

2025 UUCC Auction Catalog: Preview

Auction Details:

When: Saturday, November 1, 2025

Where: Fellowship Hall
Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Cleveland
21600 Shaker Blvd.
Shaker Heights, Ohio 44122

Food & Beverage:

Appetizers and all-ages refreshments by Harry's Kitchen Crew

Wine and Beer available through the Wine Grab & Beer Pull
(details below)

Schedule of events:

- Auction runs 5:30 to 6:45
- Tables will close at 6:15, 6:30 and 6:45.
- Entertainment from 7:00 to 8:00
- Checkout from 8:00 to 8:30 (Zelle, Cash, Checks)

Why Participate in the Auction?

The Annual Auction is important to the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Cleveland for many reasons, including:

- **Communal Gathering:** The Auction event itself is an event with great food, lots of items to bid on or buy, time to hang out with your friends from UUCC, and a chance to bring interested friends to help support.
- **Community Building:** Many people donate social or learning events as auction items and you can bid on or buy entry to events that take place over the remainder of this congregation year.
- **Funding Our Congregation:** Did you know that the Auction is listed in the UUCC Annual Budget as a significant source of income that supports our programs and operations? This year the amount we hope to raise is \$10,000.

Please **BID GENEROUSLY!** This is a key fundraiser that benefits all of us! Not only are you buying items, services, food, getaways and gatherings at very fair prices, your dollars go directly to the Congregation.

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Auction Activities:

Silent Auction

Write your bid number and bid on the sheet. Your bid must raise the prior bid by the "minimum raise" amount noted.* (See next paragraph.) Highest bid(s) win! Basically this includes any physical items, service items and events. At checkout, you will receive the item or a certificate for the event, service, or experience.

*In the case of multiple offerings of one item, a bid raise may not be necessary. For example, if a service is offered to the 3 highest bidders, bidders 2 & 3 can bid the same amount as bidder 1, however, the 4th bidder must raise the bid (thereby knocking bidder 3 off the list, because bidders 1 & 2 got there first.) Sound complicated? When in doubt, just raise the bid! Auction Committee members will be available for questions, and will scrutinize the bid sheets for fairness.

Fixed Price

These are usually events or some physical items for multiple people offered at a fixed-price. Sign-up is on a first-come, first-served basis. Write your bidder number on the list to reserve a place for yourself! These items or events are open to everyone until the limit is reached. At checkout you will receive the item or a certificate with all the pertinent information about the event.

Bid and Bump Boards

Think of the Bid and Bump Boards as a game of strategy, timing, and a little bit of luck! Here's the scoop:

1. **Pick your Event** – Each event up for bid is listed with a bid sheet.
2. **Place Your Bid** – Write down your bidder number and the amount you're willing to pay.
3. **Check Back Often** – Someone else might outbid you! You can swoop back in and raise your bid to stay on top.
4. **Winning Time** – When the auction closes, the highest bid wins the item.

It's simple, fun, and a bit competitive!

Raffle

Tickets will be for sale 5:30-7:00. 1 ticket for \$1, 6 tickets for \$5. \$20 gets you an arm's or leg's length of tickets (does not have to be your arm or leg). Each Raffle item will have a bag for your tickets.

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Wine Grab

Try your luck with our fun Wine Grab! For just \$20, you'll draw a playing card and take home the bottle of wine that matches your card. Every card wins – and every bottle is a surprise, valued between **\$15 and \$75**. Which will you walk away with, red, white, or sparkling treat? Good luck!

Beer Pull

Take your pick in our hidden beer pull! For just \$5, you'll pull a mystery bottle or can of beer from our stash. Every pull wins, and the variety is wide—local craft brews, seasonal favorites, crisp lagers, hoppy IPAs, smooth stouts, and maybe even a hard cider or two. Whether you're into light and refreshing or bold and adventurous, there's something for everyone. Cheers!

Proxy Bidders

For those unable to attend the Auction, you may want to find yourself a "proxy" bidder. Instruct your bidder as to the items you would like, and how high you would be willing to bid. Any corrections, additions or cancellations will be posted Auction Day.

After the Auction. . .

This year there is entertainment from 7-8 after the auction. This allows the Auction Team to have time to gather, sort and create invoices for all the winners. At the conclusion of the entertainment, come to Fellowship Hall, check the winning bidder display board to see if you won! If you're a winner, go to the checkout table to pay your invoice and collect your winnings.

For Donors, a listing of what you donated and who bought the items will be emailed. And again, thank you for your donations!

Bid-n-Bump

Places: 8

Donated by: Amy Collins & Sharon Marrell

Places: 8

Donated by: Denise Vinton & Helen Gutin

Places: 8

Donated by: Cat White & John Bacon

Places: 10

Donated by: Holly Walker

Places: 6

Donated by: Laurie Albright & Brian Larson

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Great Escapes

1095 St. Augustine B&B for 2 Quantity: 1

4 nights stay with Debbie & Ken in March. They'll provide breakfasts, one dinner and Putt Putt. They'll also provide transportation to & from airport, if you don't choose to drive or rent car and extend your trip. Room arrangement can be twin beds or King based on your preference. Private bathroom. They have E-bikes for a beach ride.

Donated by: Debbie & Ken Kuehm

1096 A Week In St Augustine Quantity: 1

Enjoy a one-week beach vacation in historic St. Augustine, Florida. Stay in a comfortable condo that sleeps 4–6 with the pull-out couch, just a short walk from the beach. Conveniently located about 50 minutes from Daytona or Jacksonville airports (or a 14-hour drive), the condo is available during select weeks in May, June, early August, or October 2026. Please note: cleaning fee is not included. Can see interior if you google Coastal Rentals St Augustine, J17.

Donated by: Debbie & Ken Kuehm

1111 2026 Camper Weekend Quantity: 1

Enjoy a weekend getaway in a fully outfitted 27-foot travel trailer—your home away from home! The Buelow & Glesius family will deliver, set up, and return the camper to a KOA or comparable campground within about 50 miles of UUCG. All you need are groceries and a sense of adventure. The trailer sleeps six comfortably and includes a full bathroom and air conditioning. Possible destinations include Thompson, Sandusky, Pymatuning, Lake Milton, or Mohican. This mutually agreed-upon weekend will take place before November 1, 2026.

Donated by: The Buelow & Glesius Family

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Raffle

1048 Nature Photo Cards Quantity: 1

2 sets of 4 cards. Set 1 is 4 different birds; Set 2 is 4 different nature artwork pictures These are blank cards inside and include 4 envelopes.

Donated by: Sharon Marrell

1085 Set of 8 Embossed Holly Notecards. Quantity: 1

This lot of Holly Notecards are extra Special with embossed Cardstock and Rhinestone accents.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

1117 Rainbow Lap or Baby Blanket Quantity: 2

Brighten any day with this cheerful, hand-crocheted blanket by Debbie Wright. The soft rainbow stripes make it ideal for a cozy lap throw or a colorful baby blanket. Approximately 34" x 34" — just the right size for snuggling.

Donated by: Debbie Wright

1123 Gift Card to Wild Birds Unlimited Quantity: 1

Gift card from a most unique store specializing in everything for birds

Donated by: Barbara & Jonathan Glauser

1124 Gift Card: Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railway Quantity: 1

Come explore our Cuyahoga National Park with a heritage railway experience
Expiration date 9/10/30

Donated by: Barbara & Jonathan Glauser

1133 Mitchell's gift bag Quantity: 1

An insulated Mitchell's bag with ice cream scooper and \$35 gift card

Donated by: Laurie Holmes

1147 Game basket with snacks Quantity: 1

Bring the fun home with this game-night basket filled with assorted games, candy, and popcorn—everything you need for an evening of laughter and friendly competition.

Donated by: Suzanne & Jay Youngless

1150 Craft Basket Quantity: 2

Unleash your creativity with this colorful basket of art supplies and craft materials. Whether you enjoy painting, drawing, or DIY projects, this collection offers plenty of inspiration and fun ways to explore your artistic side.

Donated by: Sharon Marrell, Laurie Holmes, Debbie Kuehm, Amy Collins, and members of Artist Hive

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1154 Gabby's Dollhouse Purr-ific Pool Playset Quantity: 1

Bring home the magic of Gabby's Dollhouse with this colorful Purr-ific Pool Playset! Join Gabby and MerCat—straight from the show—in their adorable swim outfits for splashy fun and meow-mazing adventures. Watch their mermaid tails change color when squirted with water, send them down the pool slide, or let them float and relax in the sunshine. Perfect for hours of imaginative play.

Donated by: Sharon Marrell

1155 Scented Candle from Gervasi Vineyard Quantity: 1

Bring the romance of Gervasi Vineyard into your home with this beautifully scented sugared citrus candle. It's a lovely way to unwind, reflect, or add a touch of luxury to any room.

Donated by: Suzanne & Jay Youngless

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Reservation Table

1062 Winter Walk in South Chagrin Reservation Places: 10

Bundle up for a refreshing winter walk in South Chagrin Reservation. On Saturday, December 13, 2025, from 9:30–11:30 AM, join the Walking Group for a 45–60 minute trail hike, then warm up with a hearty breakfast and fire prepared by Fred Littell and helpers. This one-time event is for 10 people.

Donated by: Walking Group I UUCS

1068 Rhubarb Pie at the Binnig's farm Places: 12

Enjoy a relaxing country drive to the Binnig farm, where you'll be treated to homemade rhubarb pie made with rhubarb fresh from their garden. Each slice is served with vanilla ice cream, along with coffee and tea. This delicious spring gathering takes place on Saturday, May 16, 2026, at 2:00 PM, at the Binnig's farm in Thompson, Ohio.

Donated by: Mark & Kathleen Binnig

1073 Afternoon Spring High Tea Places: 14

Enjoy an elegant Afternoon High Tea at the home of Sharon Marrell and Amy Collins in Middleburg Heights. Sip unlimited pots of black, white, green, and rooibos tea while sampling savory cucumber, egg salad, and curried chicken tea sandwiches. The table will also feature a delicious variety of scones with clotted cream and lemon curd, lavender shortbread, and other sweet treats. This one-time event for 14 people takes place on Saturday, March 28, 2026, at 2:00 PM.

Donated by: Amy Collins and Sharon Marrell

1097 Euchre Game Night Places: 14

Gather for an evening of cards, conversation, and fun at this lively Euchre Game Night! Enjoy wine, beer, appetizers, and desserts to keep the games rolling. This one-time event for 14 people takes place on Saturday, May 16, 2026, from 6:00–9:00 PM.

Donated by: Debbie & Ken Kuehm

1101 Shall We Have a Spot of Tea? Places: 10

Take the chill off of January and Enjoy a cozy time together. A classic tea with classic fare with genteel conversation and camaraderie. Crooked pinkie fingers not required. Guests will enjoy the Moreland Courts ambiance. Saturday, January 17, 2026 2:00 - 4:00 pm

Donated by: Jan Devereaux & Nancy Allman

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1102 Annual Umpteenth McKenna Game Night Places: 16

Join the McKennas and friends for their famous game night, featuring playful twists on poker varieties (no polkas, please!) and some creative takes on studs and draws. Guests will be well fed and watered—Texas-style. This one-time event for 16 people takes place on Saturday, February 21, 2026.

Donated by: Kelli & Tom McKenna

1106 First BBQ of the Year!! Places: 30

You know how that first burger or dog off the barbecue tastes soooo good? Well, get it early as you recover from the holidays at the UUCU First BBQ of the Year, Saturday, January 10, 2026, 6 -10 PM.at the Kantor/McNulty home We provide the hot dogs, burgers (yes, we'll even have Beyond Burgers!) and soft drinks, you provide the appetizers, side dishes, desserts and anything alcoholic you may want to drink.

Donated by: David Kantor & Mary Ellen McNulty

1107 Day at the Lake Places: 30

You do not want to miss this! The annual Day at the Lake at the Kantor/McNulty home in Vermilion is a fun day of beach and water playtime, games on the green, morning donuts, lunch time cookout, and great UUCU conversation We provide morning donuts and coffee, afternoon cookout stuff and soft drinks. You bring an attitude of relaxation, appetizers, side dishes, desserts, and any alcoholic beverages you may want. Come on July 18, 2026 at 10, still till 6... or later, if the spirit so moves you.

Donated by: David Kantor & Mary Ellen McNulty

1120 Mindfulness for Everyone, Finding Peace Within Places: 30

Mindfulness practices offer hope, joy, and peace. that come from awareness of who we are in the present moment. Through teachings and practices, we will explore together how to apply ancient practices to modern lifestyles. Monday, January 12, 2026, 7:00-8:30pm. No previous experience required. Minimum of 6.

Donated by: Cynthia Taylor

1131 Chick Flick Places: 15

Come join your fellow UU ladies for dinner and a movie, but most importantly for fellowship and laughter. Munchies, pizza, beverages (beer, wine or soft drinks) and dessert provided. Saturday, Jan 17th, 2026 at 6 pm at Helen Gutin's house (address will be provided)

Donated by: Helen Gutin & Laurie Holmes

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1049 Landscape Print Quantity: 1

Framed print

Donated by: Jean Martin

1050 Holiday Glow Card Set Quantity: 1

Send a little light this season! Two handmade Christmas cards—one cozy by the fire, one shining with festive windows—both illuminate with a tiny tea light.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

1051 Orange Flowers Print Quantity: 1

Framed print

Donated by: Jean Martin

1052 Ernie's Chocolate Chip Platter Cookies Quantity: 5

More than a cookie almost a meal. You bought them at the bake sales and enjoyed them at potlucks! Now, buy a batch for your special occasion (a week's notice needed). Cookies can be with or without pecans.

Donated by: Ernie Anderson

1053 Blue Willow Print Quantity: 1

By Cleveland artist Jeanne Regan

Donated by: Jean Martin

1054 For The Ladies Creative Gift Giving Basket Quantity: 1

This trio has items which can be used separately or together. 3 D dress birthday card. Purse favor box good for a gift card or small treats like candy. Makeup Case Gift card holder.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

1055 Rockin' & Reelin' Card Duo Quantity: 1

Two cards that move to their own rhythm! A wobbling big bass leaps from the lake, and a 3-D guitar pops up to say "Rock On!" Perfect for any fun occasion.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

1056 Set of 4 Autumn Serenity Greeting Cards Quantity: 2

Set of 4 Autumn themed Greeting Cards consist of 2 styles, a Cottage, and a Cabin on a lake. 2 Cards of each design. The Cards can be used for any occasion, birthday, retirement or just to say Hello.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

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1057 Joyful Christmas Card Trio Quantity: 1

Three festive favorites—a lantern-swinging Santa Gnome, golden “Noel” bell, and three caroling snowmen. Each folds flat for mailing and pops up to spread holiday cheer.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

1058 Pay the Piper, Call the Tune: Choir Anthem Quantity: 1

What's a song you want to hear the choir sing on a Sunday at UUCU? YOU get to pick the music! NOTE: you'll collaborate with Mike on when the song is played/sung.

Donated by: Mike Carney

1059 Pay the Piper, Call the Tune: Favorite Hymn Quantity: 1

What's a hymn that you want the congregation to sing on a Sunday at UUCU? YOU get to pick the music! You'll collaborate with Mike on when the song is sung.

Donated by: Mike Carney

1060 Pay the Piper, Call the Tune: Piano Piece Quantity: 1

What's a piano piece that you want to hear on a Sunday at UUCU? YOU get to pick the music! NOTE: you'll collaborate with Mike on when the song is played.

Donated by: Mike Carney

1061 Framed canvas "Unity" Quantity: 1

Framed canvas "Unity" by Monica Stewart 27 inch square including 2" wood frame

Donated by: Pat Dillard

1063 Lenox Vase Quantity: 1

The Lenox vase is the traditional cream color and is 11 inches tall.

Donated by: Louise Mosher

1064 Rosenthal Vase Quantity: 1

The vase is white, oval in shape and is 9 inches tall

Donated by: Louise Mosher

1065 Creative Gift Giving School Pack Quantity: 1

This pack of School Related gift includes a notepad cover, a pencil shaped box, Thank you stationary, gift card holders and several treat boxes. Good for kids and teachers.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

1066 Creative Gift Giving Exchange pack Quantity: 1

This grouping of gift boxes are great for cookie or gift exchanges. It includes an Elf Cookie or gift box, Chicken bag , Apron treat box and a Sweet treat Bakery box. All suitable for small gifts or Gift Cards.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

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1067 Pie Making Class, Just in Time for Thanksgiving Quantity: 5

Get ready for Thanksgiving with a pie-making demonstration from Kathleen Binnig! She'll show up to 5 people how to create a tender, flaky crust and share her simple, foolproof recipe. While the demonstration pie bakes, you'll enjoy a freshly baked pie prepared in advance. This cozy event takes place at Kathleen's home on Tuesday, November 18, 2025, at 7:00 PM.

Donated by: Kathleen Binnig

1069 Embroidered Cleveland Guardians Crossbody Purse Quantity: 1

This carefully crafted Embroidered Purse was made on my embroidery machine. There are 2 pockets, one inside, one outside. The Guardians type logo is embroidered on front.

Donated by: Abe Cohen

1070 Banned Book Collection Quantity: 1

This themed tote bag is filled with literary treasures: books that have been banned somewhere by someone, plus a t-shirt, tea, a sticker, and more—all ready to spark conversation and inspiration.

Donated by: Tuesday Readers Small Group

1071 Rock and Roll Hall of Fame – Docent-Led Tour Places: 4

Enjoy a docent-led tour of the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame with special highlights including exhibits on the music of Saturday Night Live and the women who revolutionized rock. This unique experience for four people is available by appointment between April and November 2026—simply call donor Jack Ulman to schedule.

Donated by: Jack Ulman

1072 Marilyn Monroe Collectable Merlot wine bottles Quantity: 12

A rare find for wine lovers and collectors alike: this limited-edition set of 12 Marilyn Monroe Merlot bottles comes in its original case with a special display stand. The wine remains sealed in the bottles, though it is offered as a collectible item rather than for drinking.

Donated by: Rosemarie Paini

1075 Harry's Kitchen Crew Catered Dinner Quantity: 1

For the TENTH Year.... Harry's Kitchen Crew would love to provide a catered dinner at your home for you and friends . We will plan a theme with winner/host and organize, prepare, and serve for this "delizioso" gift.

Donated by: Harry's Kitchen Crew

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1076 Dansk Mesa Black 5pc Service for 8 Quantity: 1

Service for 8: Dansk Mesa Dinner plate, salad plate, bowl, cup and saucer. Estimated value from price of new dish set on dansk.com. Exact item from replacements LTD would cost over \$1000.

Donated by: Kerry Breitenbach

1077 Orange Chocolate Chip Ricotta Cookies Quantity: 4

1 dozen frozen orange chocolate chip ricotta cookies. Enjoy now or save for the holidays. Will plan to deliver these to the freezer at church on the day of the auction with sample cookies.

Donated by: Kerry Breitenbach & Ryan McGuire

1078 Adoption Network Cleveland Membership Quantity: 1

Adoption Network Cleveland provides advocacy, education, and support for people and families impacted by adoption, foster and kinship care, and DNA discoveries. This item is a one year family membership.

Donated by: Betsie Norris

1079 Baby gift basket Quantity: 1

Welcome a little one with this lovingly handcrafted gift set. Inside a decorated memory box, you'll find a soft handmade baby blanket, an adorable handmade outfit, and a baby scrapbook ready to be filled with treasured photos.

Donated by: Marilyn Landis

1080 Beginner Horsemanship & Horseback Riding Lesson Places: 2

Join my ponies and me at our beautiful farm to learn basic horse care and an introduction to horseback riding! One hour-long lesson available for children ages 4-12. Riding lesson for one child at a time, private session. All equipment provided, closed toe shoes/boots required, and dress for the weather! Contact Betsy to schedule the lessons on a weekend date this fall.

Donated by: Elizabeth (Betsy) Ortner

1081 Celtic Knot Necklace Quantity: 1

Beaded Celtic Knot pendant on wire choker

Donated by: Jane Peterson

1082 12 Ridge Spiral Necklace w/Magnetic Clasp Quantity: 1

Kumihimo (Japanese Braiding) braided necklace made of Japanese Silk and Acrylic Magnetic Clasp (Colors: Variegated Ocean w/ Sea Green Ridge)

Donated by: Jane Peterson

1083 Creative Giving Santa Pack Quantity: 1

Set of creative packages with a Santa Theme. Gift Bags and boxes along with a Santa Gift Card holder.

Donated by: Debbie Cohen

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1084	Handmade Quilt	Quantity: 1
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Wrap yourself in warmth and tradition with this handmade Amish-style scrap quilt in the Irish Chain pattern. Beautifully crafted with care, it measures 66" x 66".

Donated by: Kathy Schaefer

1086	4 Tickets to North Pole Adventure	Quantity: 1
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4 First Class Tickets to the North Pole Adventure on the Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad. Departs Saturday December 20, 5pm from Rockside Station.

<https://www.cvsr.org/excursions/north-pole-adventure/north-pole-adventure>

Donated by: Jonathan & Katherine Papcun

1087	Fishing Village	Quantity: 1
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Framed print

Donated by: Jean Martin

1088	Yamaha P-125 Digital Piano	Quantity: 1
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Yamaha P-125 Digital Piano with Stand, Bench and pedal. Very lightly used, good condition, Owners Manual included

Donated by: Valerie McFadden

1089	Handbuilt ceramic box	Quantity: 1
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Steampunk designs

Donated by: Cate Merriman

1090	Framed Photographs	Quantity: 2
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8x10 framed photos of floating white flowers

Donated by: Starlight Grove Studios & Abby Star

1091	Jump into Jazzercise!	Quantity: 1
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Join Pam Gibbon, Nancy Allman, and Jackie Stimpert for a free month of Jazzercise with our fantastic and entertaining teacher, Mary Beth McCann. She offers 7 classes/week in Lyndhurst or Cleveland Heights. Choose any or all!

Donated by: Mary Beth McCann

1092	Crabapple Jam	Quantity: 3
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Enjoy the taste of autumn with this homemade crabapple jam, lovingly prepared by Diana Mann. Sweet, tangy, and perfectly seasoned, it's wonderful on toast, biscuits, or as a glaze for roasted dishes. Each half-pint jar is a little taste of homemade comfort.

Donated by: Diana Mann

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1093 Crabapple Butter Quantity: 6

Enjoy the taste of autumn with this homemade crabapple butter, lovingly prepared by Diana Mann. Sweet, tangy, and perfectly seasoned, it's wonderful on toast, biscuits, or as a glaze for roasted dishes. Each half-pint jar is a little taste of homemade comfort.

Donated by: Diana Mann

1094 Pair of Ensemble Theatre Tickets Quantity: 1

Two tickets to an Ensemble Theatre production of your choice for the 2025-26 season

Donated by: Dennis Grossman & Julie Short

1098 Homemade vegetarian Armenian dinner Places: 5

Savor the authentic and delicious flavors of Armenia with a homemade vegetarian dinner prepared by Alison Bashian. This special event for 5 people will be scheduled at a mutually convenient date.

Donated by: Alison Bashian

1099 Airport Transportation Quantity: 2

Have you ever wanted a simple way to get to the airport and back? Skip the hassle of arranging for a ride, or parking & lugging your baggage! I have room in my Subaru Crosstrek to get you there and back (CLE or CAK). Dates to be agreed upon

Donated by: Terry Robbins

1100 2 Tickets to Cain Park Event Quantity: 1

Cleveland Heights' Cain Park offers an outdoor, intimate, covered theater (The Alma) and an outdoor covered amphitheater similar to a small Blossom (Evans). It features national, regional & local performers, May-September. Events schedule announced in May 2026. Last year included Bela Fleck, Isley Brothers, Wilco, Los Lobos, Andy Grammar, Dispatch; 4 plays; Inlet Dance...

Donated by: Terry Robbins

1103 UU Reflections & Design Pairing Quantity: 1

This thoughtful pairing combines a basket of UU meditation manuals—a dozen inspiring collections of poems, prayers, and reflections written by Unitarian Universalist ministers and friends—with a Frank Lloyd Wright-inspired metal magazine rack in a timeless craftsman design (14" x 11" x 6"). Together they create a perfect corner of calm for reading, reflection, and renewal.

Donated by: Pat Solomon & Sandy Wilson

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1105	Wellness Basket	Quantity: 1
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This beautifully prepared basket offers nourishment and hope for someone facing illness. It includes food, spices, supplements, recipes, cookbooks, scarves, resources, and heartfelt words of encouragement—all lovingly gathered by members of the Cancer Survivors Small Group.

Donated by: Cancer Survivors Small Group, Dennis Grossman, Ann Sanford, Robert Staib

1108 A Basket of Banned Kids' Books Quantity: 1

A Novel Idea is proud to donate this collection of banned children's books—stories once censored, yet still inspiring young readers and sparking vital conversations about free expression. This basket celebrates the enduring power of the freedom to read.

Donated by: A Novel Idea Small Group, Stephanie Fowler

1109 Abstract Waterscape Quantity: 1

Waterscape canvas, 24 x 36 inches, wrapped on wood frame

Donated by: Pat Dillard

1110	End-of-Life Planning Workshop	Places: 6
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This is a three-session workshop to support you in fashioning your own final disposition, memorial service, obituary, and other final chapter plans. March 3, 10, and 17, 2026

Donated by: Sandy Wilson & Laurie Holmes

1112	Wine Basket	Quantity: 1
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Basket containing wine related Items including a bottle of Sauvignon Blanc Wine

Donated by: 1st Thursday Cheers Group

1113	Rainbow Lap or Baby Blanket	Quantity: 1
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Brighten any day with this cheerful, hand-crocheted blanket by Debbie Wright. The soft rainbow stripes make it ideal for a cozy lap throw or a colorful baby blanket. Approximately 34" x 34" — just the right size for snuggling.

Donated by: Debbie Wright

1114 **Santa visit** **Quantity: 1**

Make this holiday season extra magical with a personal visit from Santa himself! Santa (a.k.a. Jim Campbell) will stop by the location of your choice for about an hour, bringing candy canes and a cuddly stuffed friend for each child. To make the experience even more special, Santa requests a few details in advance about the children's ages or grades. Visit time to be arranged at a mutually convenient date during the holiday season.

Donated by: Jim & Trish Campbell

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1115	Kate Spade Necklace	Quantity: 1
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Kate Spade ivory and gold floral necklace, excellent condition--worn once. Original price was \$200.00.

Donated by: Louise Mosher

1116	Betsy Johnson Necklace	Quantity: 1
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Betsy Johnson fun sparkling and bold necklace. Great for special occasions when you want to wear something bold and out of the ordinary. Excellent condition.

Donated by: Louise Mosher

1118 Walk in the Flats Places: 7

Enjoy a two-mile walk along the Cuyahoga River with scenic views and easy, mostly flat trails. The group will meet at Merwin's Wharf parking lot at 10:00 AM on Saturday, November 15, 2025. After the walk, participants are welcome to stay for lunch at Merwin's Wharf (on your own). Attendance is limited to seven people to allow space for anyone who wishes to dine together afterward.

Donated by: Debbie Wright

1119 Which Way Is Up? Quantity: 1

A framed 13"x9" water-marbled painting. Acrylic paint. No brushes used, only treated water and paint. All black-and-white. The title refers to there being no "right" way to hang it; it can be displayed in any direction.

Donated by: Joy Partain

1122	Personalized Puzzle Hunt	Quantity: 1
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An envelope will arrive unexpectedly within the next year, inviting the winning bidder to unravel a multipart puzzle featuring a unique piece by a local artist. This item requires the winning bidder to successfully solve a series of personalized interconnected puzzles. The complexity of puzzles and value of the art object will directly correlate to the amount of the winning bid.

Donated by: Randy Partain

1125	Cleveland Guardians Swag: Steven Kwan!!	Quantity: 1
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Steven Kwan, three time Gold Glove Award winner and two time All Star, is one of the most reliable hitters in baseball. Add this Steven Kwan bobble head, replica jersey, and 2022 playoffs rally towel to your collection.

Donated by: Linda Coulter & Dana Bjorklund

1126	Cleveland Guardians Swag: Larry Doby!!!	Quantity: 1
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Seven time All Star Larry Doby was the 2nd MLB and 1st American League player to break the color barrier in baseball. We have a Larry Doby bobble head, replica jersey, and 2022 playoffs rally towel to add to your collection.

Donated by: Linda Coulter & Dana Bjorklund

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1128 Pride/Rainbow Gift Basket Quantity: 1

Celebrate pride, creativity, and community with this colorful collection from the Pride for All Ages Small Group! The basket includes two season tickets to Near West Theatre's 2025-26 season (four shows: Hairspray, Seussical, Everybody's Talking About Jamie, and The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee); a signed copy of Mad River, Marjorie Rowland, and the Quest for LGBTQ Teacher's Rights by Margaret Nash and Karen Graves, signed by our own Maggie Nash; a handcrafted rainbow necklace and earring set by Amy Collins; CDs by Holly Near and the North Coast Men's Chorus; and more fun rainbow-themed surprises!

Donated by: Pride for All Ages Small Group

1129 Coffee Connoisseur Basket Quantity: 1

Everything you need for a luxurious coffee break awaits in this elegant basket. Enjoy a set of four fine china cups and saucers, a French press coffee pot, freshly roasted coffee beans, and seasonal biscotti for dipping. It's the perfect way to savor a cozy moment or share with fellow coffee lovers.

Donated by: Amy Collins & Sharon Marrell

1130 Winter Progressive Dinner Places: 6

Sip, stroll, and savor! Enjoy a progressive 3-course dining adventure to brighten a January night. Two houses, a short walk, excellent food, great company. The dinner will be Saturday, January 10 in Mayfield Heights. The Greenfield and Bacon/White homes are 1 block apart. There is driveway parking for anyone who needs transportation between sites.

Donated by: Kate & Harry Greenfield, Cat White & John Bacon

1132 Women's summer evening refuge Places: 7

Come to Laurie Albright's backyard for an evening of camaraderie, conversation, and connection. Enjoy hearty appetizers, refreshing beverages, and perhaps a few sweets as we relax together under the summer sky. Friday, July 17, 2026, from 6:00-9:00 PM (rain date: July 18). We need each other, particularly in this time.

Donated by: Laurie Albright

1134 Jackery Generator Quantity: 1

Jackery Portable Power Station Explorer 500, 518Wh Outdoor Solar Generator Mobile Lithium Battery Pack with 110V/500W AC Outlet for Home Use, Emergency Backup, Road Trip Camping (optional Solar Panel not included)

Donated by: Kathleen Zassick & Eric Angyal

1135 Dinner at the Clapham/Stoll farm in Amish Country Places: 6

Enjoy a cozy farm-to-table dinner in the peaceful countryside of Mesopotamia, near Middlefield, Ohio. Savor free-range organic chicken, fresh vegetables from the farm (weather permitting), and a selection of wine in the welcoming home of Pete and Anita. This dinner takes place on Saturday, November 8, 2025.

Donated by: Pete Clapham & Anita Stoll

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1137 Annual Anderson Albright Larson Spaghetti Dinner Places: 7

After your Saturday Fall chores, on Oct 3rd join us for the 21st installment of the famous Anderson Albright Larson Spaghetti dinner. You know you want to enjoy Ernie's homemade spaghetti sauce and salad dressing, along with appetizer, salad, garlic bread and dessert, with beverage of your choice. Meaty or meatless options available, with advance notice. At the home of Brian and Laurie in University Heights.

Donated by: Laurie Albright, Brian Larson, Ernie Anderson

1138 A Collection of Early Reader books for ages 6-10 Quantity: 1

A Kid's Book Bank tote to carry your special book for your beginner reader. Books include interests such as dinosaur stories, Cars, Thomas the Train, My Little Ponies, and Pete the Cat.

Donated by: Kid's Book Bank

1139 4-piece Mixing Glass Set and Candle Quantity: 2

Crafthouse by Fortessa 4-piece Mixing Set (mixing glass, julep strainer, bar spoon, two double old fashioned glasses) and sugared citrus scented wine bottle candle from Gervasi Vineyard

Donated by: Suzanne & Jay Youngless

1140 Arias Elite 42" Bronze Windchime Quantity: 1

Arias Elite 42" bronze windchime. Hand-crafted and hand-tuned. Tuned to the scale of C.

Donated by: Suzanne & Jay Youngless

1141 Holden Forests & Garden Passes Quantity: 4

Four general admission passes to the Cleveland Botanical Garden or Holden Arboretum. Expires 11/30/26

Donated by: Holden Forests & Gardens Holden Forests & Gardens

1142 UUCG Community Garden Garlic Quantity: 1

Culinary delight: a bundle of 10 garlic heads grown in the UUCG Community Garden.

Donated by: Russell Fedewa

1143 Kayak Adventure Quantity: 1

Join Cliff for a fun and flexible 1- to 4-hour Introduction to Kayaking session at East Branch Reservoir, about 19 miles east of Route 91 off Mayfield Road. Choose your own adventure—learn paddling basics, practice maneuvers, or simply enjoy a leisurely paddle surrounded by birds and trees. For the adventurous, Cliff can even demonstrate how to exit (and possibly roll) a kayak upside down—but only if you want to try! Sessions take place on a summer weekend in June, July, or August 2026, when the water is warm and the mood is easy.

Donated by: Cliff Wire

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1144 Computer assistance Quantity: 2

One 2 hour sessions of computer instruction covering such topics as using the Internet, MS Word, MS Excel, Windows XP/7/10/11. Or General Service (something is broken/doesn't work/I can't get it hooked up/etc.). Other topics possible upon request/investigation (can I meet your needs).

Donated by: Cliff Wire

1145 Dinner with the Couples Connecting Group Places: 4

Be our guest at one of our monthly dinners. We provide an appetizer, beverages, main, salad, dessert along with fellowship and conversation. Our goal is to meet every month on the second Saturday at 6:30, but we frequently move the date. We will communicate the upcoming schedule and you can let us know when you would like to join. Please let us know in advance about any food preferences or dietary restrictions. (we are a gluten-free, cheese on the side group already)

Donated by: Couples Connecting Small Group

1146 Reserved Parking Space at UUCU Quantity: 1

For One year, you or one member of your family will have a parking space. The reserved spot is located on next the Permaculture Garden near the West entry. A reserved parking sign will demark your parking location.

Donated by: Building & Grounds Team

1148 Face Painting Quantity: 1

Add color and sparkle to your next celebration with professional face painting by Tiny Tiger Design. Perfect for birthdays, holiday gatherings, or community events, this service brings smiles to all ages. Must be used by December 31, 2026.

Donated by: Tiny Tiger Design, Ruth Diaz

1149 One-Hour Myofascial Release Session Quantity: 4

Experience gentle, deeply effective relief through myofascial release with Dr. Eve Cohn, DC, MS, HMC. This treatment helps ease joint and scar tissue restrictions, improving comfort and movement from head to toe. Manual or acupuncture-assisted techniques are available. Dr. Cohn brings over 40 years of experience providing compassionate, restorative care.

Donated by: Dr. Eve Cohn, DC, MS, HMC

1151 Triple Treat: Poetry Reading & Dessert Places: 8

Enjoy an evening of everyday poetry and homemade desserts. Poets Leon Michaud and Bill Newby share original works exploring humor, beauty, and life's gentle ironies, with desserts provided by Barbara Hill-Newby and Pamela Schenk. Join us on Friday, November 21, 2025, from 7:00-8:30 PM in the Baker Room (213). Guests are asked to arrive between 6:45 and 7:10 PM.

Donated by: Bill Newby, Leon Michaud, Barbara Hill-Newby, and Pamela Schenk

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1152 Grandma Debbie's Frozen Cookie Dough Quantity: 6

Enjoy the taste of homemade cookies anytime with Grandma Debbie's frozen cookie dough! Each roll contains a full batch of dough, wrapped in parchment and ready to slice and bake whenever the craving strikes. Freshly baked cookies—without the mixing mess—just like Grandma makes.

Donated by: Debbie Wright

1153 5 Week Pottery Class Quantity: 1

Discover the joy of working with clay in a five-week introductory pottery class at the Beachwood Ceramic Guild, taught by Andrea Serifino. One participant may choose from sessions for children (ages 7–11, Saturdays 10:00 AM–12:00 PM), teens (Saturdays 3:30–5:30 PM), or adults (Saturdays 1:00–3:00 PM). The next session begins January 10, 2026, at the studio on Commerce Parkway in Beachwood.

Donated by: Beachwood Ceramic Guild – Debbie Kuehm

1156 Framed Photograph of Franklin D. Roosevelt Quantity: 1

A striking framed photograph of President Franklin D. Roosevelt, captured in action in the White House war room. Donated by a relative of FDR, this unique historical piece offers a glimpse into a moment of leadership and legacy that helped shape the nation.

Donated by: Dietz Zeichmann

1157 Cleveland Sports Basket Quantity: 1

Show your Cleveland pride with this winning lineup! Enjoy two lower bowl tickets to a Cleveland Monsters game (a near \$100 value each) plus a bundle of Browns spirit gear — including a pennant, sunglasses, lanyard, pencil, bracelet, and drawstring bag. Perfect for the ultimate local sports fan!

Donated by: Cleveland Monsters & Cleveland Browns

1158 BOX 7 Quantity: 1

What's better than one wooden box? Five wooden boxes all in a row. Just what you need for your desk or dresser. Handmade by Tom Hanger.

Donated by: Tom Hanger

1159 Lottery Tree Quantity: 1

They say money doesn't grow on trees—but maybe luck does! This cheerful little tree is covered in Ohio Lottery scratch-off tickets just waiting to reveal their surprises. The lucky bidder wins all the tickets—tree not included.

Donated by: Members of the Congregation