

SPRING NEWSLETTER 2013

Serving The O.U.R. Center and Safe Shelter of St. Vrain Valley by making quilts from donated fabric to sell to the public. All proceeds are donated to the charities.

Celebrating 27 years of Service

This year is Interfaith Quilters' 27th Annual Sale. We have almost 600 quilted items to offer for sale with prices ranging from \$5 to over \$3000 depending on size, complexity, and creativity. This collection represents over 9000 hours of volunteer time, and donations of fabric and supplies from our network of quilt lovers. In addition to the items for sale, we are displaying a rare antique quilt from the archives of the First Lutheran Church.

1985 Historic Quilt on Display

Interfaith Quilters is proud to display a rare find, an antique quilt found in the basement of the First Lutheran church by the Archive Committee. It is a red and white friendship quilt made by the "ladies of the SW Lutheran Sewing Society of Boulder". This organization is believed to be a precursor to First Lutheran Church. The friendship quilt has names of the original makers embroidered on the blocks and is especially precious to the descendents, several of whom are members of today's church. Interfaith Quilters will display this quilt during our Sale and members of the First Lutheran Archive Committee will be present to answer questions about the quilt, the early days in Boulder County and life as settlers in the area.



Interfaith Quilters has a Facebook page. Find us at www.facebook.com by searching for Interfaith Quilters. You will see information about our organization and yearly sale. Be sure and "like" us, we are hoping for over 200 "likes".

Find Us on the Web

We now hove our own web site with information on past sales, the upcoming sale, how to join, and what we are all about. Check us out at www.interfaithquilters.com. Special thank you to Lisa Klink Severance for creating and maintaining our site.

Colorado Quilt Council Grant

Interfaith Quilters strives to donate all proceeds from our annual sale to local charities and can do so because most of our fabric and supplies are given to us from area quilters and other supporters. However occasionally we need to buy batting and notions. Therefore we were delighted to be

awarded a grant from the Colorado Quilting Council for that purpose. Thank you, CQC.

How to Join Interfaith Quilters

Interfaith Quilters of Longmont is a not-for-profit organization with few rules and good fellowship. There are no membership fees. We meet almost every Monday (see schedule below) from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church at 3rd and Terry St., Longmont, CO. Come and spend whatever time you have with us. Bring an idea and use our fabric and notions to make a quilt for our sale or join one of the works-in-progress and lend a hand. Just walk in the door, someone will greet you, introduce you around and help you get started. Bring a bag lunch.

Interfaith Quilters of Longmont 2013-2014 Schedule

Almost Every Monday First Lutheran Church 9 am - 3 pm 3rd and Terry Longmont, CO

2013

March 4 No quilting—Recoup from Sale Day

March 11 Annual Meeting 10 a.m.

April 1 No quilting - Monday after Easter

May 27 No quilting - Memorial Day

June 10 No quilting - Bible Day Camp

Sept. 2 No quilting - Labor Day

Dec. 23 No quilting - Christmas Holiday

Dec. 30 No quilting - New Year's Eve

2014

Jan. 20 Last day to turn in quilts for sale

Feb. 7 Pricing 9 a.m.

Feb. 14 Pricing 9 a.m.

Feb. 17 No quilting - Presidents' Day

Feb. 27 Quilt Frame set up

Feb. 28 Set up for show and sale 8 a.m. -?

Feb. 28 Preview Night 5-8 p.m.

March 1 Quilt Sale 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

March 3 No quilting - Regroup day

March 10 Annual Meeting 10 a.m.

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Mission Statement

Interfaith Quilters of Longmont CO Inc. is a group of volunteers who come together to produce quilts for sale to support local charities, to share the art and skill of all types of quilting, and to provide an opportunity for quilters of any ability to learn and practice new techniques.

THANK YOU

Interfaith Quilters deeply appreciate the support they have received from the following organizations, businesses and individuals. We acknowledge and are grateful for the support from many other organizations too numerous to mention here.

First Lutheran	B & J Storage, Owners
Evangelical Church	Ed and Maxine Bunker
Messiah Lutheran	Sewing Center—Jerry
Church	Staab
Longmont Community of	Ahlberg Funeral Chapel
<u>Christ</u>	and Crematory
Quilters Studio	Carroll Allen
Wal-Mart	Chuck Beehler
Maggie Wegrzyn	Dick Kounovsky
Annely Peterson	The Longmont Daily
Nancy Dorth	Times-Call
Patrick Ott	Consumer Reports—Kelly
Thomas Krasomil	Martindale
The Presser Foot	K-GUD (90.7) Radio
Bernina Shop	Station—George Baskos
Janet Mason @ Twisted	Longmont Channel 3
Threads Longarm Quilting	
Donna Deubler	Quiltmaker Magazine
St. Catherine's Circle	Longmont Magazine
Lisa Klink Severance	Colorado Quilt Council

Interfaith Quilters would like to acknowledge the First Lutheran Women for providing pie and coffee or this year's sale and show