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# 9th Annual Service Auction



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Welcome to Unitarian Universalism, a religion that celebrates diversity of belief and is guided by seven principles. Our congregations are places where we gather to nurture our spirits and put our faith into action through social justice work in our communities and the wider world.

Newcomers are always welcome. There is no formal conversion process, so becoming a Unitarian Universalist is simply a matter of self-identification. Membership is voluntary and does not require renouncing other religious affiliations or practices.

We invite you to explore our website, www.uucsjs.org, visit us on a Sunday for a 10:00 am service and discover Unitarian Universalism!

There are seven principles which Unitarian Universalist congregations affirm and promote:

- The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

#### Welcome!

On behalf of Unitarian Universalist Congregation of the South Jersey Shore, we welcome you to our 9th Annual SERVICE AUCTION. The money raised tonight will be used to further liberal religion in the south Jersey shore area.

This event would not have been possible without your generosity. It is the culmination of a true team effort. Thank you for your support!

We would like to give special acknowledgement to our committees:

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*Chance Auction* Heidi Jannsch

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Our most sincere gratitude extends to each and every one of you. We deeply appreciate your hard work and generosity in making our 9th Annual UUCSJS SERVICE AUCTION a resounding success!

*Greeters* Ellie Gibson, Patty Kenney, Nick Bonar, Bud Smith

Handmade/Homemade Chair: Katy Cardwell Mamber: Tracy Longshore We would also like to recognize our generous sponsors:

Sponsorship: 1 – <u>Ralph Waldo Emerson . . . \$500 Level</u> Paul Utts & Rid Pest Control

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Steve Fiedler, TJ Jannsch, Jack Miller, Debbi Dagavarian, Chris Holaday

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Sponsorship: 5 – <u>e.e. cummings....</u> \$25 Level Colby Tippins, Dan and Marcia Wolfe

Thank you for your support. It has been an honor working with all of you!

Again, we thank all of YOU for attending the auction.

Sincerely,

Debbi & Heidi

Debbi Dagavarian and Heidi Jannsch 2013 Auction Co-Chairs

#### **Proxy Bidding**

If you cannot attend the auction, give this proxy to a friend and have him or her bid for you. Please let Kathleen Hartnett know in advance if you plan to do this.

#### PROXY BIDDING

If you cannot attend and you'd like to have someone bid for you, complete the form below and give it to your procurator (the person bidding for you). S/he will give it to the cashier if you win any items. Please let Kathleen know that you will be doing this.

Don't forget to buy tickets for the Chance Auction!

I,

\_\_\_\_\_, (your name) have empowered

\_\_\_(your procurator) to bid for me on the items listed below.

Item #	Max. Bid
Item #	Max. Bid
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Item #	Max. Bid
Signed	_ Date

# **Auction Guidelines**

#### **Silent Auction**

The Silent Auction opens at 6:30 for viewing / 7:00 for bidding. The minimum bid and minimum raise for each item is written on the bid sheet by the item. To be valid, bids must comply with these minimums and be legible.

To place a bid, sign your name and bid number with your bid amount on the bid sheet. Doing so constitutes a legal contract to purchase that silent auction item at the price you stated if your bid is the winning bid. The last (highest) valid bid entered prior to the section closing will be the winning bid.

A maximum guaranteed bid (*Win it Now*!) is stated on each bid sheet. By signing your name and bid number in this box, the bidding closes. The item is yours.

The Auction Committee reserves the right to withdraw any item at any time without notice before the actual sale. In the event of a dispute, the Auction Committee shall act as final authority in determining the winning bid.

#### Live Auction

Live Auction bidding will begin at 8:00pm. The Live Auction will continue until all items are sold.

If a group is bidding on one item, please designate one person to place your combined bid. Auction items will be awarded to one purchaser only.

A bid acknowledged by the auctioneer is a legal contract to purchase the item.

#### Payment

All items must be paid for by the end of the evening. For your convenience we gladly accept both checks & cash. A 50% payment will be accepted to hold your more expensive selections. The balance is due within 30 days. Please make arrangements for those with either Prim Reeves or Kathleen Hartnett during checkout.

#### Pick-Up

Once the table closes, the bids will be recorded by the table monitors. If you are the winner, the table monitor will award you a sticker for your "Items Won" sheet. You may then pay for your items at the cashier and return to the table to retrieve your items.

It is the responsibility of the purchaser to locate and remove his/her winning item(s) by the end of the auction. Winners of services are responsible for contacting the donor in order to receive the services offered.

#### **Auction Events Cancellation Guidelines**

Event hosts will personally contact participants prior to their event to confirm attendance.

If a guest, after signing up and paying, cannot make an event on the stated date, it is the guest's loss. The host is under no obligation to make up the event for that guest.

If the host needs to cancel, for any reason (i.e., illness, inclement weather, etc.), the host will reschedule the event. If this is not possible, or it is not possible to reschedule it for a time when all guests can attend, those who cannot attend may request a refund from the UUCSJS Treasurer.

If the event does not have a planned date at the time of the auction, and the host cannot find a date that is acceptable to everyone, the host should hold the event more than once, or in some way take responsibility to please all guests.

#### **Terms of Sale**

Unless otherwise noted, all certificates for goods and services must be used within one year of the auction date. All items and services are subject to the terms and conditions specified by the donors.

All sales are final. There will be no exchanges or refunds. UUCSJS does not make any expressed or implied warranties or guarantees on auction items regarding quality or value of items or services. UUCSJS has attempted to describe and catalog all items correctly, but all items are offered and sold "AS IS" and "WITH ALL FAULTS."

UUCSJS neither warrants nor represents, and in no event shall be responsible for the correctness of descriptions, genuineness, authorship, provenance or condition of the items. No statement made in this catalog or made orally at the auction or elsewhere shall be deemed such a warranty for tax purposes or market value. Items have not been appraised unless otherwise noted.

Reservations for trips and vacation accommodations must be mutually arranged with the donor unless otherwise noted. No refunds will be allowed on travel packages for canceled tickets and/or accommodations.

By the buyer's purchase, the buyer waives any claim for liability against UUCSJS, its elected and appointed officials, members and employees, sponsors, volunteers connected with the auction, and/or the donor of the item. Neither the UUCSJS nor the donor is responsible for any personal injuries or damage that may result from the use of the property or services.

#### **Tax Information**

This catalog lists the fair market value of each item. Any amount you pay in excess of the fair market value would normally be available to you as a charitable contribution for tax purposes. Please check with your tax advisor for specifics.



# Stephen C. Fiedler 609-464-0413 Fax: 609-652-0227 scfiedler@gmail.com



#### LIVE AUCTION

#### 100

#### An Evening of Sizzling Jazz!

Two people will enjoy an evening of dinner and jazz either in Somers Point at Sandi Pointe Coastal Bistro or Smithville at the Smithville Inn with Jim Bonar, jazz aficionado. Date to be arranged with winner.

Estimated Value: \$120 Starting Bid: \$50. Donated by: Jim Bonar and Debbi Dagavarian

#### 101

#### Framed Oil Painting by Bob Baum

Bob's artwork, inspired by the Jersey shore, has been displayed in galleries and museums along the east coast, including the Noyes Museum. See his newest creation at the Live auction table on auction night. Value: \$300

Starting Bid: \$150 Donated by:Bob Baum

#### 102

#### Hamlet

Get your Shakespeare fix right across the street from our building at the Stockton Performing Arts Center with two tickets to a performance of *Hamlet* presented by the Philadelphia Shakespeare Theatre. March 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:30. Value: \$64

Starting Bid: \$25 Donated by: Pam Hendrick and the Stockton Performing Arts Center



#### 103 Chalice Afghan

Guaranteed to incite a bidding war involving the Jannsches, a chalice design afghan (in the style of the one seen above) was handknitted by our own Jessica Dunn. Estimated Value: Priceless!

Opening bid: \$50 Donated by: Jessica Dunn

#### 104 Irish Cable Cardigan

Each year we are pleased to offer some of Peg Gillies' handiwork. For this year's offering, Peg has knitted a natural wool tweed cableknit cardigan with a zipper enclosure for a man or woman. Estimated Value: \$150 Opening bid: \$65 Donated by: Peg Gillies

#### 105

#### Dulcimer

Make your own beautiful music with an exquisite wood dulcimer. Estimated Value: \$300 Opening bid: \$100 Donated by: Maryellen Riche

#### LIVE AUCTION

#### 106 Rent-a-Bud

One lucky winner will get to have Bud Smith paint a small to medium-sized room in your home. Small spackle repair included. You buy the paint, Bud will do the rest! Estimated Value: \$250 Opening bid: \$100 Donated by: Bud Smith

#### 109 Pottery by Marie

Marie Taylor offers us this beautiful, one of a kind piece of her own handcrafted pottery. Estimated Value: \$50 Opening Bid: \$20 Donated by: Marie Taylor

#### 107

#### **Chess and Checker Set**

Prim has been busy in her pottery studio this year! The highest bidder gets to take home this one-of-a-kind handmade pottery chess and checker set encased in a beautiful box inlaid with mother of pearl and walnut wood which becomes the checker board.

#### Offers: 1

Estimated Value: \$100 Opening bid: \$50 Donated by: Prim Reeves

#### 108

#### **Dinner with Dina**

Delicious dinner, delectable drinks, and decadent dessert with the delightful Dina DeSalvo. You pick out the restaurant, Dina picks up the tab. Time & location to be determined by auction winner, so make it someplace fancy! Not sure where to go? Dina will offer suggestions, and she doesn't mind traveling to your town. Act now! Time is running out! One size fits all! Free shipping! No expiration date! Makes a great gift! Perfect for starting rumors! Estimated Value: \$75 Opening bid: \$25 Donated by: Dina DeSalvo



110 Private Birding Excursion with the Searights

Spend a fun and educational morning or afternoon with two of our birding experts as John and Betsy lead you and your guests on a private birding excursion through the Forsythe Wildlife Refuge. Good binoculars will be loaned to you, and a scope will be set up for close-up viewing. A treat for families or you and your out-of-town guests. Date to be arranged with winner.

#### Estimated Value: \$100 Opening Bid: \$50 Donated by: John and Betsy Searight

#### LIVE AUCTION

#### 111 Handmade Jewelry Box

Jack Miller's workshop is now being used strictly for piano repair, which means this will be one of the last opportunities for you to own one of his beautifully constructed jewelry boxes – this year's offering is dark poplar.

Estimated Value: \$300 Opening bid: \$125 Donated by: Jack Miller



#### 112 Artisan Bread of the Month

Using the famous New York Times recipe, Barbara Miller will provide a different artisan bread each month for 10 months, beginning in January 2014. Selections will include: European Peasant Bread, Olive Bread with Tuscan White Bean Dip, Pumpernickel Date and Walnut Bread, Light Whole Wheat Bread, Oatmeal Bread, Raisin–Walnut Oatmeal Bread, Oatmeal Pumpkin Bread, Roasted Garlic Potato Bread, Spinach Feta Bread and Sun–Dried Tomato and Parmesan Bread. Estimated Value: **\$100** 

Opening bid: \$50 Donated by: Barbara Miller



113 An Afternoon at the Barnes



Jim and Helene Gentile will accompany you and a guest as you discover the legendary collection of the Barnes Foundation, one of the world's finest holdings of impressionist, post-impressionist, and early modern paintings, African sculpture, metalwork, and more. After your visit, the Gentiles will treat you to lunch at a nearby Philadelphia restaurant.

Estimated Value: \$100 Opening bid: \$50 Donated by: Jim and Helene Gentile

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#### 200 Earth First Gift Certificate

Use this gift certificate to build a sustainable garden with native plants from the Earth First Plant Nursery. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$25 Opening bid: \$15 Donated by: Raven Ahmed



201 - Larger Mexican Rug

#### 201-202 Authentic Mexican Rugs

Choose from two Mexican rugs woven with colorful totem designs, brought back from Mexico by the Brails.

Offers: One Large Estimated Value: \$60 Opening bid: \$20 Offers: One small Estimated Value: \$20 Opening bid: \$5 Donated by: Richard and Nancy Brail



202 - Smaller Mexican Rug/Wall Hanging

#### 203 Candle Set

Add ambiance to your next holiday party with this two-piece red glass candle holder set. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$20 Opening bid: \$8 Donated by: Prim Reeves

#### 204

#### "Wonder Plant Hangers"

Just the thing you need to for hanging plants indoors or outside on a fence post, deck railing or even on a brick wall. Offers: 1 set Estimated Value: \$30 Opening bid: \$8 Donated by: Prim Reeves Offers: 1

#### 205 Children's RE Basket Healthy Snacks

Try a variety of healthy snacks from Naturebox.com. Snacks are free from preservatives, corn syrup and trans fats. Yum! *Caution – contains nuts!* Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$10 Donated by: CRE Committee

#### 206 Pot Rack

Get your kitchen in order with an oval, stainless steel hanging pot rack. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$150 Opening bid: \$50 Donated by: Bud Smith Offers: 1

#### 207

Table for Four at Glick's

Take three friends and enjoy a meal for four people at Glick's Corner Café located in Burleigh, NJ (near Cape May). Offers: 1 Gift Certificate Estimated Value: \$40 Opening bid: \$20 Donated by: Deb Glick

#### 208

#### Penny Harter Book Collection

Penny, one of our finest resident writers, is offering a collection of her own works. Books include *The Beastie Book; Lizard Light; Turtle Blessing;* and *The Night Marsh.* 

Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$20 Donated by: Penny Harter



#### 209, 210, 211 Earrings, earrings, earrings!

Choose from three – a handcrafted, feminine and flirty glass and sterling silver pair, a lovely and delicate Thai sterling silver and glass pair or Pewter dolphin earrings signed 1989 DP Ltd.

Offers: 1 each style Estimated Value: \$15 Opening bid: \$8 Donated by: Peg Gillies



#### Magazine Rack

Add a decorative touch to any room with this Frank Lloyd Wright style magazine rack.

Estimated Value: \$100 Opening bid: \$25 Donated by: Ronda and Michael Cluff

#### 213 Walnut Table

Kathryn is offering a versatile table that can be used over a bed or as a computer table. Brand new and still in the box. Offers: 1 Value: \$100 Opening Bid: \$50 Donated by: Kathryn Kelley

#### 214

#### Wine Opener

This stylish standing wine opener will be ready on the counter when you need it. Offers: 1 Value: \$25 Opening Bid: \$5 Donated by: Marie Taylor

#### 215 ExerSaucer

ExerSaucers are designed to offer your child entertainment and exercise through a variety of rocking, bouncing and spinning features.

Offers: 1 Value: \$40 Opening Bid: \$10 Donated by: Marsha Hannah

#### 218 Worship Committee Basket

Books on meditation and prayer, bumper stickers and other treats to please the soul are included in this gift basket, compliments of our Worship committee. Offers: 1 Value: \$100 Opening bid: \$50 Donated by: Worship Committee

#### 216 Membership Committee Gift Basket

As our membership is a diverse group, so is the Membership basket. It contains many things to feed the soul, and the body. As members have a relationship based on trust, you can trust us when we say that our basket is worth far more than our starting price. **Offers: 1** 

Value: \$100 Opening Bid: \$50 Donated by: Membership Committee

#### 219

#### Wine and Cheese Gift Basket

Any night can be a celebration with this gourmet basket featuring DiBruno Bros. cheeses, Italian wines, and other specialty items to delight the palate.

Offers: 1 Value: \$100 Opening Bid: \$35 Donated by: Judy Pereira

#### 217

#### Folette Set

Entertain and impress with this Folette ceramic art set by an artist from Woodstock, NY. Set includes an oval platter with scalloped edge, a round platter with a 13" diameter, and a 9" tall vase. Offers: 1 set

Value: \$45 Opening Bid: \$10 Donated by: Joan Letizia

#### 220 FUUN for your Life!

Our FUUN committee has assembled this basket of goodies that is sure to make any day fun! Offers: 1 Value: \$30 Opening bid: \$15 Donated by: FUUN Committee



#### 221 Adult RE Gift Basket

Learning never ends with this array of Adult RE goodies, each representing one of our Adult programs. "Behind the Kitchen Door" - the UUA book for the Common Read, wind chimes, a pottery jigger & a small bottle of "hooch" for "Spirit in Practice," a journal and a copy of To Our Children's Children representing "Journaling," a pair of cotton socks for "Tai Chi," a 2014 Calendar of Tractors for "Harvest the Power," a chalice for "Small Group Ministry" and the International Cookbook "Taste of the World" for "Building a Multicultural World."

#### Offers: 1

Value: \$125 Opening Bid: \$40 Donated by: Adult RE Committee

#### 222 Book Lover's Group Gift Basket

Everything you need to cozy up with a good book! The Book lover's group has provided the books (some audio versions and some good old paper copies) and a variety of treats to enhance your reading enjoyment.

#### Offers: 1 Value: \$75 Opening Bid: \$35 Donated by: UUCSJS Book Lover's Group

#### 223

#### Social Justice Gift Basket

Support our Social Justice initiatives when you use the environmentally and socially responsible items in this gift basket, brought to you by the UUCSJS Social Justice Committee. Offers: 1 Value: \$50 Opening Bid: \$25 Donated by: The UUCSJS Social Justice Committee



May our auction proceeds be through the roof! - TJ and Heidi



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# Guess who this is for...

# Guess what the message is...

Compliments of Mr D – making all the guys look bad by proclaiming his love for C- each year in our auction catalog!

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#### SILENT AUCTION -- "FIXED PRICE" ITEMS

#### 300A-E Note Cards

Visit the fixed price table and be one of five winners to get a set of Bob Baum's note cards, each one with a print of one of his original paintings on the front.

Offers: 5 Value: \$25 each set Fixed Price: \$20 each set Donated by: Bob Baum

#### 303 A-E Helen's Pumpkin Cheesecakes

Helen will prepare her famous pumpkin cheesecakes for five lucky winners to enjoy. (Please allow two weeks' notice for Helen during holiday time.) Offers: 5 Value: \$25 Fixed Price: \$25 Donated by: Helen Utts

#### 301 A-J

#### **Shell Magnets**

Remember your summer down the shore all year with one of ten shell collage magnets. Offers: 10 Value: \$3 Fixed Price: \$3 each Donated by: Peg Felix



#### 302A-H The Frogs (RE-) Imagined Tickets

Aristophanes' classic comedy gets a fresh treatment in this updated version, and Stockton Theatre proudly presents its world premiere. This boisterously hilarious yet poignant rock musical follows the adventures and misadventures of a rock star and his roadie as they journey to the Underworld. Their mission: to bring back a departed pop music legend who, by returning to the world of the living, will help save humankind from destruction.

April 9 – 13, 2014, in the Stockton PAC. Offers: 8 Value: \$10 Fixed Price: \$10 each Donated by: Pam Hendrick and the Stockton Theatre Program

304 A-C Vegan-licious Pesto

Don't miss your chance to get one of these 1/2 cup containers of Melissa's famous vegan pesto! Made with homegrown garlic and basil. Get 'em while they last!

Offers: 3 Value: \$8 each Fixed Price: \$8 each Donated by: Melissa Hutchison



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As the birthplace of Universalism in America, Murray Grove has special importance for Unitarian Universalists, and it holds special meaning for UUCSJS as the location of our annual family retreat.

#### Join us at Murray Grove for this year's retreat June 13-15, 2013.

Compliments of Karen York

#### SILENT AUCTION – Handmade/Homemade Items

#### 400 Necklace and Earring Set

Ready for an evening of romance? Or maybe you just want to dress up that plain neutral top with feminine jewelry? Either way, this rose pearl and silver-plated necklace and earring set will fit the bill! Necklace is 34" long.

Handcrafted by Debbi. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$20 Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian



#### 401 Ladies Knit Pullover

Peg Gillies' knitting expertise shines on with a yellow acrylic hand-knit sleeveless cable pullover. Offers: 1

Estimated Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$25 Donated by: Peg Gillies

#### 403 Delicate Bracelet

A handcrafted, feminine bracelet with magnetic clasp. Rectangular, flat pearls with Aurora Borealis finish connected by gold-plated wire. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$30 Opening bid: \$10 Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian



#### 404

#### **Prim's Pottery**

Don't miss your chance to own this unique hand-thrown pottery plate with a butterfly motif.

Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$10 Donated by: Prim Reeves

#### 405

Crystal Star Earrings Handmade Swarovski crystal star earrings on silver plated leverback earwires. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$18 Opening bid: \$5 Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian



#### 406 Gold and Crystal Earrings

Handcrafted crystal station earrings with gold-plated findings. Offers: 1 pair Estimated Value: \$25 Opening bid: \$10 Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian



#### 402 Handmade Jewelry Set



The talented Olivia Smith would love for you to win her handcrafted natural white agate and blue Swarovski crystal necklace and earrings set. **Offers: 1** 

Estimated Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$15 Donated by: Olivia Smith

#### **SILENT AUCTION – Handmade/Homemade Items**

#### **407**

#### Bookends

The perfect gift for your favorite bookworm: Prim has created a set of book ends with a whimsical bookworm going through them. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$30 Opening bid: \$15 Donated by: Prim Reeves



#### 408-411 Earrings

Four pairs of handmade earrings to choose from, courtesy of Olivia Smith! 408 - Blue Crystal and Bird 409 - Silver bird with Turquoise Glass Rectangle 410 - Handmade Red Indian Glass Spiral 411 - Copper Butterfly and Green Crystal Offers: 1 of each design Estimated Value: \$15 Opening bid: \$8 Donated by: Olivia Smith



Bead for Life Bracelet Handcrafted Bead for Life magnetic bracelet with small peace symbol. You can feel good supporting Beads for Life: the beads are made by Ugandan women to earn a fair wage. Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$8 Opening bid: \$3 Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian

#### 413

#### Wall Basket

An easy way to add a touch of country here at the Jersey shore! This hand woven wall basket with a lighthouse shaped hanger and stenciled lighthouse scene on the front can serve as a great catch-all near your desk or a designated spot for collecting mail.

Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$40 Opening bid: \$10 Donated by: Heidi Jannsch

#### 414-416 Marie's Pottery

Marie is offering four one-of-a-kind pottery pieces to this year's auction. Three will be on display at the handmade table, and check out the live auction for the fourth. **Offers: 3** 

Estimated Value: Varies with each piece Opening bid: Varies with each piece Donated by: Marie Taylor

#### **SILENT AUCTION – Handmade/Homemade Items**

#### 417-418, 419-420 Like Stew?... Pick from Two!

High bidders will each get to take home a quart of Prim's homemade stew. This year there are two flavors to choose from; Homemade African Chicken Peanut Stew or Vegetarian African Peanut Stew. Offers: 2 of each stew Estimated Value: \$15 Opening bid: \$8 Donated by: Prim Reeves

#### 425 Ricotta Cheese Pie

Meredith Massey bakes a simple yet sweet 9x13 inch crustless ricotta cheese pie. Taste a sample on auction night, and then bid to win your own. Meredith will make one fresh for you with one week's notice.

Offers: 1 Estimated Value: \$20 Opening bid: \$12 Donated by: Meredith Massey



#### 421-422, 423-424 Homemade Bread

What's better than homemade bread? Take your pick from two loaves of yummy homemade oatmeal bread and two loaves of homemade rye bread (also yummy, no doubt!)

#### Offers: 2 of each variety Estimated Value: \$8 Opening bid: \$5 Donated by: Prim Reeves

#### 426-427 Sur-pies!

Joan has baked two pies for us - come to the homemade table the night of the auction to find out what kind they will be.

Offers: 2 Estimated Value: \$15 Opening bid: \$8 Donated by: Joan Letizia



Níck and Debbí are happy to be part of this wonderful community!

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# **Team Hutchison**



# **Going GREEN!**

#### SILENT AUCTION – "Services"

#### 500A-G Psychic Reading

Got questions? Alison Maxfield will provide a psychic reading for you utilizing tarot cards, angel cards and numerology. Offers: 7 Estimated Value: \$35 Opening bid: \$10 Donated by: Alison Maxfield

501A-C

Therapeutic Massage Session

Three lucky winners will be in good hands

as you relax and enjoy a one hour massage.

Ellie will provide any combination of

Swedish, Shiatsu, Deep Tissue, Sports,

Reiki, or Therapeutic Touch at her place in

Hammonton. Date and time to be arranged

by winner.

Estimated Value: \$75 Opening bid: \$40

Donated by: Ellie Gibson

Offers: 3



#### 503 Pick a Sermon Title

Imagine a sermon inspired by you. Imagine a Sunday morning chalice table decorated in a way that somehow relates to your topic. Imagine the fame! Imagine the notoriety! Imagine the inspiration! Be the highest bidder and Reverend Charlie will preach a sermon on a title proposed by you. Offers: 1 Value: \$100

Opening bid: \$20 Donated by: Rev. Charlie Dieterich

#### 504A-B

#### **Pool Party**

Beat the heat this summer! Bring the family or a couple of friends (3-4 people) and Karen York will get you into Moss Mill Hollow Community pool. Dates and times to be arranged with Karen.

Offers: 2 Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$20 Donated by: Karen York

#### 505

#### **Dental Check-Up and Cleaning**

Dental check-up and cleaning, plus two bitewing x-rays. Appointment to be made by recipient with Dr. Cardwell. Offers: 1 Value: \$185 Opening Bid: \$35 Donated by: Dr. Rob Cardwell, DDS



#### 502A-D Santa's Presence – Your Presents

Surprise the kids (or kids-at-heart) with a visit they will never forget as Doug, in full Claus regalia, provides delivery of your gifts to the home of your choice on Christmas Eve between 6 and 10pm.

Offers: 4 Value: Priceless! Set Price: \$25 Donated by: Doug Dickinson

#### SILENT AUCTION – "Services"

#### 506

#### In-Home Massage

JenMisha has studied therapeutic massage in the US and Beijing and offers a combination of Swedish, TuiNa, Accupressure, Reiki and more! She'll even come right to your home for your rejuvenating one hour session. Offers: 1 Value: \$70 each

Opening bid: \$20 each Donated by: JenMisha Veach



#### 509A-B Airport Transport

#### 507A-C

#### Home Decorating Advice

Looking to get your home in better shape this winter? Tracy will provide a personal consultation and help you decide on what paint colors, organizational tools and furniture will make your space the best it can be! Offers: 3 Value: \$50 Opening bid: \$30 Donated by: Tracy Staab

#### 508

#### **Buddhism Presentation**

Alan Oliver, leader of our Buddhist Sangha group, will lead a Buddhism presentation (1-3 hours) for you and your guests. This is a basic Buddhism presentation to any group of any size. Includes questions and answers for the group.

Offers: 1 Value: \$100 Minimum bid: \$20 Donated by: Alan Oliver Flying out of Philadelphia International Airport for your next vacation? Helen and Marsha will get you there and back again as they provide round trip transportation for up to three adults (or two adults and two small children). Offers: 2 Value: \$150 each Opening bid: \$75 each Donated by: Marsha Hannah and Helen Utts

#### 510

#### **Getting It Below the Waist**

Detailing specialist, Colby Tippins, will expertly clean your floor and everything else up three to four feet high. All equipment and supplies provided. Just give her your dirt, dust and cobwebs! Two hours on her knees for your satisfaction, guaranteed! How good will THAT feel ??????

Offers: 1 Value: \$70 Opening bid: \$45 Donated by: Colby Tippins

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#### 600A-P

#### **Cheese Tasting Extravaganza**

Indulge your taste buds in yummy cheeses that you won't find at your local Shop-Rite. Crackers, wine, and a mix of cuisines will make this experience a filling meal!

Offers: 16

Date: Saturday, April 12, 2014 at 6pm Place: Debbi, Jim, and Nick's home in Little Egg Harbor Price: \$30 per person

Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian and Jim Bonar

#### 601A-F Murder Mystery – A Taste for Wine...and Murder!\*

The annual wine-tasting festival is in full swing when the body of local vineyard owner, Barry Underwood, is found hidden beneath his wine cellar. Barry has been missing for five long years, but with the discovery of his body comes a wealth of new clues to solve the puzzle/mystery. It's a vintage murder and you may be a suspect! *Over 21 only!* \**This is the same mystery being offered on January 18 and June 7.* 

Offers: 6 spaces available Date: Friday, February 7, 2014 Place: The UU Center Price: \$25 each

Donated by: Heidi & TJ Jannsch

#### 602A-I

#### **Pantomine Pizza Party**

Charades, pizza and fellowship, it doesn't get any better, does it? Reverend Charlie hosts a party for nine guests who are willing to act out. Best for adults and older teens. 7-11pm at Charlie's home in Smithville.

#### Offers: 9

Date: Friday, January 3, 2014 Place: Rev. Charlie's home in Smithville Price: \$15 per person Donated by: Rev. Charlie Dieterich



#### 603A-J Learn to Belly Dance

Reconnect with your body and femininity regardless of age, shape, ability, or physical condition. A proven mind-body workout, this dance form improves joint flexibility, posture, memory, stamina, and coordination. It induces a meditative effect, tones every major muscle group, and promote selfconfidence and a positive body image. No experience necessary.

Offers: 10

Date: Saturday, February 1, 2014 Place The UU Center Price: \$20 each Donated by: Ellie Gibson

#### 604A-L BUNCO Party

Join the Felixes for a fun evening of the raucous dice game BUNCO – Bill and Peg promise the game is simple and they will teach you how to begin before the serious betting begins! Drinks, hors d'oeuvres, and dessert will be provided. Bring \$10 along to participate in cash prizes.

Offers: 12 Date: Friday, April 25, 2014 Place: Bill and Peg's home on LBI Price: \$25 each Donated by: Bill & Peg Felix

#### 605A-H Vegan A-Go-Go!

Learn to roll your own vegan sushi as you enjoy a delicious all-vegan Asian dinner at the Hutchison's home in Northfield.

Offers: 8

Date: Saturday, January 4, 2014 Place: The Hutchison's home Price: \$25 per person Donated by: Ron & Melissa Hutchison



606A-F Dinner and a Show

Enjoy a Holiday Dinner at the Brail's home and then attend a performance of Irving Berlin's White Christmas at the Surflight Theatre. Happy Holidays!

#### Offers: 6

Date: Friday, December 6, 2013 Place: Brail's Home, Beach Haven Park Price: \$40 per person Donated by: Nancy and Richard Brail

#### 607 A-E Jewelry Workshop

Debbi will teach five people how to make simple, constructed jewelry using wire findings and glass or gemstone beads. All materials and tools will be provided. You'll have access to Debbi's treasure trove of beads and findings, a feast for the eyes!

#### Offers: 5

Date: Saturday, January 25, 2014, 1pm Place: Debbi's home in Little Egg Harbor Price: \$30 per person Donated by: Debbi Dagavarian

#### 608A-L Armchair Travelogue and Dinner

Some of our members have traveled to wonderful places this year. They will share a portion of their photos with you, and invite you to share photos from your journeys. Of course you may come as a spectator. Our dinner will ambitiously include foods from the various places that will be represented. Guests with photos will bring them on a CD or flash drive, and we will have a computer that projects them. Each presenter will have a time limit, so the evening will end with all being awake, cheerful, and happy to have experienced life through others' lenses. **Offers: 12** 

Date: Friday, March 21, 2014, at 7:00 Place UU Center, downstairs lounge Price: \$30 per person Donated by: The Brails, Felixes, and Searights



#### 609A-F Celtic Music Dinner

The Wexlers will entertain you with the tastes and sounds of Ireland as you enjoy stuffed Irish potatoes, corned beef and cabbage, and of course, Guinness and Harp to wash it all down!

Offers: 6 Date: March 8, 2014 Place: The Wexler's home in Mays Landing Price: \$25 each Donated by: Art and Angela Wexler

#### 610A-E Brisket Dinner

Maxine promises this homemade dinner of Jewish brisket, kashi-veg-kugel, honeycake and wine will be prepared with Jewish love and include plenty of jokes and good conversation!

#### Offers: 5

Date: Friday, May 16, 2014 Place: Maxine's home Price: \$35 per person Donated by: Maxine Blumenthal



#### 611A-Y Wine Tasting at the Utts'

Back by popular demand! Join Paul and Helen at their home in Northfield to sample a variety of wines. *Over 21 only*!

Offers: 25 spaces available. Date: Saturday, February 8, 2014 Place: Utts' home in Northfield Price: \$30 each Donated by: Paul & Helen Utts

#### 612A-P A Taste for Tea – and Murder!\*

Join Marsha and Helene for a Ladies' murder mystery tea where things are not always what they seem! Could one of the fine lady guests be a murderer? Come and find out! \*This is the same mystery being offered on February 7 and June 7 but with tea instead of wine as the main ingredient. Offers: 16 (8 to play, 8 to enjoy the show) Date: Saturday, January 18, 2014 at noon Place: UU Center Lounge Price: \$15 per person Donated by: Marsha Hannah & Helene Gentile

#### 613A-H Make your Own Pizza Dinner

The Millers provide the dough and the toppings, and you assemble the pizza. The group gets to sample each creation and enjoy the results with Jack's homemade wine! After a delicious homemade dessert, enjoy a fun and challenging game. Offers: 8 Date: Friday, January 10, 2013 Place: Miller's Home in Petersburg Price: \$30 each Donated by: Barbara & Jack Miller

#### 614A-H Taste of Thai Dinner

Come try the exotic flavors of Thai, including rice paper roll appetizers, Tom Kah Kai soup, and green curry. Enjoy some wine, too!

Offers: 8 Date: Saturday, June 28th, 2014 6 pm Place: Cardwell Home in Ocean City Price: \$25 per person Donated by: Rob and Katy Cardwell



#### 615A-H "Body Natural" Workshop

Join Herbalist Tracy Longshore as she demonstrates how to make several chemicalfree, all-natural products to soothe, heal and pamper you and your body. Participants will create these products along with Tracy, and will leave the workshop with everything they have created. This workshop will be fun and casual, and promises to be a good time!

Offers: 8 Date: Saturday, April 26, 2014 Place: UU Center Price: \$30 per person Donated by: Tracy Longshore

#### 616A-F Memoir Workshop

You <u>can</u> write the story of your life! Tracy Staab will utilize her twenty years of English teacher expertise and show you how at this two-hour memoir writing workshop.

Offers: 6 Date: March 1, 2014, 1pm Place: UU Center Price: \$25 per person Donated by: Tracy Staab

#### 617A-H Murder Mystery – A Taste for Wine...and Murder!\*

Helene and Marsha invite you to an evening of wine and cheese and MURDER! Dress for your assigned part and find out who among you is the murderer! *\*This is the same mystery being offered on January 18 and February 7.* 

Offers: 8 spaces available Date: Saturday, June 7, 2014 Place: The UU Center Lounge Price: \$25 each Donated by: Marsha Hannah and Helene Gentile



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