

## DONATION IDEAS FOR CHRISTMAS STORE AUCTION

Your help is needed to gather donated items and services for our Christmas Store Auction on April 18. This year we will have live and silent auctions, as well as a marketplace and raffle.

Please think about what you may be able to donate, yourself or together with your ABF or small group, or solicit from friends, family, neighbors, and places of business you frequent.

Some great donation ideas:



<b>SPORTS AND OUTDOORS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>sporting equipment</li> <li>lessons (tennis, golf, etc.)</li> <li>autographed paraphernalia</li> <li>season tickets</li> <li>round of golf</li> <li>use of stadium seats</li> <li>use of arena suite/box</li> <li>week at a summer camp</li> <li>use of vacation home</li> </ul>	<b>PERSONAL SERVICES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>meal preparation</li> <li>home decorating</li> <li>house cleaning</li> <li>party planning</li> <li>organizing closets or photos</li> <li>Christmas decorating</li> <li>outdoor lighting</li> <li>gift wrapping</li> <li>lawn service</li> <li>baby-sitting</li> <li>running errands</li> </ul>	<b>PROFESSIONAL SERVICES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>income tax preparation</li> <li>estate planning</li> <li>veterinary/pet boarding care</li> <li>interior design</li> <li>home remodeling</li> <li>event planning</li> <li>photography</li> <li>computer/electronic services</li> <li>lessons (music, dance, art)</li> <li>musical performance</li> <li>automobile oil change</li> </ul>	<b>GIFT CARDS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Home Depot</li> <li>Target</li> <li>Walmart</li> <li>local restaurants</li> <li>fast food</li> <li>dry cleaners</li> <li>car wash</li> <li>gas</li> <li>video stores</li> </ul>
<b>PARTIES/THEME PARKS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Six Flags</li> <li>Main Event</li> <li>GameWorks</li> <li>Build-A-Bear</li> <li>Putt-Putt Golf</li> <li>movie theater tickets</li> <li>rock-climbing</li> </ul>	<b>LIFESTYLE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>nail salons</li> <li>spas</li> <li>massages</li> <li>hair salons</li> <li>dental whitening</li> <li>fashion apparel</li> <li>handbags</li> </ul>	<b>PACKAGE IDEAS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>girls' night out</li> <li>guys' weekend</li> <li>fishing/hunting trips</li> <li>family getaway weekend</li> <li>date night</li> <li>girls' sleepover</li> </ul>	<b>OTHER GREAT IDEAS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>air miles</li> <li>hotel points</li> <li>homemade foods</li> <li>handmade treasures</li> <li>artwork</li> <li>jewelry</li> </ul>

Donations should be dropped off with the receptionist at the church office during business hours. At that time, please be sure to complete an Auction Drop-Off Form which includes the following information: donor name, donor contact information, item description (also include any special meaning/significance, if applicable), and value. Forms are available at the Reception Desk.

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