

FLEECE BLANKETS FOR GATHERING SERVICE

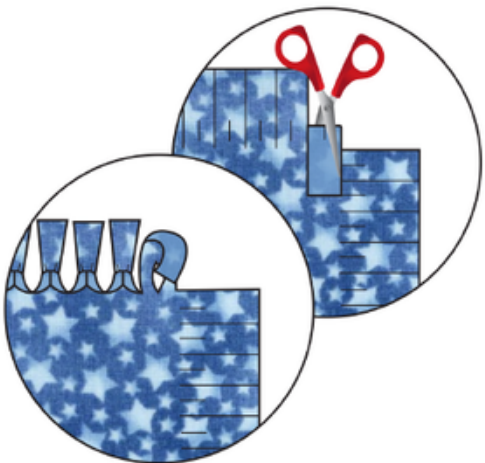
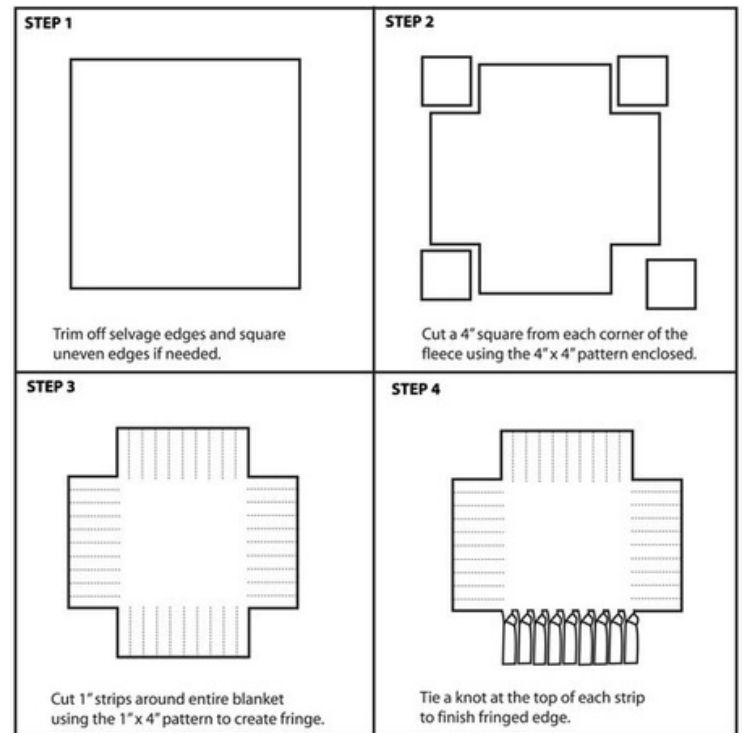
During the 2022 LCMS Youth Gathering, youth and adults will be building bed frames and making blankets to be donated to local families. If you and/or your group want to make a blanket, or multiple blankets, in advance follow the instructions below. Bring your finished blanket(s) to the Youth Booth in Hall A, July 10-12. Youth and adults will also be able to make blankets onsite throughout the Gathering.

Supplies:

1 or 2 pieces of Fleece (74" x 98")
Fabric Scissors or Rotary Cutter
Ruler and Erasable Fabric Markers

Instructions for two pieces:

1. Line up the wrong side (side without the print) together.
2. Measure, mark, and cut a 4" by 4" square off each corner on pieces.
3. Measure, mark, and cut 4" slits every 1" through both pieces.
4. Tie a knot at the top of each strip to finish fringed edge.



Instructions for one piece of fleece.

1. Measure, mark, and cut a 4" by 4" square off each corner.
2. Measure, mark, and cut 4" slits every 1".
3. Fold the fringe down 3". Make a small cut through the fold.
4. Loop each piece of fringe around and pull through the slit, pulling snug.

Or

Instructions for one piece of fleece.

1. Measure, mark, and cut a 2" by 2" square off each corner.
2. Measure, mark, and cut 2" slits every 1".
3. Open up one of the small snips and push the adjacent fringe through it. Then open up the snip on that fringe, pushing the adjacent fringe through it. Do corners in the same manner.
4. When you complete the blanket, knot the first fringe with the last fringe.

