

Eleventh Month — November 26, 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.

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](#))

Outreach Team

SECOND SUNDAYS 12/10 9:00 AM

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

Holding in the Light Group

HITL People Affected by Violence in Baltimore

SECOND SUNDAYS 12/10 12:30 PM

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

FIRST DAY 11-26-23

EXPERIMENT WITH LIGHT: Canceled. Join Thursday 7 PM

PEACE & SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE: 9 AM [On Zoom](#)

MEETING FOR WORSHIP: 10:30 AM

SIMPLE LUNCH: 12 PM

ADMIN. COMMITTEE: 12:15 PM In the Meeting Room
and on [Zoom](#)

UPCOMING

PENDLE HILL LECTURE: Monday 12/4 on Zoom

"Clearness Committees: An Introduction to Spiritual
Discernment in Community for Personal and Social
Transformation," [More info.](#)

HOMEWOOD CAROLING: Sundays in December

10:00-10:20 AM All are welcome to join holiday and
spiritual singing on First Day mornings before Meeting for
Worship. Thank you to Kendall Kennison for piano
accompaniment. Sponsored by Outreach Team.

**STONY RUN CAROLING Sundays 12/10, 12/17,
12/24 7-8 PM at Stony Run and on Zoom.**

Y.A.F DINNER: Saturday 12/9 5-7 PM Young Adult
Friends (18-35+) are meeting for dinner at Ben & Cathie's.
For address and more: Benjamin.j.rogers.14@gmail.com

Library Committee
SECOND SUNDAYS [12/10](#) 12:15 PM
In the Homewood Library

Bible Study
THIRD SUNDAYS [12/17](#) 9:30 AM
In the Lucretia Mott Room (upstairs)

Green Organizing Action Team
THIRD SUNDAYS [12/17](#) 12:30 PM
In the Homewood Library

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 has been cancelled.

[Learn more](#)

Our Friend Stan Becker is recovering at home
from surgery and is now available for calls.

COFFEE HOUSE: Sunday 12/31 6-9 PM Celebrate New Year's Eve with Friends at the annual Coffee House. The Working Group for Art is putting on a potluck dinner and evening of music, games and fellowship in the downstairs dining room from 6-9 pm. This is a multigenerational event - fun for all ages.

SPECIAL NOTICES

GREEN INTERESTS: There was an error with the survey link! Please [try again](#): rank your interests for workshops and discussions with our Green Organizing Action Team.

Food Aid: Viva House is requesting food bags
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.**

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