

## Harvest Bazaar Country Store

At every Harvest Bazaar, everyone looks forward to the homemade crafts and garden bounty offered for sale at The Country Store, and this year is no exception. Crafters and canners (canned fruits, vegetables, jams, etc.) please keep this in mind as the summer winds down to decide what specialty you will donate.



## Harvest Bazaar Center Pieces

The Harvest Bazaar Team is asking for your creativity in preparing centerpieces to be used on each of the dining tables at this year's Bazaar. If you are interested, there will be a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Space next weekend.

## Mini Raffles

Parishioners are encouraged to donate items in the fall for the Harvest Bazaar Mini Raffles. Any item of your choice will be welcome, but we will again focus on themed baskets as they were incredibly popular last year.

Below are suggestions for themed baskets with ideas to get you started. We encourage individuals, friends or families (2, 3 or more) to creatively work together to assemble a basket. New this year will be an identification tag; pick it up when you sign up, complete the information and attach to your basket when you drop it off for the Bazaar. *(Note: Baskets turned in October 9-10 and October 16 will be put into the Mini Raffles. Baskets turned in on Sunday, October 17 will be put into the Main Raffle.)*

*To avoid duplication of basket themes,  
there is a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Space.*



<b>Basket Theme</b>	<b>Suggested Items</b>
<b>Adults Only Basket:</b>	bottle of wine, wine glasses, candle, cheese & crackers, chocolates ...
<b>Baby Basket:</b>	receiving blanket(s), onsies, soap, lotion, brag book, disposable camera ...
<b>Ball Basket:</b>	football, basketball, soccer ball, softball, baseball, tennis balls, golf balls ...
<b>Beach / Pool Party Basket:</b>	beach towel, suntan lotion, disposable camera ...
<b>Bubble Bath Basket:</b>	bubble bath, after bath "splash", loufa sponge, wash cloth & towel, back brush, rubber duckie ...
<b>Cat Lover's Basket:</b>	cat toys & treats, cat food, scratching post ...
<b>Coffee Break Basket:</b>	coffees, creamers, mugs, biscotti, napkins ...
<b>Dog Lover's Basket:</b>	pet bed, dog toys & treats, dog food ...
<b>Fishing Basket:</b>	lures, hooks, line, lake maps, disposable camera (assemble in minnow bucket??) ....
<b>Gardening Basket:</b>	gloves, trowel, knee pad, bulbs ...
<b>Golf Basket:</b>	tees, balls, ball marker, towel, visor, gift card ....
<b>Halloween Basket:</b>	mask(s), scary music DVD, "treats" ...
<b>Home Made Basket:</b>	cross stitch, lap quilt, knitted or crocheted items, stamped cards, a drawing or painting, woodworking item ...
<b>Housewarming Basket:</b>	cleaning supplies ...
<b>Hunting Basket:</b>	hand warmers, ear plugs, gloves, stocking hat, heavy socks, compass ...
<b>Ice Cream Sundae Basket:</b>	sundae cups or bowls, spoons, toppings (chocolate or caramel), nuts, sprinkles ...
<b>Kid's Themes:</b>	Legos, Sesame Street, Barbie, Little Pony, Barney ...
<b>Margarita Night Basket:</b>	margarita glasses, margarita mix, salt, napkins, salsa & chips ...
<b>Movie Night Basket:</b>	DVD or rent-a-movie coupon, popcorn, candy bars, soda or juice ... * intermediate (PG); adult (R)
<b>Reader's Basket:</b>	book, clip on light, book marks, book store gift card ... * teens
<b>Romantic Dinner and a Movie Basket:</b>	gift cards for dinner and movie theater gift card ...
<b>Scrapbooking Basket:</b>	papers, pens, stickers, punches, adhesives, specialty scissors ...
<b>Sports Themes:</b>	Badgers or Packers or Milton or Milwaukee Bucks or Milwaukee Brewers.
<b>Stationery Basket:</b>	greeting cards, paper & envelopes, pens, stamps ...
<b>Spa Basket:</b>	oils, bath salts, sponges, lotions, head pillow, slippers ...
<b>Tailgate Basket:</b>	small grill, grill utensils (tongs, spatula, etc.), plastic glasses, plates & napkins, ketchup, mustard, BBQ sauce, marinades, seasonings, apron, cookbook, citronella candle, snacks ...
<b>Miscellaneous Baskets:</b>	use your own imagination and creativity!

### Mini Raffle Co-Chair

The Bazaar Leadership Team is looking for some good people to join us in planning to make this year's Bazaar a success. We specifically need a **Co-Leader for Mini Raffles** and someone to be **Leader for Decorations**. Contact Vicki at the office if interested (868-3337) or email [vlkersten@centurytel.net](mailto:vlkersten@centurytel.net).

Next meeting of the Bazaar Leadership team is Sunday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Ark Room. Join us!



### 5K Fun Run / Walk

The Harvest Bazaar Fun Run/Walk committee is looking for businesses that would like to donate items to be placed in the bags that each runner/walker receives prior to the start of the race. This could be a coupon, small gift, etc. It would be an excellent way to market your business AND help us make our event a success. Last year we had 153 participants in the run/walk. This year our goal is 200 participants. Please contact Vicki Kersten at the parish office (868-3337).

