

Silent Auction Will Open 9/10!

You can browse items online at [one.Bidpal.net/gaauction](https://one.bidpal.net/gaauction).



The Auction rooms will be open for in-

person viewing on Friday, 9/13/24 from 5pm -8:45pm and Saturday, 9/14/24 from 10am-7:30pm. Bidding ends online at 10:30am, Sunday, 9/15/24.

How to Access: Use a smart phone, tablet or computer from home and go to the website listed above. You can tap "sign in" in the upper right hand corner on your device. If you have shopped with us before, sign in with your email and password, or click lost password if needed. If new, sign up easily with an email and phone number. You don't need to add your credit card info when you register, you can skip it. You can check out directly with the church on Sunday or Monday instead (we pay a lower fee for credit cards if you do it with us directly). If you have shopped with us before, you should have received a welcome text message inviting you to shop again. That takes you right to your account. When we open in person, you can stop by Auction Registration to check in and we will send you the text with a direct link to shop from your account too. If you don't have a smart phone or device, you can work with a Bid Assistant on site during the viewing hours to assist you in placing bids. It's actually pretty easy!

Tips: You can browse items by category, check out featured items or look at items with no bid yet. Use the search bar (tap the magnifying glass icon) to search by keyword for particular things (i.e. golf or hotel, etc.). You can also "watch" your favorite items by clicking the Watch button in any listing. Then tap the person icon in the upper right corner to see your watch list and your bidding activity at any time.

Once you are the high bidder on an item, it will ask if you want to set a maximum bid. The system will bid for you, but only if someone bids against you. This is a great option so you can enjoy the festival and don't need to keep checking on your items or if you are using a Bid Assistant to help you bid.

You also have the option to use the buy it now feature on most items which is 150% of the retail value. If you want to check out and take the item home right away during the in-person viewing, you can have a volunteer bring up your buy it now item after you purchase it online to our buy it now check out/info desk in the auction (by auction registration just outside the youth center). Please don't pick up any auction items yourself, let our volunteer staff do that.

We have some fixed price finds which are flat prices of \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20 on tables by the meditation room and under the gift card wall in the youth center. Do bring those items up yourself to check out at the buy it now checkout.

Check Out and Item Pick Up

Checkout and Item Pick Up will be Sunday, 9/15 from 12:30pm -2:30pm in person in the lower level (payments by Peter O'Neill and item pick up by the Youth Center). We will also offer a drive through pick up on Monday, 9/16, from 4:30pm-7pm. Drive to the back parking lot and follow the directions of our volunteers (stay in your vehicle, we will come to you for payment and bring your items out to you.). You can have a family member or friend pick up for you if you have a conflict. If you have an extenuating circumstance, please contact us to make other arrangements at silentauction@guardian-angels.org. Let us know if you have any questions. **Remember to bid generously as this is a fundraiser! Happy bidding and have a great festival!**