

TUCW Tag Sale

Serving the Community and the Congregation

Sat. Aug 6, 8:30 to 4:00 pm



Our wonderful, lucrative sale attracts many young families from surrounding towns, enabling them to find bargains in household goods. It's a great opportunity to simplify our lives, too.

Bring donations to the East Wing starting Sunday, July 31. The Meeting House will be available for storage in late June, if you have to drop things off early, but you MUST call the office, 227-7205 to arrange a time.

Is someone you know moving? Talk to them about making a **tax-deductible** donation of household items they don't want to pack! We'll send a receipt.

VOLUNTEER! - look for a general sign-up sheet in the foyer, or contact Dorothy Rich at dorothyjeanrich@gmail.com No need to commit to a specific time yet. We'll contact you.

There is a role for everyone:

- Offer your van/truck/muscles for picking up donations
- **Sunday, July 31 after the service**, empty the Meeting House of donations. More trucks, vans, muscles. Also, move all chairs and set up tables in the sanctuary.
- Unpack, Set up and Price on M-F, Aug 1-5, your choice of time
- Put out lawn signs the week before
- Day-of help in minimum 2 hr. shifts on Sat, Aug. 6, starting @ 7:30 a.m.
- **Clean-up** 4:00 to 6:00 pm on Saturday - CRITICAL!

?? Linda, lhudson30@hotmail.com 203-226-5335

or -829-6685 ??

WHAT TO DONATE



CLEAN, WORKABLE, UNBROKEN, UP-TO-DATE ITEMS ONLY.

If it's missing a part, needs 'a little work', is too disgusting for you to use or wear, then don't bring it. Test your appliances, and provide batteries, if needed. Put small parts in Ziploc bags. Attach notes re original prices, explanations or 'WORKS WELL'

- Antiques & collectibles
- Appliances - small & working
- Artwork
- Baby equipment
- Beds* and bedding
- Bikes , scooters
- Boats, kayaks, canoes
- Books** - clean, no textbooks
- Clothing for men, women, kids.
On hangers or folded ideally.
- Craft supplies / yarn
- Dishes & glassware
- Furniture. **THINK SMALL*****
Useful apartment pieces such as dressers, end tables, bookcases
- DVDs & CDs & vinyl records
- Games & toys, complete and unbroken
- Gardening supplies
- Handbags, belts, scarves
- Jewelry (which may get saved for the Holiday sale where we get better prices)
- Kitchen equipment, any kind
- Lamps
- Linens
- Rugs
- Shoes & boots
- Sports equip. No skis
- Tools - always in demand

*Mattresses can be donated to greenteambpt.com in Bridgeport, which recycles all materials in your mattress.

** Your local library would also benefit from your books. Be judicious.

*** **If it doesn't fit in your car, call Linda to see if we can take it.**

THANKS, BUT NO THANKS TO:

- Stuffed animals ~ Oversized furniture ~ Skis
- Outdated Electronics ~ hardwired lighting ~
- Baby car seats or cribs that don't meet safety standards
- drapes and rods ~ Shades and blinds ~ magazines ~ text books
- Most town transfer stations now take electronics for recycling



- Vietnam Vets: <http://www.pickupplease.org>
- Staples Office Supplies or Best Buy accept any electronic appliances
- Large furniture, sofa beds - contact Habitat's **Re-Store** for pick-up (203) 383-4358