

### 33<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL QUILT AUCTION • 2017 REPORT

They say it takes a village to raise a child, well, the same is true when putting together a successful quilt auction, year after year. I couldn't begin to figure out the number of quilting and volunteer hours put into this great event. Then there are the wonderful camp friends who join us for the two-days of festivities, bidding on the 83 silent auction items and 210 live auction items. The two-day event total was \$60,694.50, which includes \$8,320 raised for the fund-a-need project. This year's fund-a-need proceeds will purchase new round dining room tables and chairs for the Shores of St. Andrew Dining Hall.

We are very grateful for everyone who had a part in this year's event. It wouldn't have been the same without you! This year's grand total is the second highest in Quilt Auction history! Thank you!

#### AUCTION STATISTICS

This year, 210 items were sold at the live auction for \$43,750. Below is a recap of the price of the items.

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>		<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
\$1,000 plus	5	4	\$250-\$499	23	42
\$750-\$999	2	3	\$100-\$249	108	75
\$500-\$749	9	15	\$25-\$99	63	61

#### AUCTION TOTALS TO DATE

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>		<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Live Auction	\$43,750.00	\$44,125.00	Friday Supper	\$598.00	\$478.00
Fund-a-Need	\$8,320.00	\$8,900.00	Saturday Lunch	\$869.55	\$964.25
Silent Auction	\$2,827.00	\$2,063.00	Cash Gifts	\$2741.00	\$2,605.00
Quilt Review	\$659.00	\$673.00	Cash and Carry	\$271.00	\$42.00
Doughnuts	\$658.95	\$679.11			
			<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$60,694.50</b>	<b>\$60,529.36</b>

#### TOP SELLING QUILTS

"Hanging Gardens" received top billing when it sold for \$3,200. This quilt was made by the quilters of Salem Lutheran Church in Montevideo. "Batik with a Twist" by Kris Malmberg of Verona, WI, sold for \$2,500, and "God's Promise" was made by Linda Buchholz of Brooten. It sold for \$2,000.

#### VIEWER'S CHOICE AWARDS

**Best of Show:** "Batik with a Twist" by Kris Malmberg of Verona, WI

**Favorite Large Quilt:** "Autumn Kaleidoscope" by Hope Lutheran Church, Sunburg

**Favorite Small Quilt:** "Timber" by Jeanette Lecy of Spicer and Maureen Pierson of New London

**Favorite Name:** "Leona's Lutheran Leftovers" by Trinity Lutheran Women, St. Peter

**SAVE THE DATE:** Mark your calendar for July 28, 2018, for the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Quilt Auction.

August 17, 2017