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with Vickie*

DECORATING ON A DIME



If you want to redecorate, but it's not quite in your budget this spring, consider hitting garage sales, thrift stores and possibly going through the junk in your garage to update the look of your home.

If you're not sure how to pull it together, take Saturday's class on "Decorating on a Dime" by Boise redesign expert Irene Woodworth at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul store at 2110 S. Broadway Ave. in Boise. What better place to find unique and low-cost items for a re-design!

Woodworth says she's always looking for bargains. "It doesn't have to look like a thrift store, and it doesn't have to be costly to decorate your home."

Woodworth also volunteers her time to set up furniture vignettes at the Broadway store, so it should be fun to look around while you're there.



Courtesy of Irene Woodworth

The showroom at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul store at 2110 S. Broadway Ave.

If you go:

What: "Decorating on a Dime"

When: There are three classes in all, each from 10:30 a.m. to noon:

► Saturday, Decorating on a Dime

► May 6, Ten Deadly Sins of Decorating

► June 3, The Art of Accessorizing

Where: Society of St. Vincent de Paul store at 2110 S. Broadway Ave.

in Boise

Cost: Registration required, call 333-8001 by today for the Saturday class. (It's also a fax number, so if you get the beep tone, just try again.) Each class is \$12, cash,

MasterCard or Visa only (no checks), payable when you arrive. I'm going, so see you there!

— Vickie Ashwill,
At Home with Vickie

Got an idea?

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