A great use for charm squares... this also works as a scrap buster!

The outside of the card holder is 5” x 6”. The remaining 3 fabrics are 5” charm squares.

Fold two of the 5” x 5” squares in half, WRONG sides together. These form the pockets.

Lay the folded squares on right side of the 5” x 6” fabric. Serge or stitch both ends.

Center the last 5” x 5” square on top of the previously stitched fabrics (right sides together). This is an approximate center; it is not precise. The raw edges of this last piece will match up or meet the raw sides of the other fabrics, but it will NOT meet the stitched ends. Serge or stitch both sides.

You’re done sewing! Now, it’s just a matter of turning and pressing. Reach in-between the last piece of fabric and the first three pieces of fabric; turn, as shown. Press side seam allowances in (toward the project). Turn project over and double-check your stitching.

Then, turn one of the folded squares right-side out. For crisp corners, use a point turner on each corner. Press. (The lining is shown in the photo on the left.)

Repeat for the other folded square. Press.

Insert a gift card (or two), and fold closed. Now you’ve ready to go with a custom-made present that’s not just another gift card!