

Fourth Month — April 7, 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 Fourth Query: **Personal Spiritual Life:** Do you make time for meditation, prayer, and worship? Do you read the Bible, the writings of Friends, and other inspirational works, seeking new light? Do you regularly seek God's guidance? Are you open to guidance and support, and do you give thanks for them? Do you share your spiritual insights with others and willingly receive from them in return?

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.

Meeting for Business

FIRST SUNDAYS 4/7 12:30 PM

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

Outreach Team

SECOND SUNDAYS 4/14 9:00 AM

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

Library Committee

SECOND SUNDAYS 4/14 12:15 PM

In the Homewood Library

Bible Study

THIRD SUNDAYS 4/21 9:15 AM

In the Lucretia Mott Room (upstairs)

Green Organizing Action Team

THIRD SUNDAYS 4/21 12:30 PM

In the Homewood Library

FIRST DAY 4-7-24

MANDELA STUDY GROUP: 9:15 AM Lucretia Mott Room Join Peace and Social Justice members for a monthly reading group on Nelson Mandela's autobiography [Long Walk to Freedom \(order link\)](#). This month we will be discussing SECTIONS 1-4. This is a good time for newcomers to join.

MEETING FOR WORSHIP: 10:30 AM

SIMPLE LUNCH: 12 PM

MEETING FOR BUSINESS: 12:30 PM

UPCOMING

A.M. GARDEN WORK: Sat. 4/13 10 AM After a mild winter, the Homewood Garden Club will begin its spring work on our native plant garden. Open to all.

QUAKER HISTORY PRESENTATION: DISRUPTING THE REVERSE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD: Sunday 4/14 at 1 PM at Stony Run Friends and Zoom Harold Finigan is a Darby Friend and a historical researcher sponsored by the National Park Service's Network to Freedom Program. He'll be presenting a story of how some Quakers in the Maryland and Pennsylvania region helped disrupt the kidnapping of free Black men and women to be sold into slavery. 90 minutes.

Peace & Social Justice Committee
FOURTH SUNDAYS 4/28 9:00 AM
[Zoom only: Join here](#)



FIRST FRIDAYS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE

Next Date: 5/3

Vigil for Nonviolence

5 PM in front of the meetinghouse.

Dismantling Racism Movie Screening

6 PM in the dining room.

Movie: TBA // Dinner: TBA



Experiment with Light

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

THURSDAY EVENINGS 7:00 PM

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

[Learn more](#)

TAX DAY ANTIWAR VIGIL: Monday 4/15 at 5-7 PM

McKeldin Square: Peace & Social Justice Committee is hosting local peace activists at a rally at McKeldin Square (Light St. & Pratt St.) under the banner "No Taxes for War" and "War is Not the Answer". Open to the public.

SOCIAL JUSTICE BUDGET MEETING: Sunday 4/28 at

12:30 PM The Peace & Social Justice Budget ad hoc group will review the results of the PSJ survey and solicit further input into 2024 budget priorities. All Homewood attendees are encouraged to participate. In the Meeting Room.

The Wider Quaker Circle

BYM Spiritual Formation: 5/3—5/5 at the Claggett Center. [Registration Required.](#)

FGC Friends of Color Spring Retreat: 5/3—5/5 in La Jolla, CA or on Zoom. [Register](#)

Friends General Conference: 7/1-7/6 Haverford College, Philadelphia - Scholarships for Global Majority Friends from BYM available if you register by 4/8. Contact the office for info. [FGC event page "The Gathering"](#)

WEAPONS AND WAR: Use this action letter from Friends Committee on National Legislation to tell your members of Congress to prevent special "wishlist" increases to the already mammoth weapons and war budget. 🙌 [Support the Streamline Pentagon Spending Act \(H.R. 4740\) now.](#)



Our life is love, and peace, and tenderness; and bearing one with another, and forgiving one another, and not laying accusations one against another; but praying one for another, and helping one another up with a tender hand.

— Isaac Pennington, 1616-1679