

The Stitching Sisters

Stitching Sisters started in February, 2013, inspired by conversations at Kaleidoscope meetings. We have two purposes—to use our time and talents creating gifts to donate to worthy causes and to come together in friendship and fellowship while we work.

Every few months we change our project. This is some of what we've accomplished in the last two years:



20+ chemotherapy afghan blankets. Some blankets were given to CUMC members & friends; some remain in Pastor Tawny's office for the Congregational Care Ministry. 10 of the blankets were given to Pink Warriors – a local charity that gives blankets to anyone battling cancer.

250 hats. We sent 130 newborn hats to Grandview Hospital, and 120 larger hats to Head Huggers – a national charity that supplies hospitals, oncology offices and hospices.

200 Christmas tree mitten ornaments that were handed out at Breakfast with Santa.

20+ Prayer Shawls – Some prayer shawls were given to CUMC members & friends; some remain in Pastor Tawny's office for the Congregational Care Ministry.

Our new project as of January '15 benefits Seaman's Church Institute—Christmas at Sea which serves mariners through education, pastoral care and legal advocacy. Over 20,000 handmade gifts are provided to mariners during the holidays. The group meets on the 4th Thursday of every month from 10:00 am to Noon in the lounge. We also have a group email for those who are unable to come. Karen Fallows leads the team, so let her know if you want to be added to the contact list (215-822-6762 or kbfallows@comcast.net.)

We wish to thank all the people who knit or crochet at our meetings as well as those who work fat home. We also thank all of you who have quietly supplied us with yarn and financed some of our shipping costs. Please join us in praying for the recipients of our gifts!