Camp Mission Meadows is owned by the Great Lakes Conference of the Evangelical Covenant Church. Smoking is not permitted in any buildings, and alcohol is not permitted on the camp grounds. In muddy weather, please do not drive on the grass except in designated parking areas.



The temperatures are starting to cool; the children are getting ready to go back to school and that means one thing... it's time to go quilting at Camp Mission Meadows! Has it been since the spring retreat since you have had a block of uninterrupted time to sew? If so, come escape from your everyday life and join us.

The "Jamestown" Quilt Retreat will take place during one weekend – October 30^{th} – November 3^{rd} . You can come on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday and stay the whole weekend. Commuters are welcome!

Conveniently located on the east side of Chautauqua Lake, New York, in an area well known for its relaxing beauty, Camp Mission Meadows offers a peaceful environment in which to relax, rejuvenate, and hone your sewing skills.

Joanne Adams will offer friendly advice to help you along, give you some hints to make your quilt simpler to finish and encourage you in your efforts. It is the perfect place to spend quality time with your sewing machine and quilting friends. Bring a friend along.

Suitable for beginners or lifelong quilters, this quilt retreat is a time for you to enjoy sewing in a relaxed atmosphere, start a new project or catch up on those projects you have started and just haven't found time to complete.

After registering, all you need to do is select the projects you want to work on, **make sure your machine is in good working order**, gather your fabric, and pack your bags.



At the 2012 Fall retreat we started a new tradition and would like to ask you to join in with us as we continue **Making a Difference.**

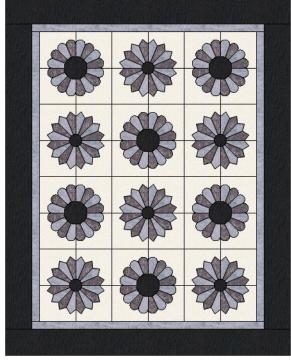
Many of us have been affected with a loved one (or even our self) who has been diagnosed with some form of cancer.

Please help us by creating a **DISAPPEARING NINE PATCH** block or two following a demo during the weekend. When the blocks are completed, we will add our blocks with the blocks created by the Ohio Mission Meadows quilt retreat, get the tops sewn together and quilted and donate them to a cancer center in the NY/PA/OH area.

Since Fall of 2012, we have made and shared 5 lap quilts. We will need volunteers to piece the tops together, put the borders on, get them machine quilted, and then get them bound and labeled.

We will provide you with the black center square. For each block you are willing to make, please bring the following:

four LIGHT 5" squares and four DARK 5" squares.



pattern.

The outer edge of the circle can be smooth (rounded) or pointed and sometimes both have been used in the same block.

Yardage is not available at this time, but you can start gathering materials for the "petals" and bring larger pieces/yardage for the background squares and you will be well on your way to making this traditional block.





Megen's Quilt Parlor from Albion, PA, will be our fall vendor. Megen Wierzbicki has had her shop for 18 years and has been quilting for over 30 years. She will have a wide variety of quilting items available for you to purchase throughout the weekend. If you would like to see if Megen can bring something specific, please call her at (814) 756-5062.

Dresden Plate

Joanne Adams has been planning the featured pattern while she has been recuperating this summer and has picked **the Dresden Plate**. There are a variety of ways to make this pattern and Joanne will demonstrate a few of the techniques so you can decide for yourself the best one for you.

The Dresden Plate quilt was one of the most popular quilts made during the 1920s and 30s. It's also been called Grandmother's Sunburst, Friendship Ring, Aster, Dahlia and Sunflower.

The quilt is made of blocks with fabric appliqued in a series of radiating "petals" with flat sides. Usually they radiate from a central circle which looks more like a flower than a plate – hence the flower names for the more details...



- Wednesday attendees your retreat will start at 10 am. All Wednesday meals are on your own. Meals included are 3 meals on Thursday, Friday and Saturday and brunch on Sunday.
- **Thursday attendees** your retreat will start at 10 am. Meals included start with lunch on Thursday to brunch on Sunday.
- **Friday attendees** your retreat will start at 10 am. Meals included start with lunch on Friday to brunch on Sunday.
- **COMMUTERS** want to sleep in the comfort of your own bed? Join us for a discounted rate if you are sleeping off site. Meals will be the same as above.
- See registration form for costs.

Quilters may continue sewing through Sunday afternoon

- Sleeping accommodations are bunk beds in a heated dorm (showers and bathrooms located in the same building).
- Linens are not provided so bring your own bedding and towels.
- Licensed massage therapists will be available on Friday and Saturday if you want to schedule a session to ease your sore muscles. Massages are \$15 per 15 minute increments.

Fall 2013 Jamestown Registration Form: circle which part of the retreat you are attending: (minimum age is 16) Staying at

	Mission Meadows	Commuting
Wednesday Early Bird (starts Wed. 10 am, lodging and 10 meals starting with Thursday breakfast))	\$200	\$150
Thursday Early Bird (starts Thurs. 10 am, lodging & 9 meals starting with Thursday lunch)	\$170	\$125
Friday (starts Friday at 10 am, lodging and 6 meals starting with Friday lunch)	\$125	\$ 95

Name		Total Enclosed:
Address:		
Phone:	Email:	

Emergency Contact Name:

Their phone #:

I have the following food allergies or special needs:

To Register, send your check for the full amount, payable to **Camp Mission Meadows -** mail to: Camp Mission Meadows 5201 East Lake Rd, Rt. 430 Dewittville, NY 14728-0042 For guestions, call (716) 386-5932.

If you cancel before October 11, we will refund all but \$25. No refunds after October 11, but you may find someone to take your place. We will confirm your registration via email. Or, feel free to call us to confirm registration.

Don't forget to bring...

- **Sewing machine** in good, working order w/ cord, needles, bobbins, foot pedal etc.
- Task light to help you out when it gets late at night!
- Rulers, rotary cutter, cutting mat
- Fabric of course
- **Spare iron** some are provided. (**Please**, no irons at your tables due to how much wattage an iron uses and tends to blows out fuses)
- Comfy sewing chair to help you sew all night long
- Four 5" **LIGHT** squares & four 5" **DARK** squares for the **MAKE A DIFFERENCE BLOCK**
- **\$** for Wednesday meals, fabric and massages
- **TREATS** for the snack table to be shared
- Coffee/Travel Mug to use during the weekend
- Flashlight for walking to dorm at night
- **Camera** and any past quilt retreat photos
- **Clothes** (bring layers in case **YOU** get too warm or cold—most important is for you to feel comfortable when sewing. In the afternoon, the rooms we sew in often get warm)
- Flip flops for shower stall
- Slippers or a small rug for by your bed
- **Bedding** (sleeping bag, OR twin sheets and quilt for single size bunk bed)
- **Pillow** (it will make you feel like you are at home!)
- Towels, soap, shampoo, toothpaste etc. (don't forget to bring any samples you collected in your travels so we can share with others)

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