

How You Can Help the St. Ignatius Fall Festival Silent Auction

1. **Donate.** Each Ministry and Commission is encouraged to donate a themed basket/collection or high-quality item/gift certificates for the Silent Auction. Parishioners can participate too!
2. **Volunteer.** We need bidding assistants (you just need a smart phone), and checkout helpers. Please use the Fall Festival's SignUp Genius to reserve your favored timeslot.
3. **Bid!** Register by September 29 for a chance to win a prize! Simply **text ff2019 to 52182** and follow the instructions. Have fun bidding and supporting your church!

Need ideas? Check the documents on the Fall Festival page of the church website (ignatiusloyola.org).

To maximize the proceeds, try to get your auction entry either donated or at discounted prices (use coupons, take advantage of sales).

Please, no secondhand items other than antiques, vintage items, artwork, or collectibles.

If possible, include your own basket or other container. Be creative! Fill a child's wagon, foldable chill chest cooler, plastic storage bin/tote, collapsible wagon, beach tote, or a baby bathtub.

We also need empty baskets of all sizes!

Drop off times in Sexton Hall:

Sunday, September 29: 8:30am-1pm

Monday, September 30: 10am-1pm and 5pm-7pm

Tuesday, October 1: 10am-1pm and 5pm-7pm

Wednesday, October 2: 10am-8pm

A donation form, which asks for an estimated retail value of the donation and a description of significant contents, is required for each auction entry. To save time, you can print the 2019 Silent Auction Donation Form from the church website, fill it out at home, and bring it with you.

For donations of baskets/collections, please email the itemized content list to Festival@silcc.org. Please include all relevant details (including volume) of any alcohol. Please do not include the individual prices of each item in the basket/collection. Give your basket a fun, 30 character name!

Questions? Contact the Silent Auction team at Festival@silcc.org.



THANK YOU!!

1. Window shop, if you wish, at ff2019.givesmart.com.

Dozens of items will be added October 2-4.

2. Register with your cell phone: (no phone? We'll help you when the Fall Festival opens)

Send a text to **52182** with this message: **ff2019**

Newcomers will be prompted to text back your **first and last name**

You will receive back your [personal bidding link](#) (*do not share this link!*)

3. Bid using your smart phone:

Note: You will be prompted to enter a credit card the first time you bid.

- Use the [personal bidding link](#) sent to you via text when you registered.
- **Find the item** you wish to bid on (*scroll through the item list, use the categories to filter per your interests, or use the search box to lookup a particular item number*).
- **Touch** the item to see the details, including current bid.
- **Enter your new bid amount** (*full dollars only - no decimals*) and press the green **Bid** button.
- To place an **Auto Bid**, press Auto Bid first, enter the maximum amount you would pay, and then press the green **Bid** button.

The system will now bid for you with the minimum increment as needed to keep winning until your maximum bid is reached.