

AMERICAN  
NEEDLEPOINT GUILD  
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

*Membership open to all stitchers,  
beginners to experienced*

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**Annual dues are \$55.**

**Make check  
payable to  
Gateway Chapter, ANG.**

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***Fee includes membership in both national  
and local organization.***

## WHAT IS NEEDLEPOINT?

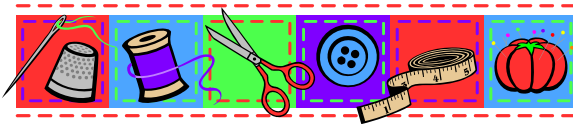
The American Needlepoint Guild (ANG) defines needlepoint as any counted or free stitchery worked by hand with a threaded needle on a readily countable ground.

## MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS ...

- Monthly Educational Programs
- Classes by nationally known teachers
- Special Lectures, Workshops, and Exhibitions
- Correspondence Courses
- Weekend retreats and stitch-ins
- 6 issues/year of *NeedleNotes*, the Gateway Chapter newsletter
- 6 issues/year of *Needle Pointers*, the official publication of ANG

## AND SO MUCH MORE ...

- Enjoy the camaraderie and support of fellow stitchers
- Improve your stitching skills
- Learn about color, design, and canvas customization
- Share tips and tricks with other stitching enthusiasts
- Keep up with the latest patterns, threads, tools, and techniques



# GATEWAY CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN NEEDLEPOINT GUILD



**A non-profit organization for  
educational and cultural  
development through  
participation in and  
encouragement of interest in  
the art of needlepoint**

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## 2007-2008 Monthly Programs

This year our programs are designed to expand on your creativity through design, stitches, finishing, and sharing ideas. Join us as we mentor one another!

### September 2007 Show and Tell

Members share in-progress and finished projects giving highlights of stitch techniques. Bring your projects!

### October 2007

#### Twirl Your Tassels, Ladies!

Tassel making class led by local Embroidery Guild of America member.

### November 2007

#### One King and Two Queens

Round robin work stations will teach you what you never knew about three favorite stitches. Led by the King of basket weave and the Queens of buillion knots and turkey work.

### December 2007 – No meeting

### January 2008

#### “Better to Give Than Receive”

Start the New Year with good intentions. Donna Halloran and Janine Webb introduce our 2008 Philanthropy project, a Christmas tree filled with your hand-stitched ornaments.

### February 2008

#### Golden Reminiscence, Part I

This lovely 5.5 x 6 inch piece of canvas work evokes the memories of gentle times with Grandma. She often had a brooch pinned on her blouse or a locket around her neck. Please add your own heirloom jewelry for this piece.

### March 2008

#### Gadgets & Gadgets – What’s in Your Bag

Time to reveal your personal treasures. Open your tool boxes and show off those necessary gizmos you would take to a desert island. Don’t be shy!

### April 2008

#### Golden Reminiscence, Part II

Finish this heirloom piece just in time for the spring season of graduations and weddings. A perfect gift to treasure.

### May 2008

#### Shop & Swap

Clean out that stash! Bring canvasses, threads, kits, tools, stands – anything you can part with. Prices can be shared with the donor or all proceeds go to Gateway Chapter’s Education Fund. Induction of new officers.

### June/July/August 2008

#### Stitch-In

Join us for a fun-filled day of stitching as we gather at members’ homes during the summer months.

## Workshops

**November 3 & 4, 2007:** Sue Reed’s Pathways offers an exercise in shading and in controlling hand-dyed thread for beginning and intermediate stitchers.

**April 12 & 13, 2008:** Join national teacher, Susan Goodman, for a two-day workshop for intermediate and advanced stitchers.

## Other Events

**Third Annual Gateway Chapter Retreat  
October 6, 2007:** – a day at the St. Louis Women’s Club to focus on stitching and friends.

### Holiday Gift Wrapping (December and February)

Book gift wrap at Borders. Volunteer for a few fun and busy hours to help raise funds for chapter educational and philanthropic activities.

## Meeting Times

### Day Meetings

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month  
9:30 AM – Noon

### Evening Meetings

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month  
6:30 PM – 9:00 PM

## Location

### Ladue Chapel

9450 Clayton Road  
St. Louis, MO 63124

## Web Site

### [www.gatewayang.org](http://www.gatewayang.org)

Visit the Gateway Chapter’s Web site for up-to-date information and program schedule changes. The Web site also has links to other sites of interest to needle workers.

## FAQs

### What if I’m not a member?

Non-members may attend two meetings complimentary prior to joining the Guild. There may be fees for non-members to attend special programs/lectures from invited teachers.

### What if I’m new to needlepoint?

Mentors are available at all meetings to answer questions and provide guidance for those new to needlepoint as well as sharing suggestions with seasoned veterans.