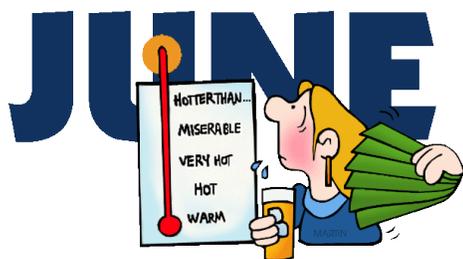


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North Side Baptist Church
910 N. Main St.
Weatherford, TX 77086
June 2019



June 20, 2019

Social Hour 6:15

NEW MEETING TIME 6:45 pm

Speaker: Carol Morrissey, Color Theory

Wear Name Tag

Bring Show and Tell

Bring for Center of Hope

Sign up for Workshop July 19th

With Frieda Anderson

Board Meeting

June 27, 2019 6:00 pm

North Side Baptist Church

Room 110

President's Message

Where have the months gone? Summer will officially arrive in a few short weeks. I hope you have been busy planning some great summer activities - including quilting! The retreat is coming up in July. I'm excited to say this will be my first retreat: I hope the regular retreaters will go easy on me! I'm looking forward to laughing, and, well, laughing; maybe a bit of quilting too. So, I am looking forward to getting to know some of you a bit better.

Speaking of summer, we have another exciting member challenge planned. Think of it as your "stay-out-of-the-summer-heat" project! Please be sure to read the newsletter for the details. It's going to be fun!

I need to address another request from our host. The church would like us to be completely finished and out of the building by 9 PM. The meetings over the last few months have run long for a variety of reasons. We have to take care of business and we love to show our quilts! In an effort to reach our goal of finishing by 8:30 PM and out by 9 PM, the Board has chosen to try a few things.

- **START TIME CHANGE:**
 - The Business Meeting will begin at 6:45 PM. Since many members arrive even before 6:30 PM, there should still be enough time to check-in, catch the workshop table, among others, and catch up with each other.
- **SHOW AND TELL:**
 - Comfort Quilts - these will be shown all at one time across the front. Judy Fitzgerald will call everyone forward to show their donation. We use this method with the Workshop quilts and it works well.

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President's Message cont.

- Show and Tell - our members are SO prolific and I am grateful to be able to see everything you all make. In an effort to save time, we would encourage a show and tell of only two items per person in addition to any Comfort Quilts.

These changes will accomplish a few things. We should be out of the church on time and it should allow our guest speaker to have the full hour to present without being rushed. The Board will evaluate these changes to see what worked best. If we find that we only need to start a bit early and the Show and Tell is too short, we can adjust as we roll!

As always, I am thankful for each of you as a member and all of your contributions. I appreciate your flexibility as we are happy with our meeting place and the resources the church provides.

Until we meet soon, piece.

Pam

General Meeting

May 16, 2019

Guild President Pam Luke called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Announcements -

The April Executive Board and General Guild meeting minutes as well as the April Treasurer's Report were approved by the Board.

Correspondence -

The following correspondence was received and read to the membership:

- Website inquiries:
 - A member of the Granbury guild asked if there was a person who was familiar with a Gammil/Statler set-up. They would like to connect and share tips and ideas.
 - A person asked if anyone would be interested in making drapes.
- Mail:
 - A Thank-you was received from Grace House for Comfort Quilts

Program Reports –

Sunshine and Shadows - Jean McBride

- Shadows:
 - Serena Stroot's father passed away
 - Donna Smith's husband passed away
 - Becky Klein has experienced several family deaths

Minutes cont.

- Sunshines:
 - Judy Fitzgerald had successful cataract surgery
 - Judy Fitzgerald's 12th Great grandchild was born

Membership - Ann Honea

- Current Membership is 122!
- Attendance Tonight:
 - Members – 67
 - New Members - 0
 - Visitors – 4
 - Martha Cope
 - Nancy Gudino
 - JoAnne Bline
 - Lana Bass
- Drawing Winners:
 - Member - Kim Lolly
 - Nametag - Robin Bowling
 - Visitor - Nancy Gudino

Comfort Quilts - Judy Fitzgerald

- Donations
 - 38 quilts were donated in April
 - Year-to-Date donations are 127
- 38 Delivered in May
 - 3 Quilts to Freedom House
 - 6 Quilts to Center of Hope
 - 8 Quilts to Holland Lake Nursing Home
 - 12 Quilts/9 Receiving Blankets to Grace House
- All 127 have been delivered so far this year!

Publications -

If you are interested in being featured in Weatherford Now magazine, please contact Kay Burleson.

Auction - Lynn Main/Nancy Gengler

Reported that several quilts have already been received, as well as items for the Take-it-for-\$10 and raffle bags. We are holding a Country Store, so think about items to make for sale.

Upcoming Workshops - Rex Shrauner

- This month - JoLynn O'Neil - Collage Quilts
- June - No workshop
- July - Frieda Anderson - Art Quilt "Field Poppies"

Minutes cont.

Special Topics -

Bylaws Update - Mary Williams

Mary discussed proposed changes to the Budgeting and Executive Member Replacement bylaws. The motion to approve was made by Becky Klein, with Judy Fitzgerald seconding. The motion carried by voice vote with no opposition.

Policy Update -

Publicity Policy - Pam Luke

- The *Publicity* section was renamed *Publicity and Communications*.
- All communications will maximize the privacy of our members
- Any Guild digital accounts must be approved by the Executive Board

Workshop Policy - Rex Shrauner

- Fees
 - Are to be determined by the Board after all workshops have been scheduled for the next calendar year
 - Are due when the reservation is made
- Non-Member Participation was clarified
- The Cancellation policy was clarified

These policy updates were presented for information only; no concurrence by the memberships is required.

Program -

JoLynn O'Neil presented her quilting journey through a trunk show of her quilts

The meeting was adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Rex Shrauner, Secretary.



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Comfort Quilts

Thank you all for your comfort quilts last month. You contributed 25 quilts that were given out to the Weatherford Police Dept, the Rainbow Room, and Grace House. They were definitely appreciated.

For this month's meeting, we will be doing something a little different. For those of you that want to show your comfort quilts, we will be doing it as a group showing. So, when it is time for my report, I will be asking for those of you that have comfort quilts to show to come up to the front and show them as a group. Instead of showing them individually, we can see just how much work you all put into these quilts and also get some good pictures of them for our website. I look forward to seeing all of these really cute and great quilts during our next meeting.

Judy Fitzgerald



Shadow

Joanna Swonger has thyroid cancer, a procedure is scheduled for May 24th.

Attention Retreaters

Myra Hall has designed a quilt that she will demonstrate at Sunset Retreat. The saw blades design is a bold and scrappy quilt with rotating blocks. If you would like to participate, these are the fabrics you need to bring. If you would like to see pattern, go to www.quiltstitchandsew.com. The quilt pattern is saw blades.

10 assorted dark fabrics ½ yd. each

Light background 2yds

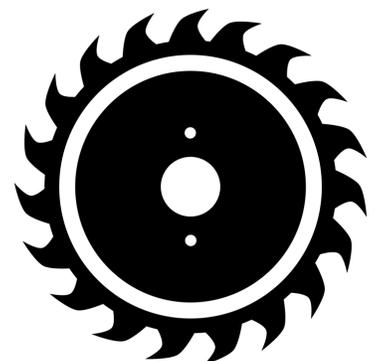
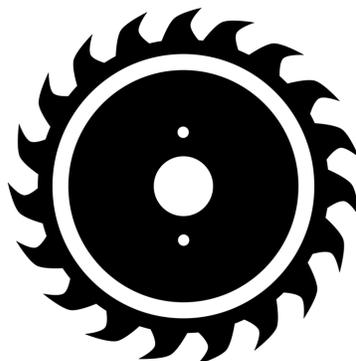
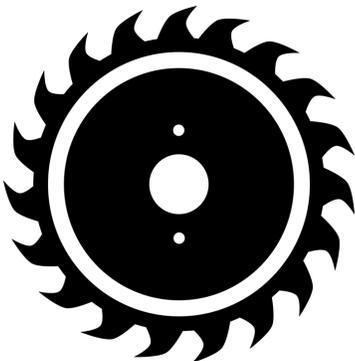
Inner boarder ½ yd.

Outer boarder and binding 2yds.

Patriotic Quilt

Also JoLynn O'Neil is bringing a pattern for a Patriotic Auction Quilt. You need to bring an 8" square of red, an 8" square of blue, and a fat quarter of neutral (off white to tan). Hopefully we can have it together before retreat ends. We can each do one square.

Room assignments will be on the table at our next meeting. If you have any questions please ask or call Susie Kirkland at 817-304-3096.



Common Quilting Abbreviations

BOM: Block of the Month

BSK: Basic Sewing Kit

DSM: Domestic Sewing Machine

FMQ: Free Motion Quilting

FQ: Fat Quarter

FW: Feather Weight

HST: Half-Square Triangle

LAQ: Long Arm Quilting

LQS: Local Quilt Shop

PhD: Projects Half Done

PP: Paper Piecing

QAL: Quilt Along

QAYG: Quilt As You Go

QST: Quarter-Square Triangle

RST: Right Sides Together

SA: Seam Allowance

SID: Stitch in Ditch

SOG: Straight of Grain

TBQ: To Be Quilted

UFO: Unfinished Object

WIP: Work in Progress

WOF: Width of Fabric

Just for Fun

BDNQ: Bad Day, Not Quilting

FART: Fabric Accumulation
Road Trip

FOB: Fear of Binding

HIPS: Hundreds of Ideas Piling
Skyward

HSY: Haven't Started Yet

PIGS: Projects in Grocery
Sacks

SABLE: Stash Accumulation
Beyond Life Expectancy

SQUID: Sewing a Quilt Until I
Die

TGIF: Thank God It's Finished

WOMBAT: Waste of Money,
Batting, and Time

WIWMI: Wish It Would Make
Itself

Quilt Auction



When: Saturday, Sept 21st
Noon to 4 p.m.

Where: North Side Baptist
Church, Weatherford

Our Quilt Auction is just around the
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- *Quilts – Any size is OK*
- *Take it for \$10 and Raffle Items – Quilting related items*
- *Country Store – Handcrafted Items to sell for \$10 or less*

Bring your items to our meetings this
Summer ... or

Contact Lynn Main or Nancy Gengler

Paint Chip Challenge #2

We are having another paint chip challenge! This one will have different rules from the first. We will be making monochromatic or one color quilts. We will each be randomly assigned a paint chip to get our color, then we will use a variety of shades lighter and darker than our paint chip to make our quilts. Prints are OK if the predominant color is right. Embellishments or any artsy details are encouraged. Maximum size is 18" X 18", but any size smaller is OK.

Your quilts must have your name on the back and be completed and turned in at our August meeting. I will gather the quilts and they will be displayed at the quilt auction in September. They will be displayed only, not sold, and will be returned to the maker at the end the auction or at the October meeting. We will also vote for our favorite quilt at the auction. Ribbons will be awarded.

Have fun and let your creativity flow!

Anita Ruthenberg



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**Meeting June 20, 2019 Social Hour 6:15
New Meeting time 6:45 PM**

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