



# First Time Attending?

Here are some answers to commonly asked questions:



## How does the auction work?

When you check-in at the registration table, you'll receive a sheet of bidding stickers with your name and bidding number. There will be 50 packages that you may choose to bid on. Each package will have 15 bidding slots and the amount that each slot costs to bid. You may put your sticker down for as many slots as you like, just remember that you are paying for that slot whether you win the package or not. Most bidding slots range from \$15 to \$50. The Gift Card Wall is a popular component during the auction; when you bid \$35 for a slot, you win a gift card from a local restaurant or retailer ranging anywhere from \$25 to \$100!



## What's the schedule for the event?

Check-in will begin at 11:00; you are welcome to browse through auction packages when you arrive. The program and lunch will begin at 11:30. During this time, you will get to hear ministry updates, client testimonies, and receive instructions for bidding. After bidding closes, dessert will be served. Raffle winners and auction package winners are drawn. You will receive your final bill and can go pick up your prizes. Volunteers will be available to assist you in getting items to your car. This event typically concludes by 1:15 PM.



## How do the funds raised impact Holland Rescue Mission?

This fundraising event enables Holland Rescue Mission to continue with its life-changing programs. Your generous gifts help to provide meals, clothing, and a safe shelter for our residents. Funds also impact our long-term recovery program (Gateway), where students can participate in addiction recovery classes, earn their GED and receive quality work training through this state licensed vocational training school.



## Do you accept credit cards?

Yes! You are encouraged to pay for your ticket when you RSVP to the event. You may also pay for your ticket and bidding slots the day of the event with cash, a check, or credit card.