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The President's Message and Block of the Month
will return in September.

THINGS TO DO THIS SUMMER:

QUILT ODYSSEY

Hershey Lodge & Convention Center July 21 - 24.

Merchant's mall and exhibits are open Thursday - Saturday from 10-6, and on Sunday from 10-4.

For directions to the show go to <http://www.hersheylobby.com/> and click under "location & directions."

ROW BY ROW EXPERIENCE SHOP HOP

Go to <http://rowbyrowexperience.com/> to see a listing of all the participating shops in all 50 states, as well as in Canada.

Travel and collect free patterns from June 21 to September 6.

You have until October 31, 2016 to submit a quilt for a prize.

www.photobucket.com/albums/w517/FCQuilters

BUS TRIPS FOR 2016

From Sandy Lynch

Eternal Quilters is planning a bus trip to Quilt Odyssey, Hershey, PA on July 22, 2016. The bus will leave the **Arundel Christian Church**, 710 Aquahart Road, Glen Burnie, at promptly **8:30am** and return at **5:30pm**. The cost of the trip is **\$36** and includes the driver's tip and show entrance fee of \$10.00.

If you would like to sign up, please email Carolyn Jackson at carolmjackson15@gmail.com and then send a check, made out to "Eternal Quilters," along with your name and email address to:

Carolyn Jackson
521 Baylor Road
Glen Burnie, Maryland 21061

Faithful Circle's next trip will be Friday, September 16th to Oaks, PA for the Pennsylvania Quilt Extravaganza show. We need 43 people signed and paid by August 8th.

Our last trip of the year will be our annual shopping trip on Friday, October 14. We will go to Burkholder's Fabrics, Shady Maple Smorgasbord for lunch and then to the Kitchen Kettle area where there is Sauder's, Zooks, and the Country Store. You may sign up for any of the trips now. If you have any questions contact ELEANOR HOWE, SHERI THOMPSON or SANDY LYNCH.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH - NINE-PATCH BLUES

From Sharon Roton

Have you picked out your favorite nine-patch block yet? Nine-patches are one of the basic building blocks of quilting. The basis of these blocks are three rows of three units each. They can be even (all the units the same size) or uneven (some rows or columns wider than the others), and there are hundreds of patterns that can be described as nine-patches. Pick any 9-patch block, include the color blue in your block, make the finished size a multiple of three (3", 6", 9", or 12" finished). A winner will be drawn on Monday, September 12.

Janette Tarr won nine green and cream blocks in the June drawing.

QUILT SITES

From Linda Kerrick

Gotham Quilts (gothamquilts.com) has neat links to other sites on their sale emails. Scroll to the bottom of each flyer and there they are.

Also, Modern Quilts posted a series of links on ways to make triangles. Check out their tutorials at http://modernquilts.mqumag.com/good-links-for-hsts/?mc_cid=ee04c817ce&mc_eid=6eca52369f.

Disney Princess Quilt-Along begins soon at www.Fandominstitches.com.

KENNEL QUILTS

From Barbara Bennett

Info for the kennel quilts can be found at <http://www.quiltpatternmagazine.com/program/KennelQuilt/>

Mystery Challenge

From Janette Tarr

Two years ago I gave you a "Round Robin Challenge," and those that participated did an *awesome* job! The trouble is, I can't think of any way to make this year's challenge different and still match the fun of the previous challenge. I've talked to several members, and it was suggested we do a "Mystery Quilt" challenge.

So I searched and found a mystery quilt which I think has two advantages for our group: 1) it can be made in a number of sizes, and 2) it can be 'scrappy.'

I am giving the fabric requirements now so that everyone can think it over and check out their stashes during the summer. The first step will be in the September newsletter.

If you have any questions - let me know!

	Fabrics	Value	Notes
A	medium-large print	medium-dark	can fussy-cut if desired (4" area); only touches F
B	read as solid	dark	contrasts well with A (never touches C)
C	read as solid	dark	blends well with A (never touches B)
D	small print or blend	light - medium light	only touches B and C
E	small / medium print or blend	medium	touches background
F	small print or blend	medium	
G	background	light	

	Small	Lap	Twin	Large
Approx. Size	44" x 44"	44" x 68"	68" x 92"	92" x 92"
A	1/4 yd	1/4 yd	1/2 yd	5/8 yds
B	1/2 yd	3/4 yds	1 1/4 yds	1 1/2 yds
C	3/8 yds	5/8 yds	1 1/8 yds	1 1/2 yds
D	1/2 yds	5/8 yds	1 yd	1 3/8 yds
E	3/8 yds	5/8 yds	1 1/8 yds	1 3/4 yds
F	1/4 yd	1/4 yd	3/8 yds	3/8 yds
G	1 5/8 yds	2 1/4 yds	4 3/8 yds	5 5/8 yds

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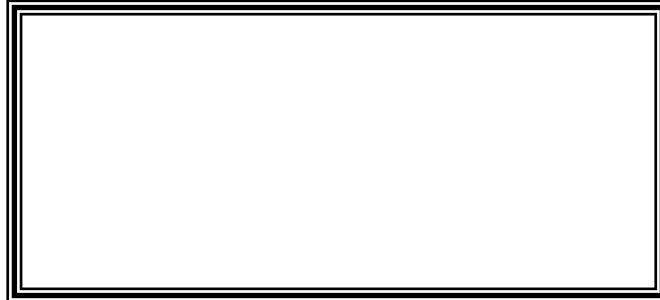
Faithful Circle Quilters
welcomes anyone
interested in quilts and
quilting.

We meet Monday evenings
from 7 to 9 pm
AND

Thursday mornings
from 10 am to 2 pm

At the
First Presbyterian
Church on
Rt. 108 at Rt. 29
Columbia, MD

Please come join us and
visit our web site at
www.faithfulcirclequilters.com



Betty Kilroy July Birthday Party

03 Dawn Stewart
06 Peg Gregory
06 Irma Bast
08 Judy Mummert
15 Patty Stenpeck
17 Caren Fitzpatrick
18 Peggy Duke
20 Nina Godfrey
31 Beck Hassell

CALENDAR

July 4 - No Meeting
July 7 - Love Quilts
July 11 - Vikki Pignatelli Lecture
July 16 - Vikki Pignatelli Workshop
July 18 - Love Quilts
July 25 - No Meeting
July 28 - No Meeting