

From Scraps to Showstoppers— Let's create new fabrics!



PVQA SCRAPPY WORKSHOP

Saturday, October 18, 2025

10:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Congregational Church of Soquel,
4951 Soquel Dr, Soquel, CA

Got crumbs, strips, or odd-shaped bits of fabric you've been saving "just in case"? This is that *case*!

Join us for a fun, hands-on day turning fabric leftovers into beautiful, useful, and gift-worthy treasures for family, friends, and the PVQA 2026 Quilt Show. You'll learn easy, creative techniques—and maybe discover that the scrappiest fabrics have the most personality!

We all have a scrap stash—why not share it with fellow PVQA members?

Let's help keep fabric out of the landfill by turning our scraps into holiday gifts, stocking stuffers, quilts, quilt show door prizes, and small quilts to be shown at our next quilt show or for the small quilt raffle!

Workshop Details

- **Fee:** \$0 – just come and spend a fun day making items & fabric with our scraps!
- **What to Bring:** Your personal collection of fabric scraps to share (see list of fabric scrap sizes below), orphan blocks, batting scraps (small to large), and a couple of fat quarters or ½ yard pieces (in case, you want to make a quilt (see Nicole's sample below) or you can make a small quilt for the QS :small quilt raffle"). To save time, you might want to press and sort (by color/ theme) your scraps—This way it will make it easier to select scraps you want to work with for your particular project. Sewing machine, rotary cutter, mat and anything else you think you will need.
- **Display of items you can make during this workshop.** We will display samples of things we can make, some patterns gathered from the internet, a list of items that guests liked as quilt show door prizes, AND, if you have items you have made and would like to share with others, please feel free to bring them.
- **Mini-Demos:** We've asked a couple of our members to share some of their unique items and to show us how to make them. If you have one, please let us know so we can add you to the list of mini-demos!
- **Quilt Books** – if you need information on making a certain quilt block, we'll bring some books to help you create those blocks.

- **Scrap Policy:** At the end of the workshop, please be willing to share what you brought that weren't used with others! That way we can go home with a variety of new scraps-- so we can keep creating—or share with friends.

Here are some examples of items you can make at this workshop to help reduce your scrappy stash! We do not guarantee that your scrap stash will be reduced—because now that you know what to do, you will be taking home those new fabric scraps and scraps other members' scraps (who chose not to take scraps back) to continue your quest to reduce our landfill



Kawandi Notebook Cover



Casserole Carrier



Hot Pads



Bottle Cap Pin Cushions



Chicken Pin Cushions



Scrappy quilt

More available links to other possible items will be provided on the supply list. If you have any suggestions, please send them to Nicole Pullman or Helen Klee.