

St Thomas Snowflake Bazaar and Luncheon

Saturday, November 17th, 2018

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

All Proceeds Support the Life and Mission of St. Thomas Anglican Church

This is the time of year when we invite our parishioners to think about **donations** of interesting items to offer for sale at our annual bazaar. Men and women, young and old are included in this invitation!

We will need people to assist with set-up, ticket sellers for the lunchroom, kitchen helpers, food donations, lunch room servers and folk to help disassemble at the end of the day. Remember that this is a **PARISH EVENT – ALL** are invited to participate in any way you can.

Bake Table – Small 4 -6” pies would be welcome – in addition to our traditional offerings of cookies, squares, Christmas treats, etc. Note: we cannot accept meat pies or cream-based pies due to health regulations.

Craft Tables – Lots of hand crafted items please! Sewing, knitting (hats and mitts for all ages), quilting, pottery, art, stained glass, woodworking... your talents and generosity are appreciated.

Christmas Tables – Please send us your (very) gently used Christmas ornaments and décor pieces for others to treasure. New Christmas themed items – aprons, table runners, placemats, handmade ornaments, Advent calendars, wreaths, etc. would be welcome. **Please no used strings of Christmas tree lights and no artificial Christmas trees.**

Book Table - Please begin to gather up your gently used books and magazines for adults, youth and children. Again this year we are going to offer CD's, DVD's (no VHS please) and vinyl records. Great for collectors! We also plan to include bookmarks with each purchase so if you have any extra lying around, we would love them too. **No textbooks or encyclopaedias please! Our backs won't accommodate them!**

Jewellery & Accessories – We would be pleased to have donations of interesting and gently used jewellery, handbags, scarves, belts, etc. Please note that jewellery should be dropped off at the church office by Sunday, November 4th.

Home Décor – We welcome donations of interesting collectibles and vintage pieces for the home décor area. Cushion covers, kitchen and dining linens, china, glassware, silver, vases, decorative pieces, etc. Please deliver them to the Council room off Main Street during church office hours the week before the Bazaar. This area is always very successful, so please do contribute some lovely things or plan to shop for interesting items for your home or cottage.

Silent Auction – As last year we would appreciate **NEW ITEMS ONLY** for the Silent Auction. Arrangements can be made for pick-up. All items should be donated by Sunday November 11th. Time is needed to prepare the bid sheets for each item. Please include the estimated value along with the contributor's name, to be recorded on the bid sheet.

We are also looking for people to organize and run the tables on the day of the bazaar. No experience is needed and you can expect to have a lot of fun!!!

Many thanks,

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Snowflake Bazaar Co-ordinators 2018