Santa Rosa Quilt Guild November 2019 Block-of-the-Month "Scrappy Holiday" Due December 5, 2019

- 1. Choose a variety of red, green, and white, holiday fabrics. Cut strips 1" to 3" wide.
- 2. Cut a foundation paper 8.5" square.
- 3. Put first strip **face up** diagonally over the center of the foundation.
- 4. Shorten stitch length from the usual 12 stitches per inch to approximately 20 stitches per inch. Place a second strip on top of the first strip right sides together. Stitch. Press to the side toward the corner. Keep adding strips in this manner until you reach the corner.
- 5. Place a strip, right sides together on the other side of the center strip. Stitch. Press to side. Continue adding strips until the second half of the foundation is covered.
- 6. Square block to 8.5"
- 7. Remove foundation paper.

What a great way to use scraps! These blocks would make a lovely holiday table runner or quit.

Make several to share with your fellow quilters.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! Betsy Smith and Nadine Heppell

