Mini Prayer Cloth – Knit

This pattern was created based on a few available online patterns, with some corrections and adjustments.

Materials:

Needles - Size 5, 6, or 7

Yarn – small amounts in worsted or sport weight yarn
– approx. 12-15 yards

Gauge is not important, but if you would like to adjust the finished size, you can change needle size and/or yarn weight. I used Size 5 for all the examples. I tend to knit slightly looser than the usual gauge. In most patterns, I go down one needle size, sometimes two. So just experiment!



Finished Size: Varies with needle size and yarn weight. My worsted weight examples are around 3" x 4". The sport and fingering weight examples are closer to 2.5" x 3-3.5"

Instructions:

Cast On: 12

Row 1 – 3: Knit across Row 4: K2, P8, K2 Row 5: Knit across

Row 6: K2, P3, K2, P3, K2

Row 7: Knit across

Rows 8-13: Repeat Rows 6 and 7: 3 times = 13 Rows completed

Row 14: K2, P1, K6, P1, K2

Row 15: Knit across

Rows 16-17: Repeat Rows 14 and 15: 1 time = 17 rows completed

Row 18: K2, P3, K2, P3, K2

Row 19: Knit across

Rows 20-23: Repeat Rows 18 and 19: 2 times – 23 rows completed

Row 24: K2, P8, K2 Row 25: Purl across

Row 26: Bind Off as you Knit across

Tie off and weave in ends. Use a light iron or steam to block the square as desired. This helps to firm up the shape, and straighten and reduce the curling of the edges.