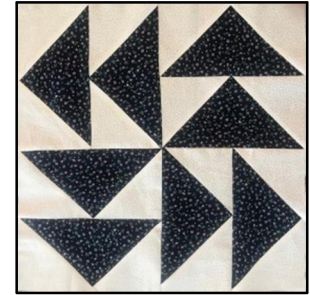# Pieced Block presented at the September 9th Meeting

(please bring completed blocks to the November 11th Meeting)

Pinwheel Flying Geese Block
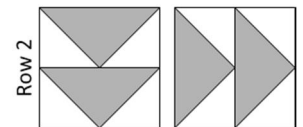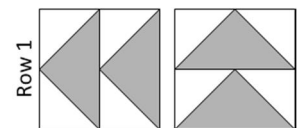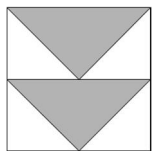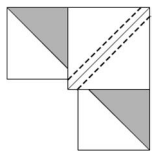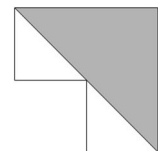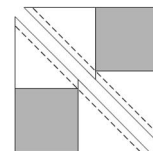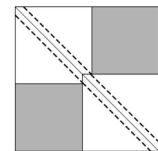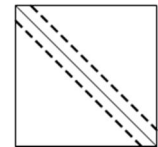

Fabric Requirements and Cutting:

1. ¼ yard White on White fabric: Cut 8 squares 3⅞" x 3⅞"
2. ¼ yard Dark Print fabric (Blue, Green or Purple): Cut 2 squares 7¼" x 7¼"

Piecing Instructions:

1. Draw a diagonal line (corner to corner) on the wrong side of each White 3⅞" x 3⅞" square (this line will later be used as a cutting line). Mark a <u>scant ¼"</u> seam line on each side of the cutting line as shown. ▶

2. Lay the 2 Dark Print 7¼" x 7¼" squares face up on your work surface and position two of the marked White 3⅞" x 3⅞" squares face down on opposite corners of each Dark Print as shown. ▶
   (Be sure to note the direction of the drawn lines.)

3. Sew along marked ¼" seam lines (scant ¼" from the cutting line) then cut apart along the marked cutting line and press seams towards the White fabric triangles as shown. ▶

4. Lay another marked White 3⅞" x 3⅞" square face down on each of the pieces from Step 3 above with the cutting line positioned as shown. ▶

5. Sew along the marked ¼" seam lines (scant ¼" from the cutting line) then cut apart along the marked line and press seams towards the White fabric again.
   Note: You should now have 8 individual Flying Geese units.

6. Sew the Step 5 units into pairs of two units to form a quarter block unit as shown. ▶

7. Lay the quarter block units into two rows as shown in the diagram on the right. ▶
   Note: The geese should be flying in a counter-clockwise pinwheel

8. Sew the quarter block units in each row together then sew the rows together to complete the block.

Note: Your completed block should now measure exactly 12½" x 12½".