



Quilting Retreat: November 4-6, 2016

A partnership with MCC Great Lakes

Come to the peaceful woods and quilt!

Do you make quilts for MCC Relief Sale auctions?

Come to be supported in your work, and share with like-minded quilters!

Do you want to learn the basics or new techniques of quilting?

Come learn from fellow quilters and our resource person, Carol Honderich.

Do you want space, time, and peaceful surroundings to work on your own projects?

Come enjoy our beautiful camp, delicious meals, and friendly fellowship!

About the Retreat

Take the time to gather with quilters who share your passion and interest, learning and quilting together.

- You will have the opportunity to share with other MCC quilt makers.



Cost: \$130

Provided:

- 2 nights in camp lodging
- 5 meals
- 6 foot by 18 inch table with electric access
- Sunday morning worship
- Watercolor Quilt workshop

- You will be invited to join in with a group project that includes both simple hand or machine piecing, and also applique. If you want to learn any of these techniques, those lessons will be available.
- Come with your ideas and projects to work on, or come empty-handed and let us help you get started.
- Experienced or wanting to learn, wherever you are in your quilting experience, we've got ways you can learn and help.

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For more information call 269-476-9744 or email program@friedenswald.org

Retreat Schedule

Friday

6:00 Check-in
8:00 Welcome
9:00 Workshop/work time

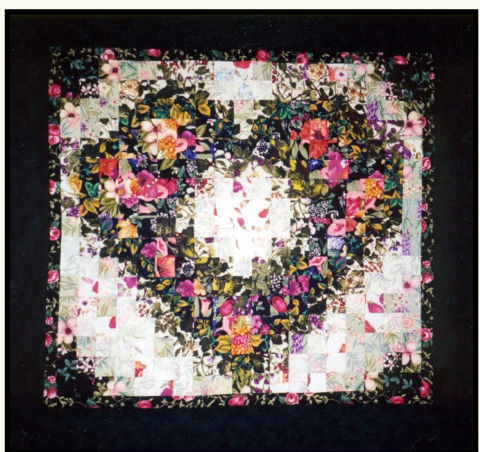
Saturday

8:30 Breakfast
9:30 Workshop/work time
12:30 Lunch
2:00 Workshop/work time
5:30 Supper
7:00 Workshop/work time

Sunday

9:00 Worship
11:00 Brunch

Learn to make your own Watercolor Wall Hanging



Watercolor Quilts are designed using 2" squares of colorful fabrics to create an impressionist design. The fabric squares are placed on a large flannel grid design wall where the fabric "sticks" as the design is created. It is like putting together a puzzle, finding just the right piece of fabric to bridge the neighboring squares and to create a larger design.

For our project we will have fabric kits available: 2" square precut squares in a variety of fabrics that are nicely matched to take the difficulty out of creating a lovely watercolor design.

This project is appropriate for beginning quilters or more experienced quilters. You will learn how to create a beautiful wall hanging with the help of a charted design. Three different charts are available: A wreath, a heart and a basket. By combining the chart and the various seasonal fabric kits you can create a Christmas wreath or heart, a summer wreath, a basket of spring flowers or a basket of autumn leaves -- or create your own design without the use of the chart.

Fabric kits for this project will be available in several different seasonal colorways: Springtime Flowers, Warm Summer, Autumn Leaves, and Christmas. In addition to the pre-cut squares in the fabric kit, you will also have access to an additional large collect of squares to supplement your kit. The cost of the pattern/kit is \$25.00, free of charge if quilt will be donated to MCC Relief Sale Auction.

Meet our Resource Person: Carol Honderich

Carol Honderich has been a quilter since she learned at her mother's quilt frame. Carol has combined, and brought to the retreats and classes she leads, a passion for quilting, a love for the Bible, and a gift of story-telling and teaching. In her classes Carol enjoys teaching beginners, challenging more experienced quilters, and working in an open sharing environment. Carol's teaching experiences have taken her from coast to coast and as far internationally as Mongolia. Her quilts have been exhibited in local and national exhibitions. Learn more at Carol's website, www.PatternsOfFaith.com.

