



NATIVITY OF MARY CHURCH AND SCHOOL

"My attitude must be Christ's." — Philipians 2:5

Dear Friend,

Nativity of Mary School has provided excellence in education to children in the Independence and eastern Jackson County area since 1955.

As a parochial school, we are not entitled to state funds that the public schools enjoy, so we must rely on our parents and parishioners to sustain us through tuition and parish contributions. Without state funding, we rely on fundraising efforts for necessary materials, equipment, and resources as well as "extras" that help our students learn and grow.

On March 31, 2012, Nativity of Mary School will be hosting its annual auction to raise these monies for the school. Last year, we were able to raise \$40,000 due to businesses such as yours, who generously donated products and services.

Would you be able to support our efforts this year to help us reach our goal of \$45,000? This could be done by:

1. Donating a service or item
2. Purchasing Ad Space in our Auction Program
3. Donating money directly to the school

Please contact me at the number below if you would like to help our school. Your service, item, or contribution may be tax deductible. For your records, our Federal Tax Id number is 44-0584302.

The proceeds from the auction will be used to improve the school facility and the educational experience of all our children. If you have been a supporter of our auction in the past, you have our deepest appreciation.

Whatever your donation, please know we are very appreciative of your kind generosity.

Sincerely,

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