First Month — January 28, 2024

# 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 First Query: Meetings for Worship Are meetings for worship held in expectant waiting for Divine guidance? Are Friends encouraged to share spiritual insights? Are special gifts of ministry recognized and encouraged? Do you come to meeting with heart and mind prepared? Are you careful not to disturb the spirit of the meeting by late arrival or in other ways?

#### **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 1/28 9:00 AM Zoom only: Join here

Vigil for Nonviolence FIRST FRIDAYS 2/4 5 PM In Front of Homewood

Meeting for Business
FIRST SUNDAYS 2/6 12:30 PM
In-person and on Zoom (Join Zoom Meeting)

Outreach Team
SECOND SUNDAYS 2/11 9:00 AM
Use the Worship Zoom (click here)

#### **FIRST DAY 1-28-24**

PEACE & SOCIAL JUSTICE COMM.: 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**

<u>LGBTQ Potluck</u>: Wednesday 1/31 at 6:30 PM Friends for LGBTQ Concerns will gather for dinner at Homewood. <u>RSVP</u>

#### **CHESAPEAKE QUARTERLY MEETING:**

Sunday 2/11 at Sandy Spring Meeting and Zoom CQM offers education, worship, fellowship, and hospitality between 8 Monthly Meetings in central and southern Maryland. 10 AM legislative brief by Quaker Voice; 11 AM Meeting for Worship; 12:15 Simple Lunch; 1:30 Meeting for Sharing. More details and Zoom link here

^^ For additional information about Homewood's involvement in Quarterly Meeting and/or if you would like to carpool, feel free to contact John McKusick john.ca.mckusick@verizon.net.

**Library Committee SECOND SUNDAYS 2/11** 12:15 PM **In the Homewood Library** 

Bible Study
THIRD SUNDAYS 2/18 9:15 AM
In the Lucretia Mott Room (upstairs)

Green Organizing Action Team THIRD SUNDAYS 2/18 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

Learn more

#### **SPECIAL NOTICES**

**CLERK UPDATE:** Sarah Bur will be away 1/27 to 2/3. Mina Brunyate, Assistant Clerk, will be covering for her during that time, including clerking Admin Committee on 1/28.

#### PALESTINE PRESENTATION: Sunday 2/11 - 7

**PM on ZOOM** Steve Chase of Friends Meeting of Washington will report on his trip in early 2023 to Israel-Palestine with reflections on the current fight for Palestinian survival.

#### PEACE & JUSTICE SURVEY: 2/5 (extension)

Please share what causes and orgs you care about. **P&SJ Survey here** 

#### PENDLE HILL LECTURE: 2/5 7:30 PM on Zoom

Dr. Harold Weaver of the Black Quaker Project will present "Truth and Justice: The Black Quaker Project Challenges Quakerism in the 21st Century" Register

**FOOD DONATIONS: 2/18** The next due date for Viva House bags is Sunday 2/18. Contact the office if you would like a grocery list (same as January list).

**FRIENDLY FRIDAY: 2/23 at 6 PM** Outreach Team will be hosting with pizza, gluten-free pasta, and salad. Join for dinner, to include opening silence and worship sharing. RSVP

## <u>KATHY MUNNELL MEMORIAL</u>: 2/25 at 2 PM In-Person and Zoom

#### MEN'S GATHERING: Saturday 3/9 - 5-8 PM

Outreach Team is sponsoring a Quaker Men's gathering Saturday March 9 from 5-8pm. We will get to know each other over a potluck meal. Jose Moreno and Stan Becker will share their spiritual journeys, followed by worship-sharing over a query or two. Open to cis and trans men as well as gender queer and non-binary Friends. RSVP

A major tenet of Quaker spirituality is the belief that leadings are the single most important way that God is potentially present in our lives...Whatever the outward results of our leadings, they always demand from us spiritual growth, and even transformation... Only when we are willing to put ourselves in situations beyond our own power to control can the transforming power of God become fully manifest in our lives.

Thomas Gates, Lancaster Friends Meeting"Members One Another" Pendle Hill Pamphlet #371