

# Mission Meadows Quilt Retreats

October 8 - 14 and 15 - 21, 2018

There is a change in the air - can you tell?

We have some changes being offered at Camp Mission Meadows for the fall quilt retreats. This fall we are only having 2 retreats instead of the normal 3.

To accommodate all of us who **need** to sew 24/7, the retreats have been reformatted and will start on **MONDAY** and end on the following Sunday. We hope this will help you tailor the time to fit your needs.

Another change this year is that we have added the opportunity to go back to sewing upstairs so that if someone is having a problem using the stairs, you won't have to go up and down, and can sew on the first floor. We are also able to have some quilters stay in a couple of the dorm rooms over on the chapel side, so that again, if stairs are a problem, the dorms will work out better. This will now allow us to have more quilters join us during the week!

Each week has a different project and teacher: **Week 1** is with **Holly Dillaway** and is **Monday October 8 - Sunday October 14**. **Week 2** is with **Joanne Adams** and **Monday October 15 - Sunday October 21**.

Meals will begin on **THURSDAY**. Two microwave are available for you to use prior to Thursday, or you can go out with friends to the local eating places that are near to camp. (We can not use the stove or oven at camp)

Both retreats are suitable for beginners, or lifelong quilters, and is a great time to spend time with other quilters. Pull out a project that has been hanging around for a while, or start something fresh. You will find the other quilters in the room more than willing to share their expertise, and often their supplies to help you. And think about introducing a friend to quilting - a gift for their lifetime!

We now have access to an **INDOOR SWIMMING POOL and HOT TUB** at camp. We will coordinate times for open swim for us to use the pool and hot tub. Don't forget your suit and a towel and plan to relax.

Holly will send you your table location and sleeping assignments so that when you arrive at camp, you will know where to unload for sewing and sleeping. Please park on the paved areas in case the ground is soft due to weather changes....

Select your projects, **make sure your machine is**

**in good working order**, start gathering your fabric and let the retreat begin.

## RETREAT DETAILS

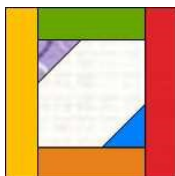
- Sponsored by: First Covenant Church of Ashtabula, OH
- **Week 1** Monday October 8-Sunday October 14
- **Week 2** Monday October 15-Sunday October 21
- **COMMUTER option:** for those of you who are not staying in the dorms
- **MONDAY option (doors open at NOON)**  
*(Meals will start on THURSDAY - you can plan to go out for the other meals, or opt to share a meal with your friends at camp.)*
- **TUESDAY option (doors open at 10 am)**  
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- **WEDNESDAY option (doors open at 10 am)**  
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- **THURSDAY option (doors open at 10 am)**  
*Your first meal is THURSDAY LUNCH*
- **FRIDAY option (doors open at 10 am)**  
*Your first meal is FRIDAY LUNCH.*
- Sleeping quarters consist of bunk beds in heated **CABINS** on the kitchen side of camp or heated **DORMS** on the chapel side of camp. There are two to eight steps to climb to get into the cabins. There may be one step to climb to get in the dorms.
- Licensed **MASSAGE THERAPISTS** will be available on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Sign up is on a first come, first served basis. Chair and table massages are \$15 in 15 minute increments. Payment will be made directly to each massage therapist.
- Sewing workspace will be grouped together in clusters. Please specify on registration form who you would like to sit with, upstairs or down, and if you want to be near an open window, or away from window. I will do my best to keep your group in a favorite area

## QUILT PARLOR

Though she had to close her store this past spring, Megen Anderson from **MEGEN'S QUILT PARLOR** in Albion, PA has agreed to be our quilt store vendor for both weeks, offering us discounts on what she brings. Please remember that you will need **cash or check** as Megen no longer can accept debit or credit cards.

## NAME TAGS

Once your registration is received, you will be sent the paper pieced pattern for the name tag on the right. It should be easy for all skill levels. If you want someone to make your name tag for a small donation to camp, let us know!



## MAKE A DIFFERENCE BLOCKS



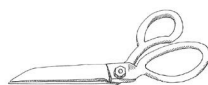
Many of us have been effected personally by cancer, either for ourselves, or our loved ones. Over the years, we have gifted now over **43 lap quilts** to loved ones or cancer centers in the NY/PA/OH area with blocks

made during the retreats.

Each year we are thankful for our talented machine quilters who take the tops home and get them quilted and ready to share.

Help us continue making these quilts to donate to those going through cancer. We will provide the foundation **SQUARE** and ask that you bring **LIGHT and DARK** strips 1 1/2" x 13" long (you will need about 13 to 15 light AND 13 to 15 dark strips for each block).

## SCISSOR SHARPENING



Are your sewing scissors getting dull???

**Lars Larson** of Jamestown, NY has offered to spend an afternoon sharpening your scissors for a small fee (\$3 per pair). NO pinking scissors please.

Lars is also able to help with a quick fix of your sewing machine if you are having issues during the weekend. He isn't able to "service" the machines as this takes a long time. Lars has many years of experience repairing sewing machines and is currently working at Yapple's Vacuum & Sewing Center in Erie.

## THINGS TO BRING

- **Sewing Machine** in good working order filled with bobbins, needles, a spare bulb, owner's manual **AND** the power cord!
- **Rotary cutter** (Band-Aids), **mat** and **rulers**
- **Lots of FABRIC** (you never can have enough)
- **Make a Difference** strips
- **Nametag**



## OPTIONAL THINGS

- **Iron** to share (**Please**, no irons at your tables due to how much wattage an iron uses and tends to blows out fuses)
- Extra **sewing task lamp**
- Extra **Power Strip**
- **Sewing chair** (on wheels and adjustable height will make your time more enjoyable and comfy)
- \$ for massages, buying fabric etc.
- **Camera** for show and tell (and blackmail)
- **Snacks** for the snack table for the weekend!
- **Something to drink** (there is a frig in the next room and a pop machine located outside sewing room. Coffee, tea and cocoa will be provided.)
- **Coffee Mug/Travel Mug** to use during the weekend



## PERSONAL THINGS

- **Clothes** (bring layers in case **YOU** get too warm or cold—most important is for you to feel comfortable when you are 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**
- **Towels & toiletries.** (we'll have some travel size items in case you forget something)
- **Flashlight** (helpful when walking over to the dorm in the middle of the night)
- **Bathing suit and towel** if planning on swimming
- **Night light**
- **Enthusiasm, sense of humor and lots of understanding**



# Week 1

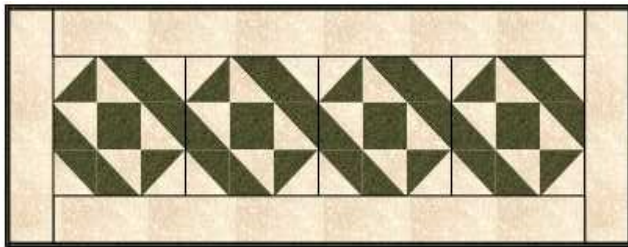
October 8 - 14, 2018  
with Holly Dillaway

## TABLE RUNNERS

Is it time to update your table runners, or make some new gifts for your loved ones? This year why not make a new table runner to use during the holidays? Holly will share with you 2 easy runners for you to make in time to use for the holiday's or wrap them up and put them under the tree for your family.

Each table runner has only a few blocks, and will not take up a lot of your time putting it together.

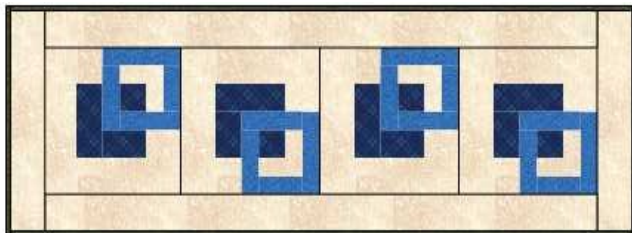
Candy Wrapper uses only 2 fabrics. Floating



**"Candy Wrapper"**  
15" x 42"

Fabric:

Background/Borders	3/4 yd
Squares and binding	3/4 yd



**"Floating Squares"**  
12" x 36"

Fabric:

Background/Borders	1/2 yd
Top Floating squares	1/4 yd
Back squares	1/4 yd
Binding	1/3 yd

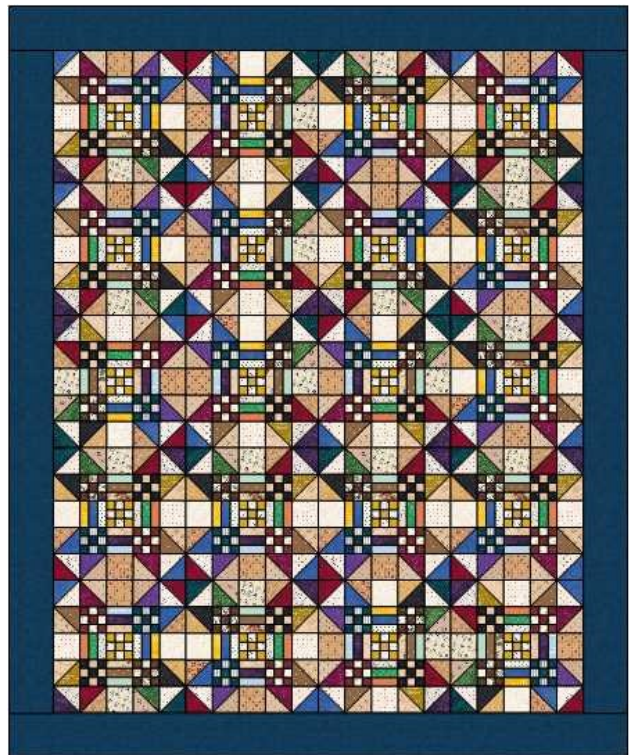
# Week 2

October 15 - 21, 2018  
with Joanne Adams

Squares uses two colors and a background.

Joanne has two fun quilts for you to journey with her through the process of making. The first quilt has been called many things, but according to the Block Base Book of quilt blocks, the pattern name is actually NEW MEXICO.

This is a great scrap quilt. If you have lots of different fabrics for both the backgrounds and the colors, bring them with you so you can make this as



scrappy as you want.

## **"New Mexico"**

blocks 15" finished

78" x 93" including 9" borders on all sides

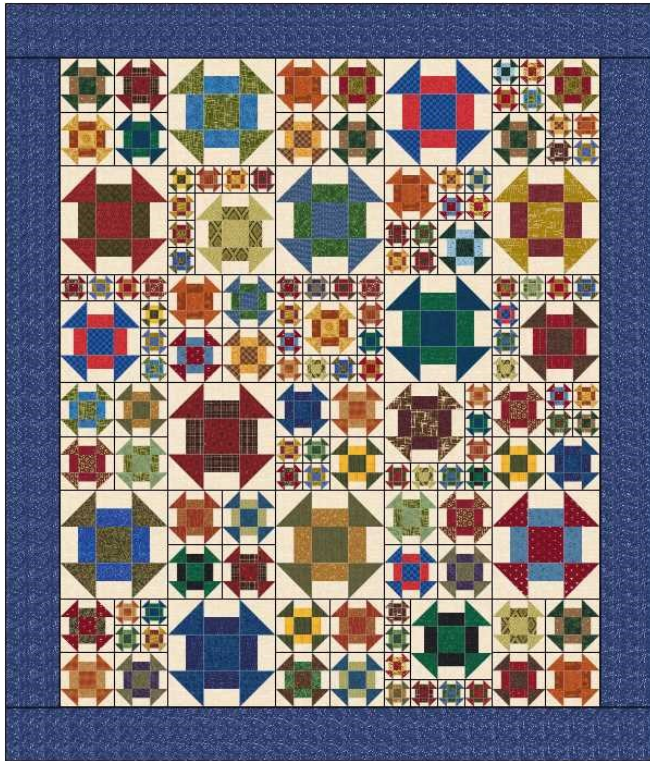
Fabric:

Variety of Backgrounds	3 yds
Variety of Colors	3 yds
Border #1 (finished 3")	1 yd
Border #2 (finished 6")	2 yds
Binding	3/4 yd



# Week 2 continued

October 15 - 21, 2018  
with Joanne Adams



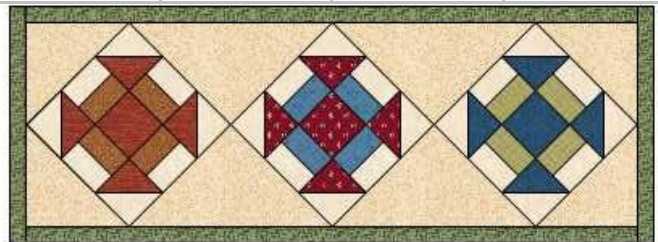
**"Churn Dash of Many Sizes"**

(As I type this flyer, I am starting to be jealous of what Joanne has picked for you... I have run out of time to make anything large with lots of pieces, so I chose to make the table runners.... I might need to comb through my scraps and go on the journey! Holly)

This quilt is the "journey". Joanne is going to give you instructions to make five different size Churn Dashes that you can combine in many ways. Blocks will finish at 3", 6", 9", 12" and 15" (I didn't know about the 15" when I put the above top together.... Joanne will give you ways to fit the blocks together.)

You will need a variety of scraps and colors. Hopefully the following chart will be helpful in grabbing any strips you have already precut:

Block size finished	Backgrounds	Corner Triangles (Colors)	Rails (Colors)
3"	1" strips 2" squares	2" squares	1" strips
6"	1 1/2" strips 3" squares	3" squares	1 1/2" strips
9"	2" strips 4" squares	4" squares	2" strips
12"	2 1/2" strips 5" squares	5" squares	2 1/2" strips
15"	3" strips 6" squares	6" squares	3" strips



**"Churn Dash Table Runner"**

16" x 42" (using 9" blocks)

Additional fabric for side triangles & corners  
Border and binding

1/2 yd  
1/2 yd

*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.*

## Camp Mission Meadows

5201 East Lake Road, Rt. 430  
Dewittville, NY 14728-0042  
Camp (716) 386-5932

**Holly's cell (440) 812-5409**

*The Quilt Retreat's mission is to build community among all of our participants. You'll find a warm, welcoming crowd whether you're new to the group or a seasoned veteran. "If you're not smiling when you get here, we hope to change that before you go home."*

# RESERVATION INSTRUCTIONS

**Please read carefully.**

1. Completed reservations are processed in the order they are received. A complete reservation includes:
  - **Non-refundable deposit of \$25.** Your space will not be saved without payment of your deposit. (Yes, you can pay in full)
  - **Balance is Due September 24, 2018**
  - Completed registration form and **Camp Mission Meadows Participant Agreement**
2. Please list your preferences for BOTH sewing & sleeping area.
3. Every effort will be made to assure that your time at the retreat will be a delight and that you will leave rested, refreshed, renewed and ready. I will work to seat/house you near those you request to the best of my ability.

## 2018 Quilt Retreat Registration Form

Select what weekend and day you are coming	Staying at Mission Meadows	Commuting	1st Weekend Oct. 8 - 14	2nd Weekend Oct. 15 - 21
<b>Monday</b> (starts Mon. noon, lodging and 10 meals starting with Thursday breakfast)	___ <b>\$275</b>	___ <b>\$180</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> (starts Tues. 10 am, lodging and 10 meals starting with Thursday breakfast)	___ <b>\$250</b>	___ <b>\$169</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> (starts Wed, 10 am, lodging and 10 meals starting with Thursday breakfast)	___ <b>\$225</b>	___ <b>\$157</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>Thursday</b> (starts Thurs, 10 am, lodging and 9 meals starting with Thursday lunch)	___ <b>\$185</b>	___ <b>\$134</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>YES</b>
<b>Friday</b> (starts Friday at 10 am, lodging and 6 meals starting with Friday lunch)	___ <b>\$140</b>	___ <b>\$104</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>YES</b>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
(minimum age is 16)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Their Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

List food allergies or special food needs: (\*if your diet is restrictive, please bring food to supplement your meals. We can't accommodate ALL food restrictions.)

**MY SEWING TABLE PREFERENCES:**

- Upstairs
- Near Window (cooler)
- Away from Window (warmer)

Cabins (kitchen side)  Dorms (chapel side)

**MY HOUSING PREFERENCE for ROOMMATES:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Table mates: \_\_\_\_\_

To register, please send your check or money order payable to **COVENANT WOMEN** (full amount or \$25 deposit - balance due Sept 22nd ) **AND Camp Mission Meadows Participant Agreement** and mail to:

Holly Dillaway  
 1814 W 4th St  
 Ashtabula, OH 44004  
 Cell: (440) 812-5409  
 Email: dillaway@windstream.net



**Camp Mission Meadows**  
**Participant Agreement - Signature Required**

**Print Your Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Retreat/Event attending:**    **2018 Fall Quilt Retreat**

I acknowledge that participation in the event described above (the "Event"), may involve risk to the Participant, and may result in various types of injury including, but not limited to, the following: sickness, bodily injury, death, emotional injury, personal injury, property damage, and financial damage.

In consideration for the opportunity to participate in the Event, the Participant acknowledges and accepts the risks of injury associated with participation in and transportation to and from the Event.

The Participant accepts personal financial responsibility for any injury or other loss sustained during the Event or during transportation to and from the Event, as well as for any medical treatment rendered to the Participant that is authorized by Camp Mission Meadows or its agents, employees, volunteers, or any other representatives.

Further, the Participant releases and promises to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Camp Mission Meadows or its agents, employees, volunteers, or any other representatives for any injury arising directly or indirectly out of the described Event or transportation to and from the Event, whether such injury arises out of the negligence of Camp Mission Meadows, the Participant, or otherwise.

The Participant gives consent to Camp Mission Meadows to photograph and record images and sound prints to be used in promotional materials.

The Participant agrees to comply with camp rules and procedures and understands that failure to comply may result in the Participant being dismissed from the Activity without refund and agrees that transportation from the Event will be the responsibility of the Participant.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**PLEASE MAIL THIS BACK IN WITH YOUR REGISTRATION**