

## **BBUUC SILENT AUCTION 2022**

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

**Q Is it too late to submit a donation?**

A Yes!

**Q Can I bid online?**

A No, you can only bid in person at the church. However, you may ask someone else to bid for you if you can't be present.

**Q Will there be a live auction?**

A No, this year will be a silent auction only.

**Q. When does bidding start?**

A. The Silent Auction bidding began on Saturday October 22.

**Q. When does bidding end?**

A. Bidding will be closed shortly after the Worship Service on Sunday November 6.

**Q. Will there be any special food served during Fellowship time on November 6?**

A. In addition to our normal coffee, tea, and juice, we are having a bake sale on Nov 6. We are soliciting individually wrapped baked goods and snacks donated by our team of excellent chefs and available for sale. Pizza by the slice will also be available for sale. Remember to bring cash for food items.

**Q. When will the Auction Catalog be available?**

A. [Auction Catalogs](#), in a printable pdf format, were emailed to BBUUC members and friends. You can also view descriptions and some pictures of auction items on our [Bidding Owl](#) site.

**Q. Is the auction open to the public?**

A. Bidding is open to anyone with a connection to our congregation. All bidding is in person, so they must come to the church in person or ask someone to bid for them. The auction will be publicized through our usual BBUUC PR channels: [BBUUC website](#), FaceBook, Journey, This Week, and emails.

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**Q. How and when do I pay for the items I win?**

- A. Auction checkout and payment will be on Sunday November 6 after final bidding closes. If you are the winning bidder on an item, you will receive an email notice when that item is closed. You will receive a separate email for each winning bid you make. You may pay through PayPal using a link in the email notice. If you wait until bidding on all items has been closed, then your PayPal link will show your total amount. If you prefer, you may also pay in person at BBUUC by cash, check, or credit card once bidding on **all** items has been closed out.

**Q. How will I receive the items I won?**

- A. Many items in the categories Unique Treasures, and Arts and Crafts, will be available to take home from BBUUC on November 6. Made to order items and most other items will be arranged directly between the donor and winning bidder.

**Q. What if the donor cannot fulfill their donation?**

- A. Although every donor intends to fulfill their donation, it is possible that an unforeseeable event may occur (remember the pandemic?). If possible, we expect the donor to make every effort to reschedule or substitute as best they can. We expect the bidder(s) to understand and be flexible. In the end, we ask that everyone remember the purpose of the auction is to support BBUUC's revenues for this year to meet our congregationally approved budget. Our Congregational Covenant and Covenant of Right Relations will be our guides.