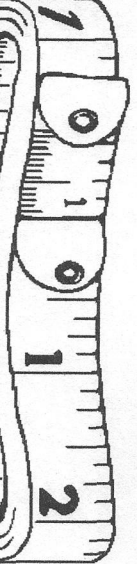




The Hearts and Hands Quilt Guild was formed in 1995 by a group of women who came together because of their love of quilting. Their goal was to meet with other quilters or people who would like to become quilters and further their skills and techniques.

Our meetings are the second Thursday of each month and start at 7:00 pm. We meet in the social room of Saint Paul's Lutheran Church at 600 Mulberry Street in Scottsdale.

We have members of all ages and skill levels. We welcome guests to join us for two meetings before deciding to become a member. New memberships are accepted at any regular meeting or by mail. Annual dues are \$10.00 and all memberships expire each June. We pro-rate memberships.



Our meetings include a short business meeting that contains information about quilt shows, quilt activities and other quilt related announcements.

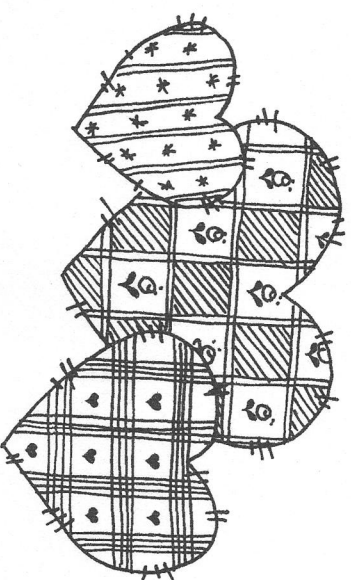
After the business meeting we have a time of sharing. Members have an opportunity to share their completed projects or to ask for help on a problem they have encountered.

Following this portion of the evening we have a program that could include a speaker or hands on project. Fun programs have included Christmas in July and a Mobile Elephant Sale where members can donate any unwanted quilt related items and see them find a new home.

As a guild we have taken several bus day trips. These have included a day of shopping at fabric and quilt shops in Ohio and to the Quilt Odyssey Show at Hershey.

We have several service projects that we work on individually and at times communally. We provide baby quilts to be included in layettes that a local pregnancy crisis center distributes to

A recent service project is "Hearts and Hands Across Western Pennsylvania." This project makes Civil War Sanitary Commission reproduction quilts to be given to area families of fallen soldiers and to wounded soldiers from the Iraq and Afghanistan War.



We invite you to join the Hearts and Hands Quilt Guild. You will meet others who share your love of quilting and encourage the next generation of quilters. You will learn new techniques and skills. You will be encouraged and come away from the meeting with new ideas and enthusiasm for your projects.