Why join a Quilt Guild?

Quilt guilds are rich with opportunity to learn from various teachers, go on fabric shopping bus trips and attend wonderful quilt shows. You can make some great friends who share your interest & passion. You can help others by participating in our Community Service Projects.

The members of the Colonial Quilters Guild have a rich history of Community Service. Twice a year, we have Community Sew Days where we get together as a group to work on items. It is so rewarding and fun to work together as a group to give to others.

We currently make

- Preemie quilts for the NICU Unit at St Luke's Hospital
- Comfort Quilts and Pillowcases for the children at Lehigh Valley Hospital
- Mastectomy Bags and Pillows for women with breast cancer
- Walker Bags for local nursing homes

Please consider joining us, we would love to have you as part of our group.



Membership

Purpose:

Colonial Quilter's Guild (CQG) was formed in 1983 with the purpose of providing good fellowship among quilters, of furthering the appreciation of quilting through education and training on an informal basis, and of serving the community by sponsoring worthy causes.

Dues: \$25 per year

Guest fee: \$3; guests may attend 2 meetings per year

Membership requirements:

- attend a minimum of 4 meetings per year
- donate items for community service
- work at least 4 hours for the quilt show (held every other year)
- provide refreshments and help with hospitality, as needed

Membership is capped at 136 members

COLONIAL QUILTERS GUILD

Bethlehem, PA

Contact us at colonial quilters.org



Meeting Information

Location:

Holy Cross Evangelical Church

2700 Jacksonville Rd Bethlehem, PA

General Guild meetings: 2nd Tuesday of each month (Sept – June)

- 6:15 pm Doors open for fellowship
- 7:00 pm Meeting starts

Programs at meetings include speakers & activities

Workshops – Scheduled throughout the year



2019-2020 Meeting Dates

<u>2019:</u>

September 10 – Kevin the Quilter

October 8

November 12

December 10

2020:

January 14

February 11

March 10

April 14

May 12

June 9

July 14 – no meeting, open sew

August 11 - no meeting, open sew

Membership Activities

Community Service – Members make items for donations to local hospitals & nursing homes

Workshops – Workshops are given by local or nationally-known presenters

Library – Over 200 Quilt related books available for members to borrow

Monthly Newsletter – Emailed to members with meeting information & updates

Show & Tell – Members show & tell with others about recently completed projects

Fat Quarter Raffle – Members bring in Fat Quarters for a chance to win the bucket of fabric

Bus Trips – Fabric shopping into the Lancaster area & Hershey quilt show

Bi-yearly quilt show – Quilt show held to showcase members' quilts & quilt vendors

Facebook – Closed group to share quilt related pictures & posts