

Our May Thursday meeting will be a hybrid meeting with a remote speaker. Join us at the United Methodist Church, 1515 Fredricks St. SLO or attend via Zoom. Meetings open at 9:30 for informal visiting and come to order at 9:45 AM. All members will be sent an invitation to attend the Zoom meeting a few days ahead, but we hope anyone living in the local area will choose to attending in person – we miss seeing you!

MAY 8 “SPLIT-SHED WEAVING” Deborah Silver will present a lecture about the split-shed weaving technique. She will show us how to make a cartoon on cloth, share her art work, and speak of the creative process.

Deborah earned a BFA in Fiber from the Cleveland Institute of Art. She weaves art using the split-shed technique, transforming traditional weaving structures into a signature method of handweaving. Her recent art is drawn from American women’s history and from memorials found in old cemeteries.

In 2019 she authored *The Technique of Split-Shed Weaving*, a book that illustrates pictorial weaving using the split-shed process on four shaft looms. She teaches split-shed weaving workshops internationally, and her articles have been published in *Complex Weavers* magazine.

