

# Memories

of Vacations Past

&



# Dreams

of Vacations Ahead

## 2025 Auction

at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Hagerstown

# ***UUCH 2025 Memories & Dreams Auction***

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*Photos and more details about all auction items at [www.auctria.events/UUCH2025auction](http://www.auctria.events/UUCH2025auction)*

**The online auction runs from 9 a.m. May 19 to 9 p.m. May 28.**

**To bid in the online auction, you must purchase a "ticket" for \$25 from treasurer Bill Pfoutz. (Questions? [bill.pfoutz@centurylink.net](mailto:bill.pfoutz@centurylink.net))**

***If you already purchased your auction "ticket", you are ready to bid.***

## **Your ticket also admits you to the Live Auction**

**Saturday, May 31 in the sanctuary. Doors Open at 5:30.**

**5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. ....Hors d'oeuvres & cold drinks (all included with admission)**

**5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m. ....Chatting & perusing the live auction items**

**7:00 p.m. ....Live Auction begins with auctioneer Ron Rose**

**9:00 p.m. (or whenever auction ends).....Dessert, coffee, tea, and prizes**

**9:20 p.m. (or when invoices are ready) .....Check-Out\* for both online & live auction purchases.**

**\* cash, checks, credit cards or PayPal. Invoices will be mailed to those not at live auction.**

**If you can, please stay after the check-out to help reset the room for Sunday.**

**Vacation-themed costumes optional but encouraged.**

**Prizes for best costumes.**

**Cash door Prizes.**

## **NO Zoom Option for Live Auction Bidding**

If you can't attend the live auction, find someone who will be at the auction and willing to bid on items for you. Be sure to tell Bill Pfoutz who your surrogate bidder is so he can supply them with your bidder number. You still need to purchase a "ticket" to bid this way.

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## *Live Auction Items* (Photos and more details on auction website)

- 101 Bow-Shaped Pin.** Vintage blue enamel pin in the shape of a bow, circa 1970. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe
- 102 Christmas Ornament Decorating.** A family-friendly activity for our younger UUs. Snacks provided. Saturday, December 13 from 1 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. at UUCH. Donated by Bill Pike
- 103 Lawn Darts & Bocce Darts set.** Two-in-one lawn game from Eastpoint Sports. Only used once at a UUCH lawn party. In original box. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 104 Adidas NHL Winter Classic Sweater.** Seattle Kraken sweater, size large (52), new, never worn. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe
- 105 Music by Pam Lego.** Winning bidder will choose ONE of the following: one hour of special music by musician Pam for your event OR four half-hour piano lessons from experienced piano teacher Pam. Date and time to be scheduled between Pam & the bid winner. Donated by Pam Lego
- 106 Rainy Day Diversions.** Activities for a young visitor or your own restless child. Contains a Winnie the Pooh book with stick puppets and a pop-up theater for each story, a Slinky toy, four small jigsaw puzzles, and many art supplies. Donated by Bill and Yvonne Pfoutz
- 107 A Trio of Puzzles for the Jigsaw Enthusiast.** Christmas Ornaments (1000 pieces). Nature Stamps from the Wildlife Federation (1000 pieces). Hot Air Balloons (2000 pieces). Donated by Bill Pike
- 108 S'Mores Gift Basket.** Includes five wood-handled metal toasting forks that telescope to a safe 32" distance from the fire; traditional and gluten-free graham crackers; both traditional and vegan marshmallows; three dark and four milk chocolate bars. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 109 Music for a Special Occasion.** Performance by Marlin Barnes on the marimba and Jane Peatling on cello for up to one hour in the local area. Winning bidder will work with Jane and Marlin on time and place. Donated by Jane Peatling and Marlin Barnes
- 110 Six Children's Books.** New and gently used books: *Even That Moose Won't Listen to Me* by Martha Alexander; *Awake and Dreaming* by Harve & Margot Zemach; *Family Farm* by Thomas Locker; *The Book of Rhymes* by Langston Hughes; *Sam, Bangs and Moonshine* by Evaline Ness; and *Rabbit Makes a Monkey of Lion* by Verna Aardema. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe
- 111 An Afternoon of Watercolor.** Watercolor painting for all skill levels. Paints, brushes and paper provided. Linda will demonstrate and you can follow along to paint the same picture or create your own masterpiece in community. In the sanctuary on Saturday, Oct. 11, 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. Donated by Linda Taggart
- 112 Vintage Bracelet and Earrings.** Red, hinged cuff bracelet and matching earrings for pierced ears. Vintage circa 1965. Good condition with slight wear at the hinge. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe

**113 Date Night at B-Street.** Join Sunny and Jerry Harness for an evening of dining and conversation at the B-Street 104 restaurant in Greencastle, their favorite supper spot. Choose among the chef's delicious creations, libations and desserts while we enjoy the company of our UU friends in the privacy of our own dining room. Parking across the street. Thursday, September 25 at 7 p.m. Donated by Sunny & Jerry Harness

**114 Handmade Baby Blanket.** Crocheted baby blanket hand-made by a friend. New. 34"x30". Donated by Dodie Ruskie

**115 Outlander Starter Kit.** The first three books in the Diana Galbadon's nine-volume *Outlander* series, a compelling mix of historical fiction, adventure, and passionate romance, with a light sprinkle of time travel. Also includes a life size photo of Jamie Fraser (as portrayed by Sam Heughan in the long-running Showtime series) and a game, *Outlander Destiny Dice* (2-4 players, age 14+). Donated by Lorraine O'Neill

**116 Great Books for Boys.** Fiction books with middle school age boys as the main characters. All Newbery Medal or Honor Book winners. *The Cross of Lead*; *Elijah of Buxton*; *Dead End in Norvelt*; *The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg*; *The Wednesday Wars* and *Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy*. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz

**117 Seneca Beadwork.** Vintage jewelry pieces handcrafted by Seneca beadworkers from western New York State, circa 1975: bright multicolor necklace, round blue and white hair clip, and dark red and white pinchback pin. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe

**118. A Trio of Games.** *Wordle with Friends* (ages 14+, 2-4 players) new; *Trivial Pursuit* classic edition (ages 16+, 2-6 players) new; *Jenga* classic wood edition (ages 6+, 1+ players) nearly new. Donated by Bill and Yvonne Pfoutz

**119 Civil War Tour to Gettysburg** for some of the lesser known spots on the battlefield while also relating events at Gettysburg with other actions around the country. As always, the tour will adjust to the interests of the winner bidders. Marlin's mini-van will leave the UUCH parking lot at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 24 and return about noon. Dress for the weather. Brings snacks as you desire. Donated by Marlin Barnes

**120 Cuddledown Pillow.** New, never used. Standard size. In protective storage handle-case with care instructions. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe

**121 Name That Tune & Music Trivia Contest.** Categories may include TV Series Theme Songs, Movie Theme Songs, Musicals, Great American Songbook, and Commercial Jingles. Earn points by naming a tune or answering music trivia questions. Highest scorer gets a prize. Sing along session afterwards. Desserts and hot drinks provided. Friday, Oct. 17, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. at UUCH. Donated by Deb & Curtis Russell

**122 Mini Exercise Bike.** Portable foot cycle allows you to exercise while seated at a desk or in an arm chair. Adjustable pedal resistance. Donated by Barbara Pengelly

**123 Money Match.** Donna Catling will match donations totaling up to \$500. Chip in and help boost our auction profits! Donated by Donna Catling

**124 Bernadette's Biscotti.** Two dozen homemade biscotti homemade by Bernadette plus a bag of coffee and two mugs. Donated by Bernadette Wagner

- 125 Movie Night.** A compelling film for adults and mature teens. Title to be announced closer to show time when we're sure it's available. (If not, an equally appealing alternative will be screened). Light snacks and drinks provided. Friday, Nov.14, 6 - 9 p.m. in the sanctuary. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 126 Tasty Treats Basket.** A stylish basket with truffles, non-pareils and a flower-shaped sucker plus a special cup to whet your appetite for more handmade treats from Brooke's House Coffee and Chocolate. Plus a \$30 gift card to encourage you to try their beverages, breakfast and lunch sandwiches, soups, muffins, scones, coffee cakes and many more tasty treats. Donated by Dodie Ruskie
- 127 Vintage Phoenix Rising Porcelain.** Incomplete group of 31 pieces of porcelain in the Phoenix Rising pattern. Includes sugar bowl with lid, creamer, 4 teacups, 6 saucers, 2 large soup bowls, 1 medium soup bowl, 2 dessert/small soup bowls, 1 luncheon plate, 8 small dessert plates, 5 large dessert plates. A good start for a new collector or additions for fans of this pattern. Made in Japan. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe
- 128 Tarot Card Reading from Irene Glasse.** Hour-long reading via Zoom or phone. A Tarot reading offers a way to gain insight and perspective through the use of divination. More information at [GlasseWitchCottage.com](http://GlasseWitchCottage.com). Donated by Irene Glasse
- 129 Breakfast at Christine's.** Sunny & Jerry Harness invite you to breakfast at their favorite spot for a special morning treat. Traditional breakfast options plus a wide choice of eggs Benedict, French toast, wraps, crepes, pastries, and gourmet coffees. Many vegetarian options. Wednesday, April 22, 2026, 9:30 a.m. at Christine's Cafe in Waynesboro. Donated by Sunny & Jerry Harness.
- 130 Bose Wave CD Player/Radio** with a case of 18 CDs (Christmas, classical, popular oldies). Used but in good condition. Donated by Barbara Pengelly.
- 131 You Pick the Sermon.** The winning bidder will work with Rev. Britner to develop a sermon to be given during the 2025-2026 church year. Paul will take the winner and a guest to lunch or dinner to discuss possible topics, resources, readings, etc. The winner will also get an advance copy of the sermon and can share a brief response. Donated by Rev. Paul Britner.
- 132 Find Your Smile Again.** Three books: *The Joy Diet* by Martha Beck on the ten daily practices of happiness; *The Fun Habit* by Mike Rucker describing how the pursuit of joy and wonder can change your life; and then a scientific approach, *The How of Happiness* by Sonja Lyubomirsky. Gently used (but not nibbled.) Donated by Squeaky, the joyful Church Mouse.
- 133 Potters Bowl Lunch.** Get the whole experience of a Potters Bowl-style meal with salad, bread, soups, and dessert in pottery bowls. A minimum of three vegetarian and three non-vegetarian soups will be served. Saturday, September 13, 12:30 p.m. on the porch of Bill Pike's home near Hagerstown. Donated by Bill Pike
- 134 Fire and Steel.** Over 400 different recipes for grilling in the illustrated book, *Fire It Up* by Andrew Schloss and David Joachim and four Oster steak knives to cut all those delicious foods. Knives are still in original package. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 135 Learn to Play American Mah Jongg.** Four lessons, once a week for 90 minutes, from an experienced Mah Jongg teacher and player. Includes an instruction book and simple refreshments. Not an easy game to learn but worth the effort because Mah Jongg is so much fun. Suggested for people with some experience with challenging games. At Barb's Homewood cottage in Williamsport. Time to be decided. Donated by Barbara Pengelly

**136 *Encyclopedia of Fairies: Hobgoblins, Brownies, Bogies and Other Supernatural Creatures*** by Katherine Briggs. Both an anthology of fairy tales and a scholarly reference. Soft cover in good condition. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe

**137 *Wake-Up Light*.** Elfland Sunrise digital clock wakes you up with gradually increasing brightness. It also has ring tones to assure you get up on time, a sunset snooze mode, and a night light. Brand new. Never opened. Donated by Barbara Pengelly

**138 *Fond Memories Basket*.** Oval basket(10"x6"x7.5") handmade by long time UUCH member, the late Diana Foley, with new and gently handled books that will remind you of her: three mysteries featuring a nurse sleuth, two mysteries with feline companions, and a non-fiction book about labyrinths. Donated by Donna Catling

**139 *Homemade Pound Cake*.** A pound cake homemade by Bill Pike. Available in a variety of flavors. Bill will work with the winning bidder on the delivery date. Donated by Bill Pike

**140 *Late Summer Landscape*.** Framed oil painting of farm buildings surrounded by pastures and woodlands. 38"x27". Signed but artist's name illegible. Donated by Lorraine O'Neill

**141 *Mind Support Kit*.** *BrainFit* by Corinne Gedman, ten minutes a day for a sharper mind and memory and *Meditation for Dummies* by Stephen Bodian with a book and CD with ten guided meditations (still in package). Donated by Squeaky, the mellow Church Mouse

**142 *Solid Brass Electric Christmas Candles*.** Ten 10" tall candles with cords. Six 7" tall cordless, battery-operated candles. (Batteries not included.) All candles in original boxes and never used but tested and working. Donated by Fanny Crawford and Jose Rosapepe

**143 *Blue and Gray Crocheted Shawl*.** A heavier weight of acrylic blend yarn. Handmade and donated by Meagan Faraone.

**144 *Purple Hued Crocheted Cape*.** A lighter weight of acrylic blend yarn. Handmade and donated by Meagan Faraone.

**145 *Cross Stitched Owl Teacher Needlepoint*.** Winning bidder will choose how it will be finished: in a hoop or shadow box, on a tote bag or pillow. Handmade by Meagan Faraone. Donated by Dodie Ruskie.

### *Calendar of live auction events on the last page*

## ***Online Auction Items*** (Photos and more details on auction website)

**200 *How to Read a Book*.** Classic guide to all types of books for the intelligent reader by Mortimer Adler and Charles Van Doren. Used. Donated by Squeaky, the literate Church Mouse

**201 *Pura Vida Coffee Shop \$20 Gift Certificate*.** (*first of two in auction*). American-Costa Rican-inspired cafe where everything—specialty coffees, baked goods, breakfast and lunch meals— is made on site. Menu at [puravidacoffee.co/menu](http://puravidacoffee.co/menu). Donated by Donna Catling

- 202 Three Pieces of Vintage Jewelry with Colored Stones.** Small blue stone pin in silver setting. Large rose and grey stone pendant (without chain). Medium size grey and pale blue stone pendant (without chain.) Donated by Fanny Crawford & Jose Rosapepe
- 203 *Feathers*,** a Newbery Honor book by Jacqueline Woodson. A thoughtful teen worries about her brother and wrestles with race, faith, and hope. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 204 Well-Being Cards,** each designed to accentuate your natural state of well-being. Donated by Deb Russell
- 205 Three new Candles.** Woodwick white Christmas scent; Martha Stewart lavender scent, and a tiny spiced apple scent. Donated by Squeaky, the Church Mouse
- 206 *Caring for Dogs*** by Andrew Morris. 76 page book with many color illustrations and information on choosing, training, feeding, grooming and traveling with your dog, plus a section on health and first aid. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 207 Two Pairs of Vintage Clip-On Earrings.** Rhinestone winged flower motif. Sparkly gold leaves. Donated by Fanny Crawford & Jose Rosapepe
- 208 Musical Notes Ice Cube Tray.** Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 209 Louise Penny Set.** *Still Life*, the first book in the Chief Inspector Gamache mystery series set in the province of Quebec; Tim Horton coffee and cup, and a bracelet, "What would Gamche Do?" Donated by Lorraine O'Neill
- 210 *Aunt Dimity Beats the Devil*,** the 6<sup>th</sup> book in Nancy Atherton's cozy and paranormal mystery series. A gently used paperback Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 211 Decorative Picture Frame.** Gold embossed frame, 14"x18" with metal embossed mat edge. Can hold both 11"x14" or 10"x13" photos. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 212 Vintage Heart Bracelet.** Mother of pearl heart with brass chain. Small. Could fit a child. Donated by Fanny Crawford & Jose Rosapepe
- 213 Painted and Framed Tile.** "To me, it appears to have been inspired by Van Gogh's *Starry Night*." 6"x6". Donated by Dodie Ruskie
- 214 Aroma Therapy Bath Kit.** Bath & Body Works lavender vanilla body wash and lotion plus lavender bath salts in a colorful floral bag. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 215 Metal Desk Lamp.** Black with flexible neck. 14"x5"x6". Takes 60 watt bulb. Like new. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 216 *Women and Other Monster: Building a New Mythology*** by Jess Zimmerman. An NPR Book We Love 2021 selection. New. Donated by Squeaky, the liberated Church Mouse
- 217 Christmas Ceramic Box** shaped like a holiday present. Slight wear on the lid. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz

- 218 Cafe Del Sol Restaurant \$00 Gift Certificate.** *(first of two in auction)* Multiple locations: Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Greencastle, Chambersburg, Martinsburg, and Winchester. Visit [delsolcafes.com](http://delsolcafes.com) for addresses and menu. Donated by Donna Catling
- 219 Big Bundle of Dishcloths.** *(first of two in auction)* Baker's dozen (13) of hand-knitted dishcloths in an eclectic mix of colors. Each approx. 5"x5". 100% cotton. Save for you own use or pass along as stocking-stuffers. Donated by Jane Peatling
- 220 Three Bead Necklaces.** Red and gold bead. Multi-hued three strand. Purple and gold bead. (Second & third may be semi-precious stones.) Donated by Fanny Crawford & Jose Rosapepe
- 221 Two Bird Song CDs.** Learn to recognize the birds you hear. Donated by Deb Russell
- 222 Two Hand-Made Zipper Pulls.** Jazz up your purse, jacket, or overnight bag. Easy to attach or remove. In gift box. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 223 Caring for Cats** by Andrew Morris. 76 page book with many color illustrations and information on cat care, plus sections on feline history, behavior, safety, and health. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 224 Blue Acrylic Fish Plates.** Four 10-inch individual dishes, one 15-inch serving plate, and fish serving knife. Used once. Excellent condition. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 225 The Compassion Box** by Pema Chodröm. Powerful practices from the Buddhist tradition. Includes book, CD, and card deck of maxims. Packaging is a tad worn. Donated by Linda Catling.
- 226 Wooden Dispenser for Paper Cups.** Holds 5-ounce paper cups. Attaches easily to wall or cupboard with screw or nail. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz
- 227 Pura Vida Coffee Shop \$20 Gift Certificate.** *(second of two in auction)* Donated by Donna Catling
- 228. Big Bowl of Love** by Christine Ferrare with more than 100 simple, flavorful recipes. Color photos. Donated by Squeaky, the well-fed Church Mouse
- 229 Another Big Bundle of Dishcloths.** *(second of two in auction)* Baker's dozen (13) of hand-knitted dishcloths in an eclectic mix of colors. Donated by Jane Peatling
- 230 Tools and Hardware.** Large hammer, 5 screwdrivers (both types), wooden-handled brush, quality retractable knife, small pocket knife, 2 small levels, extra-large heavy duty S-hook, brass double-hook hanger, and a bunch of other small items. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 231 Tree in a Circle Earrings** for pierced ears. Vintage, circa 1970s. Donated by Fanny Crawford & Jose Rosapepe
- 232 Pandora's Jar: Women in the Greek Myth,** a book by Natalie Haynes. New. Donated by Squeaky, the erudite Church Mouse.
- 233 Ceramic Serving Stand.** Three-tiered, white stand by Ernesto can also be configured for two tiers. Never used. Donated by Barbara Pengelly
- 234 Sachet Bag for Needlecraft Project.** Cream color Janlynn Evenweave fabric ready for cross stitch or other needlework. Then fill and tie with included ribbon. Donated by Bill & Yvonne Pfoutz

**235 The Mandala Healing Kit** contains a workbook with illustrations, a CD, symbolic stencils, colored pencils, and black paper. Donated by Deb Russell

**236 *What Makes Your Brain Happy and Why You Should Do the Opposite***, a book by David Disalvo. The Swiss Army Knife of psychology and neuroscience research, handy and practical. Donated by Squeaky, the happy Church Mouse

**237 Metal and Ceramic Tile Trivet.** Vintage from the 1950s. Longer than many trivets. 8.5"x15". Perfect for your buffet table. Donated by Barbara Pengelly

**238 Cafe Del Sol Restaurant \$20 Gift Certificate.** (*second of two in auction*) Donated by Donna Catling

## Calendar of Live Auction Events

**Tuesday July 24. Civil War Tour (#119)** Leave UUCH parking lot at 8:30 a.m. Return around noon.

**Saturday, Sept. 13. Potters Bowl Lunch (#133)** 12:30 p.m. on the porch of Bill Pike's home near Hagerstown.

**Thursday, Sept. 25. Date Night at B-Street (#113)** 7 p.m. at B-Street 104 Restaurant in Greencastle, PA

**Saturday, Oct. 11. Watercolor Afternoon (#111)** 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. in the UUCH sanctuary.

**Friday, Oct. 17. Name That Tune Contest (#121)** 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. in the UUCH sanctuary.

**Friday, Nov. 14. Movie Night (#125)** 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. in the UUCH sanctuary.

**Saturday, Dec. 13. Christmas Ornament Decorating (#117)** 1 p.m.-2:15 p.m. at UUCH

**Wednesday, April 22, 2026. Breakfast at Christine's (#102)** 9:30 a.m. at Christine's Cafe, Waynesboro, PA

*Events with dates to be chosen by bid winner & donor:*

**Tarot Reading by Irene Glasse.** (live auction #128)

**Performance OR Piano Lessons with Pam Lego.** (live auction #105)

**You Pick the Sermon** planning lunch (live auction #131)

**Music for Special Occasion** (live auction #109)

**Mah Jongg lessons with Barb Pengelly** (live auction #135)