

## Ideas for Inviting Friends via Email

Please email an invite to your friends, family, congregation, neighbors and/or coworkers to the event!

The idea is to encourage them to visit YOUR location and enjoy a dine-in or takeout meal, order wine, grab a drink, etc. The more filled seats at your location, then the better a chance we will hit our goal to raise \$200,000!

Draft single or group emails, or “bcc” your contacts that you think will be able to participate. Then, write an enticing email like:

***“Dear (Name) or Friends,***

***It is my honor to invite you to Food For Thought’s most DELICIOUS fundraiser of the year! Dining Out For Life is taking place on Thursday, December 5, and I will be representing Food For Thought at (Location) from (shift timeframe)!***

***(Location) will be donating (%) of their sales to Food For Thought that day, so every order counts!***

***There are over 65 businesses donating a portion of their sales to FFT that day! Check out this page to learn more: [FFTfoodbank.org/DOFL](http://FFTfoodbank.org/DOFL)***

***Can I count on you to support (Location) or another participating location for Dining Out For Life on December 5?***

***Please let me know! I hope to hear from you soon!***

***Sincerely,***

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When they reply, you can tell them whether you recommend reservations or any other details.