



PROSECCO, PUDDINGS and PROMISES
AUCTION
SATURDAY 20th OCTOBER 2018
PARISH CENTRE



You are invited to come to the Promises Auction where, we hope, you will have a really pleasant evening enjoying some 'Puds & Prosecco' . The purpose of the auction is not to just make money, although it is hoped that it will, but to give you the opportunity to make a bid or two in the 'Trinity Sale Room' in a fun and relaxed environment! Any money we raise will be directed to the General Church account plus audio/visual equipment to support the projector we have already bought for the Parish Centre.

Here are some guidelines for you.

- The auction lots will be made up articles, as well as promises to provide a service from members of the congregation.
- Any donated items must be new.
- It is the responsibility of each donor to ensure that promises are fulfilled.
- Payment for promises fulfilled should be made to the Promissor, in the first instance, as soon as the Promise is fulfilled.
- Any payments made by cheque should be drawn in favour of 'Holy Trinity Southport PCC'.
- Neither the organisers nor the Parochial Church Council can accept responsibility for any loss or injury in relation to this auction or promises made in aid of this auction.
- **Donated items should be brought to the Parish Centre on the night of the auction before 7pm.**



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AUCTION PROMISE

To be completed and returned to either Nancy Hart or Jane Roberts no later than 14th October 2018 to enable us to produce the auction catalogue.

NAME (please print) _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

I PROMISE TO: * _____
 (PTO for some ideas) _____

RESERVE PRICE (with a 10% discretion) ** _____

* Should you wish to offer more than one lot, please list further lots on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you.
 ** A reserve price can be given as you judge appropriate. For example, you may decide to offer to host a 3-course lunch with wine and feel it is only fair that the offered price per person reflects what you have in mind to serve.

Here are some suggestions of 'services' to help you decide what you might like to offer at our auction:

Please be inventive with your ideas and only offer what you feel comfortable in doing.

The numbers/hours etc given below are just a guideline.

- Provide an evening of Scrabble with supper for two people
- Bake and decorate a chocolate cake/coffee cake etc
- Do 2 hours ironing
- Knit a garment of bidder's choice. Pattern and materials to be supplied by bidder
- Supply materials and knit a children's toy
- Provide and dress a doll
- Make 3 flower arrangements with flowers provided up to the cost of £10 per arrangement. Additional flowers can be paid for by the bidder
- Transport to and from a doctor's surgery/hospital
- Provide car washing service for 4 weeks
- Take one or two people for a morning/afternoon visit to Martin Mere Wildfowl Trust. Cost of tickets to be included
- Undertake 3 hours gardening
- Babysit for one evening
- Host a Murder Mystery evening with supper for 8 people
- Give an evening dinner party for four with wine, coffee and liqueurs
- Give 10 French lessons for up to 4 people
- Give help and/or tuition in using a computer or a programme from Microsoft Office

Should you have any questions, please speak to either Nancy Hart or Jane Roberts.