St. Bernard's Gala: Hawaiian Paradise
March 11th, 2023!



GIVING HEARTS DAY

THANK YOU so very much everyone for your amazing generosity! We have raised a total of approximately **\$15,000!** Our students created Valentines for our seniors and each class was able to donate to a variety of charities. You truly have "Made a Difference" in so many lives and we are thankful for you!



SCIENCE FAIR

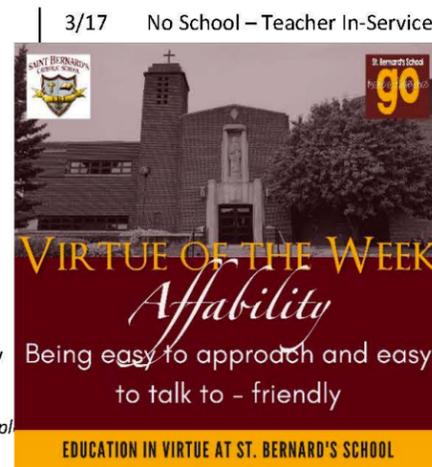
Our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students have been working hard on their science fair projects - way to go scientists! Our fair is February 22nd and the public is invited!



ST. BERNARD'S DATES TO REMEMBER

2/20	No School – Staff In-Service	3/4	State Robotics Tournament!	3/17	No School – Teacher In-Service
2/21	8:15 Burying of the Alleluias	3/5	8:30 Youth Mass		
2/22	Ash Wednesday, Science Fair Open House, Robotics	3/6	Ice Skating This Week		
2/27	6:00 SAC Meeting	3/7	Art Club		
3/1	GALA TICKETS DEADLINE, New Family Registration Opens!, 3 rd grade Parent Lunch 11:50, 4H Cloverbuds, Youth Mass Practice, Robotics	3/8	FM Opera, 5 th graders at the Young Author's Conference		
3/2	Read Across America Day / PJ Day	3/11 St. Bernard's Gala "Hawaiian Paradise"			
3/3	Parent Teacher Conferences – No School	3/14	8:15 All School Guided Adoration, 6:00 Early Childhood Round Up!		
		3/16	End of the 3 rd Quarter, Blarney Bowling, 4H Engineer It!		

St. Bernard's School is an Equal Opportunity Employer



Hawaiian Paradise

You are invited to join us for

St. Bernard's Spring Gala

Saturday, March 11 | Legacy Events Center

\$50 / Ticket

Tickets sales close 3/1

4:30 Social Hour

5:30 Formal Dinner

Chicken or Pork, Sides, Salad, Bread, and Dessert

Dance to Follow

Games, Raffles and Live Auction Throughout the Evening

Online Auction 3/6 -3/12

Tickets and more information can be found at

<https://www.stbernardscc.org/gala>, after Mass or at the School Office



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