

The Chapel of the Cross
58th Annual ABC Sale
Saturday, March 21, 2020

Donation Guidelines

The ABC Sale is fast approaching and it's time to clean out your Attics, Basements and Closets and bring us all the good stuff! Please use the following guidelines to determine the appropriate items to bring in, and help us all have a profitable sale.

- Please donate only items that are truly saleable – clean, mended, working, in good repair. We do not sell torn, dirty or broken items, so please do not bring them in.
- If at all possible, pack donations in separate bags according to department, i.e., men, women, kitchen, linens, toys, books, etc. Putting similar items together enables faster sorting. Clothing on hangers will be placed directly on racks in the sorting area.
- Donations will be accepted in the front circle of the Chapel of the Cross at these times:
 - **Tuesday, March 17, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**
 - **Wednesday, March 18,, 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.**
 - **Thursday, March 19, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 pm**
- All NON PLANT Donations to the garden department will be accepted both Thursday and Friday mornings. **Plants will only be accepted on Friday.** Please label type of plant and color of flower when appropriate.
- To arrange for pick-up of items you are unable to transport yourself, contact Heather Benjamin at heather.a.benjamin@gmail.com
- Bake Sale items will be accepted on Friday. Large items like cakes as well as items packaged in individual servings are welcome! If you have any questions, please contact Anna Lorenz at ahmlorenz@gmail.com
- Almost any type of merchandise is accepted, from furniture to clothing, household items to antiques, and books. The following items will **not** be accepted:
 - **Toys that are broken or missing pieces**
 - **Torn or soiled clothing; underwear**
 - **Old, worn out shoes**
 - **Mattresses and bed pillows**
 - **Futons and waterbeds**
 - **Metal bed frames**
 - **Sleeper sofas**
 - **Old, worn upholstered furniture in poor condition**
 - **Bulky furniture items**
 - **Office wall dividers**
 - **Electronics**
 - **Large appliances**
 - **Exercise bikes/Treadmills**
 - **Computers/monitors and computer peripherals**
 - **Child car seats**
 - **Artificial Christmas trees**
 - **Encyclopedias / textbooks**
 - **Medical / law books**
 - **Skis and ski boots**
 - **Used baby bottles / sippy cups**
 - **Particle Board Furniture**

A comprehensive list of organizations that will accept many of the items listed above can be found at http://www.orangecountync.gov/departments/solid_waste_management/a-z_recycleryFQ.php

The success of the sale depends on your thoughtful and generous donations. Thank you!