

SPRING NEWSLETTER 2015

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 these two charities.

Welcome to the Interfaith Quilters' 29th Annual Sale

This year's sale features over 600 quilted items priced from \$3 to over \$3,000 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.

We are pleased to introduce Interfaith Member, Martha Dicks as this year's featured quilter. Martha is showing four generations of her family's heirloom quilts. You will find Martha and her quilts in the South Fast corner of the sale room.

The Memorial Wall honoring the deceased Interfaith Quilt Members is located on the North Wall close to the Cashier's Table. A quilted block honors each member who contributed to the success of Interfaith over the years. Three names were added to the Wall this year:

Georgia Goldenstein; Judy McCorkel; and Charter Member, Margarita Smith.

Be sure to stop by the Fireside Room where the the First Lutheran Ladies are selling pie and coffee.

How to Join Interfaith Quilter

Interfaith Quilters of Longmont is a non-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.

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.

Quilts for the Rocky Mountain States Children's Home

During the past year Interfaith quilters individually and in groups made each resident at the Rocky Mountain States Children Home their own personal quilt.

IFQ members visited the Home on January 19, 2015 to distribute the quilts. The residents were so very happy to receive the quilts and we, the quilters, were also very happy when we saw all the smiles.

Many thanks to Susan Meale for coordinating this project.

Interfaith Quilters of Longmont 2015-2016 Schedule

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

2015

| March 9 | No quilting—Recoup from Sale Day | | |
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| March 16 | Annual Meeting 10:00 a.m. | | |
| April 6 | No quilting - Monday after Easter | | |
| May 25 | No quilting - Memorial Day | | |
| June 8 | No quilting – Bible Day Camp | | |
| Sept. 7 | No quilting - Labor Day | | |
| Dec. 21 | No quilting - Christmas Holiday | | |
| Dec. 28 | No quilting - New Year's Eve | | |
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| Jan. 25 | Last day to turn in quilts for the sale | |
| Feb. 5 | Pricing 9 a.m. | |
| Feb. 15 | No quilting - Presidents' Day | |
| March 3 | Quilt Frame set up | |
| March 4 | Set up for show and sale 8 a.m? | |
| March 4 | Preview Night 5-8 p.m. | |
| March 5 | Quilt Sale 10 a.m 4 p.m. | |
| March 7 | No quilting - Recoup from Sale Day | |
| March 14 | Annual Meeting 10:00 a.m. | |

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We are also on facebook.

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 Evangelical | B & J Storage, Owners |
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| Church | Ed and Maxine Bunker |
| The Longmont Daily Times- | Ahlberg Funeral Chapel |
| Call & the Boulder Daily | and Crematory |
| Camera | |
| Lisa Klink Severance, | K-GUD (90.7) Radio |
| IFQ Website Manager | Station—George Baskos |
| Muse Gallery | Jeananne Wright |
| Carroll Allen | Chuck Beehler |
| Dave Beehler | Steve Deubler |
| Dick Kounovsky | LeRoy Michael |
| Hal Powell | Bill Muehle |
| First Lutheran Ladies | St. Catherine's Circle |
| Annely Peterson | Nancy Dorth |
| Soley Martinez | Thomas Krasomil |
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Interfaith Quilters would like to thank all who have made donations to our worthy cause.

We also want to thank our families and friends for their encouragement and support.

Any most of all, we want to thank all of the quilt lovers who have purchased our quilts.