



A memorial service was held for Susan Hawkins on Sunday, January 22, at 2:00 PM in the church at St. Paul's. A reception and celebration of Susan's life followed in the Parish Hall.

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Many of our faith community were fortunate to have known Susan Hawkins, long-time, devoted and much-loved member of St. Paul's. We knew of her generous giving of time and her many talents. How many of us knew that among her talents, she was a gifted needleworker?

About fifty years ago Susan decided to make a bedspread consisting of crocheted squares sewn together. She made a large number of squares before having to set this project aside. In 2011, Susan gave the squares to Prayer Stitchers with the request that we use them to make items to donate to the ASP Silent Auction. We were happy to make that commitment to her. The first item to be completed, a shawl consisting of squares that Susan sewed together, was donated to the 2012 auction in her honor and memory. Prayer Stitcher Janet Bowen submitted the

winning bid for the shawl.

More of Susan's crocheted squares will be used to make items for the 2013 auction. Prayer Stitchers is thankful for Susan's trust in our ministry and for this opportunity to honor her and celebrate her talent and generosity. Her gift is truly one which will continue.

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