



# Quilters Guild of Greater Kansas City

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## Mark Your Calendar!



**May 1, 35<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary**  
at Savior Pastoral  
Center -

12601 Parallel Parkway,  
Kansas City, Kansas 66109

### May

May 1 Celebration meeting

No regular guild meeting on May 11

### June 8

Annual Meeting & Garage Sale

### July 13

Candy Hargrove-Trunk Show &  
Sewing Pillow Cases

### August 10

Bonnie Hunter

### August 11

Bonnie Hunter Workshop

### September 12

Ways & Means

### November 9

Donna Lynn Thomas/Workshop

### December 14

Carol Box Storyteller

Guild meetings are held each month on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday. We gather for coffee and conversation at 9 a.m. with business meeting and program at 10 am.

**First Lutheran Church**  
6400 State Line Road  
Mission Hills, Kansas  
66208

## Happy Mother's Day!

**Reminder:** There will be no May Meeting  
Because we are having our  
35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Program Saturday May 1<sup>st</sup>.



Once again it is time for a new board. The following are the **2010-2011 Slate of Officers**

**President - Sara Rathjen**

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President - Candy Hargrove**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President - Mindy Roeske**

**Recording Secretary - Carol Crouse**

**Corresponding Secretary - Karlene Cooper**

**Treasurer - Janie Wagner**

**Membership - Jan Jarchow**

**Member-at-Large - Gwen Wheeler**

**Past President - Donna Bogue**

We will be voting at the June meeting. There will also be discussion about a small increase in dues and changes in the current policy for guests/visitors attending our meetings.



This year's **Opportunity Quilt** was won by Kathi LaFrance from Colorado. Donna Bogue has donated a wonderful "original pattern" quilt top for the 2011 Opportunity Quilt.

**2011 Quilt Retreat News!!!!** Next year's quilt retreat will begin on Thursday, the third week in February 2011 and continue until Sunday

**Minutes** of the meetings & the **Treasurer's Report** are always posted on the bulletin board at the regular monthly meetings. **Reminder** - If on the day of our regularly scheduled meeting, KC public schools are closed due to inclement weather, **our guild meeting is automatically cancelled.....**



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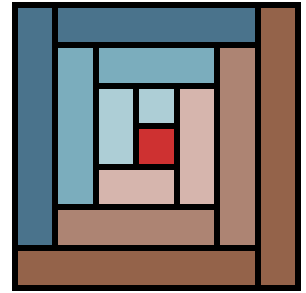
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## President's Letter

It has certainly been a welcome treat to finally have some nice weather. The beauty of Spring always brings encouragement and appreciation of the colors of nature. As quilters, I think we are much more aware of color and the beauty it can bring into our lives. Nature certainly brings us inspiration.



Our 35th Anniversary Celebration is here and what a great time it was at the April meeting to have some of the past presidents share about their experiences with the Guild and to enjoy a meal together with them. I am really looking forward to having Roberta and Mary as our guests for the Birthday Celebration. A big THANK YOU to Nancy Wakefield and her Anniversary Committee for all of their hard work in preparing for this special event. I hope that you are planning to attend at least one of the events. It is not too late to let Nancy know that you would like to come to the event on Saturday, May 1. You can also check with her about space in the classes.

Please find in the Newsletter the proposed budget and the slate of officers for next year. You will notice that in the budget there is a provision for a Ways and Means sale. Because we will not have income from the quilt show in the next budget the committee proposed to have an income producing boutique sale in the fall with members contributing items like small quilts and things that are normally produced for the boutique and sell them at one of the fall meetings. There is also an increase in the dues for next year from \$20 to \$25. The slate of officers and the budget will be voted on at the next meeting which will be on June 8. If you have questions or comments, please call or send me a message.

Hope to see you at the May 1 event and share together in celebrating our 35th Anniversary.

"If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other."--Mother Teresa

*Donna*

(the following is from the winner of the Opportunity Quilt - Kathi LaFrance from Colorado.)

"I am so honored to be the person that won a one of a kind quilt design for your guilds 35th anniversary.

Your guilds beautiful quilt arrived a few minutes ago!

OH MY! What a beautiful quilt! You can feel/see the love that went into making this beautiful quilt! The applique is stunning and the stars..Oh My gosh! They are perfect! The long arm quilting shows off the quilt! All the time and effort that went into making this quilt shows! One very beautiful quilt!

My husband's first comment when he saw the quilt was..."That is my quilt...so, you won it..I claim it!"

I know that quilts are made to be used and loved, but this quilt will hang in my sewing/quilting room! It will be an inspiration for me...something to push me to make a quilt this exquisite. I have only been quilting for 3 years...so, i have a ways to go to get to this level...your quilt will encourage me!

I was sorry to hear that you will not have a quilt show this year! I had planned to drive my daughter to Lawrence to see her grandma...and make a side trip to see your show! I will add my name to your newsletter mailing list and I will watch and see if you find another venue for your shows!

Thank you again,

Kathi LaFrance"



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Machine Quilters Showcase** May 12 - 15, 2010 Overland Park Convention Center Overland Park, Kansas

1-800-980-9505 [www.imqa.org](http://www.imqa.org) [MQS-show@IMQA.org](mailto:MQS-show@IMQA.org) *Classes begin May 10<sup>th</sup>.*

**Omaha Quilters' Guild 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Quilt Show** June 18<sup>th</sup> (9AM-8PM) June 19<sup>th</sup> (9AM-4PM) June 20<sup>th</sup> (10AM-2PM)

LaVista Conference Center 12520 Westport Pkwy., LaVista, NE (Intersection of I-80 & Giles Road @exit 442) For

additional information [www.omahaquiltersguild.org](http://www.omahaquiltersguild.org)

**2010 Ellis County Quilt Show**, sponsored by the Creative Quilters Guild of Ellis County, Texas, USA. Here is the link to their website: [www.elliscountyquilters.com](http://www.elliscountyquilters.com) July 16-17, 2010

**Primitives of the Midwest** July 28<sup>th</sup> - July 31<sup>st</sup> Sponsored by Quilter's Station - Three days of classes and activities. Get details and registration information at [www.quiltersstation.com](http://www.quiltersstation.com)

**Silver Threads & Golden Memories** 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Quilt Show Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> (10AM-5PM) Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> (Noon-5PM) The Woman's Club 5221 SW West Drive. Topeka, KS ½ mile S of I-70, exit 357A [www.KSCapitalquilters.com](http://www.KSCapitalquilters.com)

**2010 Quilting Celebration** - Ozark Piecemakers Quilt Guild - Springfield Expo Center 635 E.St.Louis St.

Springfield,MO Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> Thursday & Sat. (9AM-5PM) Friday (9AM-6PM) [www.ozarkpiecemakers.com](http://www.ozarkpiecemakers.com)

**Quilt Expressions 2010** Boonslick Trail Quilter's Guild November 6<sup>th</sup> (10AM-6PM) November 7<sup>th</sup> (10AM-4PM) Stoney Creek Inn 2601 S.Providence Rd., Columbia, MO (½ mile S of MU football stadium on west access rd. (old rte. K road)) <http://btqg.missouri.org>

[Check out our guild website to see pictures of some of our guild's past Presidents.](#)



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**Next Meeting  
June 8th.**