

# Silent auction items needed for basement ramp construction fundraiser

## *Douglas United Methodist Church*

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**Our silent auction  
will be on July 4,  
2015 at the picnic  
celebration 11am to  
4pm at the church**

**We would like to be  
able to pick up the  
items by 6/1/2015**

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The purpose of this silent auction is to raise money to build an indoor ramp for our disabled and elderly members to access the activities in the basement of the church. We have an existing ramp that serves the members to the chapel only, but nothing to get them into the basement. We also hold various events through out the year to the public, and we would like everyone that comes to the church to have safe access to the basement. The material costs for the project came close to \$40,000. We have various church members donating their time and talents to planning and labor for the ramp building. As a small church it is often difficult to have enough funds to operate let alone to make safety improvements like this ramp. We would hope to break ground sometime this summer 2015. Donating a prize or silent auction gift to our fundraiser will allow us to auction the items at our picnic celebration in order to raise funds for the ramp. All are welcomed to our picnic and you will also be advertised as the donor of a silent auction item if you wish. Your donation may be tax deductible as well.



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