

Dining for Dollar\$ Auction Overview 2024

Dining for Dollar\$ Auction is now a semi-annual church-wide community-building auction. There will be two parts every year of submitting events and then bidding on these events.

First UU Members and Friends agree to sponsor a dinner, tea, picnic, museum tour, pool party, brunch, barbecue, sailing expedition, game night, or provide a service or other event for our church community and their families.

<u>Auction 1:</u> In March through April 15, the events and services (06/01/24 through 12/31/24) are created, defined and submitted by YOU to members of the D4\$ team.

As they come in, we input the events into the auction website with beautiful photos and then the link to the events is sent (by email) to all members and friends. A limited number of printed bidding books will also be available at church.

Online bidding will commence online May 5, 2024 and bids can be made 24/7 while bidding is open. For those of us who need extra help, after each service on May 5, May 12 and May 19, church members, friends, and regular attendees and their families may enter bids on devices with the help of techie experts in Bard Hall. Bidding sheets will also be available to see who's bid on the events and what's still available at a great price! Feel free to buy places at events as gifts for your friends and family, as well as for yourself. We will also allow bidding by e-mail and telephone through Remote Bidding.

<u>Auction 2:</u> Events happening through 01/01/25 through 05/31/25 will be submitted during November, 2024, with bidding happening in December, 2024.

The money raised by these events goes to support the many programs of the church, but more importantly, this is a great way to have fun, meet new church friends, and fill up your social calendar for the year!