

Tenth Month — October 1, 2023

Homewood Friends Meeting Announcements

Homewood Office: 410-235-4438 // homewoodfriends@gmail.com
Office hours are 8:30–2:30 Tuesday–Friday
Call or email the office to place an announcement.

Faith and Practice of Baltimore Yearly Meeting, the Tenth Query: **The Peace Testimony** Do you endeavor to live "in virtue of that life and power which takes away the occasion of all wars"? Do you work to make your peace testimony a reality in your life and in your world? Do you weigh your day-to-day activities for their effect on peace-keeping, conflict resolution and the elimination of violence? Are you working toward eliminating aggression at all levels, from the personal to the international?

REGULARLY SCHEDULED

Every Sunday 10:30 - 11:30 AM

At the Meetinghouse and on Zoom

[Click here to join on Zoom](#)

Join us for social time after Worship at the same
Zoom link or downstairs for simple lunch.

Meeting for Business

FIRST SUNDAYS 10/1 12:30 PM

In-person and on Zoom ([Join Zoom Meeting](#))

Vigil for Nonviolence

FIRST FRIDAYS 10/6 5 PM

In Front of Homewood

Outreach Team

SECOND SUNDAYS 10/8 9:00 AM

Use the [Worship Zoom \(click here\)](#)

Holding in the Light Group

HITL People Affected by Violence in Baltimore

SECOND SUNDAYS 10/8 12:30 PM

In-person and on Zoom ([Join Zoom Meeting](#))

Library Committee

SECOND SUNDAYS 10/8 12:15 PM

In the Homewood Library

FIRST DAY 10-1-23

PANCAKE BREAKFAST: 9 AM Join Friends for a special breakfast before Meeting, down in the dining room. [An RSVP Helps Us Prepare](#). It's also "Bring a friend to Meeting" day; invite someone new to breakfast and/or worship!

MEETING FOR WORSHIP: 10:30 AM

SIMPLE LUNCH: 12 PM

MEETING FOR BUSINESS: 12:30 PM



UPCOMING

SAFE HAVEN PRESENTATION: Tuesday 10/10 at 7 PM On Zoom [Baltimore Safe Haven](#) is a TLGBQ-led resource for TLGBQ people in survival mode. As donors, Homewood Friends has invited BSH to present on their work and goals. Sponsored by our Peace and Social Justice Committee.

HOW DO WE GET TO MEETING: Sunday 10/15 GOAT presents "How Do We Get to Meeting?", an earthcare event to consider our transportation habits and learn more about our options. Stations will be set up after Meeting for Worship.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION GROUP: Monday 10/16 6:30 - 9 PM The large group meetings will continue on

Bible Study

THIRD SUNDAYS 10/15 9:30 AM

In the Lucretia Mott Room (upstairs)

Green Organizing Action Team

For October: All are invited to stop by the "How Do We Get to Meeting?" stations after Worship on 10/15.

Friendly Fridays

THIRD FRIDAYS 10/20 6 PM

Meetinghouse

Peace & Social Justice Committee

FOURTH SUNDAYS 10/22 9:00 AM

[Zoom only: Join here](#)



A form of worship, the more intimate Experiment with Light is part of the mid-week meeting for worship series.

=== Zoom only ===

FOURTH SUNDAY MORNINGS 10/22 9:00 AM

[Join Zoom Meeting \(click here\)](#)

EVERY THURSDAY EVENING 7:00 PM

[Join Zoom Meeting \(click here\)](#)

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Passcode: 976351

One tap mobile: 3017158592,

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Phone number: 301 715 8592

[Learn more](#)

3rd Mondays in the dining room. This month's reading: Our Life is Love, pages 1-38

LGBTQ Potluck: Wednesday 10/18 at 6:30 PM Join members, attenders, and newcomers who identify as LGBTQ+ for a vegetarian meal at the meetinghouse. Sponsored by Outreach.

FALL PICNIC: Saturday 10/21 12 PM Wyman Park Dell Outreach Team invites everyone to food and fellowship at the park across the street from the meetinghouse.



SPECIAL NOTICES

CALL FOR CAROL LEADERS: On First Days in December we invite Friends to holiday caroling. If you are able to help, whether by strumming an instrument, playing the Meeting piano, or vocal leading, contact Kevin-Douglas Olive kdolive@hotmail.com.

VISUAL DIRECTORY: A request from our Outreach Team: Please send in profile pictures (simple headshots) to the office so they can be added to a visual directory.

GEDCO CARES FOOD PANTRY: Drop items in the box in the Homewood foyer. Requested items: canned fruit, jelly, coffee, tea, canned soup. Any non-perishable food items are appreciated.

BUDGET REQUESTS: Due Wednesday 10/4: send to Polly peh616@msn.com (Request an extension if needed).

...We in love to our Brethren that lie in Prisons...and many in Fetters and Irons, and have been cruelly beat by the cruel Gaolers, and many have been persecuted to Death, and have died in Prison, and many lie sick and weak in Prison, and on Straw. So we in Love to our Brethren do offer up our Bodies and Selves to you, for to put us as Lamps into the same Dungeons...and do stand ready a Sacrifice for to go into their Places in Love to our Brethren, that they may go forth, and that they may not die in Prison, as many of the Brethren are already.

— Joseph Beese's letter to the English parliament signed by 164 of his fellow Quakers, 1659