



Donation Ideas

Everyone has a gift to donate. Just use your imagination and open yourself to some fun ideas. Many of us seek to donate items that will be fun for ourselves and the winners. We enjoy getting a chance to connect with people in the church through our donations. Here's a list of items that were donated in past years.

Dinner in your home or at church

- Fresh-caught salmon dinner
- Gourmet Mediterranean dinner
- Simple summer supper
- Tea at three
- Backyard barbecue
- Soup, bread and salad
- Dinner and book discussion
- Progressive dinner
- Fresh garden vegetables dinner

Party in your home or at church

- Charades and dessert
- Hearts and tarts card party
- Bunk-O party
- Spanish tapas party with live music
- Murder mystery dinner party
- Skating party
- Scrabble dinner party
- Movie/theatre/concert party

Recreation or tour

- Kayak or canoe trip
- Wildflower identification hike
- San Juan Islands boat cruise
- Evening of sailing and sunset dinner
- Bus trip to explore Gig Harbor
- Guided tour to see swans and geese
- Private docent for museum visit

Special desserts

- Chocolate decadence cake
- Double chocolate orange tort
- Chocolate mousse-filled zucchini
- Grand Marnier cake with chocolate glaze

Use of facilities or equipment

- Use of a canoe
- Weekend use of a vacation cabin
- Use of an RV for a week
- Use of a food drier
- Use of a pressure washer
- Maui condo for one week

Personal services

- 1 hour of iPod, iPad, or cell phone instruction
- 8 hours of computer tutoring
- 4 hours of landscape maintenance
- 10 hours of house painting
- Weekend of child care
- Computer maintenance and consultation
- Jazz combo for special event
- Dog or cat sitting/walking
- Labor to build a deck or shed
- Window washing
- Professional bookbinding
- 4 hours of slave labor
- Carpet cleaning
- VCR/DVD player operation instruction
- Facebook or blogging instruction
- Odd jobs around home
- Professional haircuts
- House cleaning/cooking/ironing
- Internet or email tutoring
- Massage session
- Custom note cards
- Assembly of earthquake preparedness kit
- 2 hours of legal consultation
- Car washing and waxing
- Custom-made watercolor quilt
- Nine months of muffins or cookies
- How to make raspberry truffles
- Home canning and jam making instruction
- Vegetarian lasagna for 10
- 20 dozen Christmas cookies
- Catered barbecue dinner
- Coconut cake baked for your occasion
- Soup of the month for 8 months
- Children's birthday party entertainment

Tickets

- 4 Opening-day Mariners tickets
- Theatre or art gallery admission

Miscellaneous

- Stained glass window
- Radio-controlled hot rod
- Carved leather wall hanging