## Dear Parents,

The day has come! The auction starts today! Don't miss out! Bidding begins today at 4 pm. There are so many wonderful items up for auction. Here is the <u>link</u> to get registered, participate and support St. Luke School. Remember, you can send out the link far and wide. Anyone can participate. We look forward to seeing you tomorrow night! All of the information about the auction can be found on the <u>St. Luke School Webpage</u>.

Our 3rd Grade art project is AWESOME! Thank you, Lacie Hansen for taking the time to put this project together. Students really enjoyed it and most got to learn a new skill in the process.

Next week, we will be taking our spring MAPS tests on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Please make sure your child gets a good night's sleep, a good breakfast and make sure they have snacks and a water bottle. All of these help them to be prepared and stay focused during the test. We look forward to seeing all of the growth your child has made this year.

With just 4 weeks left of school, please continue to check PowerSchool to see your child's progress and to look for any missing work that needs to be completed. Please let us know if your child completes an assignment that has been marked missing, so we can go ahead and update PowerSchool. PowerSchool will be updated by Sunday night.

Next week, students will be discovering the most dangerous animal in the world isn't sharks or lions, but... mosquitoes! Mosquitoes are responsible for spreading diseases like malaria, West Nile, and Zika. In our activity, students will apply knowledge about mosquito habitats and life cycles toward preventing mosquitoes in a fictional town.

You can support your child's learning! Discuss whether mosquitoes are common where you live, and how you could prevent getting bitten by them. Do you wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants outside? Do you spray mosquito repellent or hang mosquito netting? What are other solutions to keeping mosquitoes away?

Thank you all for the continued support. Enjoy the beautiful weekend ahead and we look forward to seeing you all at the virtual auction tomorrow night!

Blessings,

Susan Smith and Valerie Sheehan