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Dear Friend,

Last year, the schools of St. Pius X and St. Mary of the Lake joined together to form a new, regional school, Frassati Catholic Academy. The unified school is dedicated to educating students – preschool through eighth grade – in a nurturing and encouraging environment grounded in the Catholic tradition.

Frassati Catholic Academy is thrilled to announce its Inaugural Gala – the school's primary fundraising event. The theme for this year is *New Beginnings*, and on behalf of the school I am writing to request a donation to the Gala.

As Minnesota's first STREAM school, Frassati Catholic Academy uses an integrated learning model including Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics. We have a goal to raise more than \$50,000 to acquire additional technology and resources that will positively impact this curriculum. Specifically, the seven-year old computer lab will be upgraded and we will implement a 1:1 chrome book learning environment for the middle school students.

We appreciate and need the support of businesses in the many neighborhoods where our school families live, work, and shop. We are seeking all types of donations, including gift cards and certificates, merchandise, and services. All donors will be gratefully acknowledged in auction materials that will be distributed to school families as well as to participants at the event. Also please note that Frassati Catholic Academy is a non-profit organization under Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code, so your donation may be tax-deductible.

Event: Inaugural Gala with silent and live auctions for 200+ guests held at Frassati Catholic Academy

Event date: April 25, 2015

Mail donations to: Frassati Catholic Academy
Attn: Beth Doroff
4690 Bald Eagle Avenue, White Bear Lake, MN 55110

Attached you will find a Donor Form to mail along with your donation, or if it is more convenient, I can arrange a time to pick up your donation. Your participation in this event is most appreciated. It will make a difference in our students' lives, as well as help Frassati Catholic Academy flourish for years to come. We invite you to come grow with us! Thank you.

Sincerely,

Beth Doroff
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