

Eleventh Month — November 12, 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 Eleventh Query: **Education** DO YOU PROVIDE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, INCLUDING STUDY OF THE BIBLE AND OF FRIENDS' HISTORY AND PRACTICES, IN YOUR MEETING? DO YOU ENSURE THAT SCHOOLS UNDER THE CARE OF FRIENDS EXEMPLIFY FRIENDS' PRINCIPLES? DO YOU SUPPORT AND STRIVE TO IMPROVE THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS?

REGULARLY SCHEDULED

Meeting for Worship

Every Sunday 10:30 - 11:30 AM

At the Meetinghouse and on Zoom

[Click here to join on Zoom](#)

Join for fellowship after Worship at the same
Zoom link or downstairs for simple lunch.

Outreach Team

SECOND SUNDAYS 11/12 9:00 AM

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

Holding in the Light Group

HITL People Affected by Violence in Baltimore

SECOND SUNDAYS 11/12 12:30 PM

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

Library Committee

SECOND SUNDAYS 11/12 12:15 PM

In the Homewood Library

Friendly Fridays

THIRD FRIDAYS 11/17 6 PM

Meetinghouse

Bible Study

THIRD SUNDAYS 11/19 9:30 AM

In the Lucretia Mott Room (upstairs)

FIRST DAY 11-12-23

OUTREACH TEAM: 9 AM [Zoom](#)

MEETING FOR WORSHIP: 10:30 AM

SIMPLE LUNCH: 12 PM

LIBRARY COMMITTEE: 12:15 Library

HOLDING IN THE LIGHT: 12:30 Meeting Room & [Zoom](#)

UPCOMING

MEMORIAL FOR PHIL FURNAS: 11/18 at 2 PM

Homewood Friends and Phil's loved ones will celebrate his life. [Obituary](#). ▪ [Volunteers are needed](#).

BLACK LIVES MATTER INTERFAITH COALITION

RALLY: Sunday 11/19, 1:30–2:30, 200 E North Ave (BCPS Headquarters) [Visit BLMIC website](#)

SPIRITUAL FORMATION: Monday 11/20 6:30

to 9:00 PM Large group gathering for potluck and worshipful reflection in the dining room.

THANKSGIVING MEETING FOR WORSHIP: Thursday

November 23 at 10:00 AM Homewood and Stony Run
Friends will gather at our meetinghouse for worship on a fourth day morning.

Green Organizing Action Team
THIRD SUNDAYS 11/19 12:30 PM
In the Homewood Library

Peace & Social Justice Committee
FOURTH SUNDAYS 11/26 9:00 AM
[Zoom only: Join here](#)

Vigil for Nonviolence
FIRST FRIDAYS 12/1 5 PM
In Front of Homewood

Meeting for Business
FIRST SUNDAYS 12/3 12:30 PM
In-person and on Zoom ([Join Zoom Meeting](#))

Experiment with Light

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

=== Zoom only ===

EVERY THURSDAY EVENING 7:00 PM
[Join Zoom Meeting \(click here\)](#)

Meeting ID: 874 1149 8198
Passcode: 976351
One tap mobile: 3017158592,
87411498198#
Phone number: 301 715 8592

FOURTH SUNDAY MORNINGS 11/26 9:00 AM
[Join Zoom Meeting \(click here\)](#)

[Learn more](#)

GREEN TOPICS SURVEY: November Our Green Organizing Action Team requests that members and attenders fill out [this survey](#) of their interests in future discussions and workshops.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Food Aid: Viva House, a Catholic Worker House that Homewood has long supported, is requesting food bags for their West Baltimore community. Bags consist of EXACTLY:

- 1 - reusable grocery bag (to pack the food in)
- 1 - box Cheerios
- 1 - jar peanut butter
- 1 - jar jelly or jam
- 1 - box spaghetti
- 1 - can vegetables (collards are a favorite)
- 1 - can soup
- 3 - cans meat (chicken, chili or such)
- 2 - boxes macaroni & cheese
- 2 - rolls toilet paper

Bring to the meeting house (little kitchen on landing going downstairs) by 12/9.

Hold in the light our Friend Stan Becker, who will be undergoing abdominal surgery at Hopkins hospital on 11/14. Visiting hours will be posted next week.

Each of us moves through the world damaging others with our sharp edges. Often we hurt others by accident. Sometimes we do so on purpose. But none of us is so virtuous or so careful as to make it through this world without leaving wounds in our wake. We have withdrawn from those who had a right to expect our emotional engagement. We have imposed on those who had a right to expect our restraint. We have abandoned those who had a right to nurture, and we have oppressed and abused those who had a right to freedom. To own the reality of that, to sit with its impact, without minimizing, denying or justifying it to ourselves – that is a work that takes courage and the willingness to sit with painful truths.

— Adria Gulizia of Chatham-Summit Meeting, 2022