

Seventh Month — July 21, 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 Seventh Query: **Caring for Others** Do you respect that of God in every person? Do you search yourself for and strive to eliminate prejudices such as those related to race, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, and economic condition? In what ways do you accept and appreciate differences among your friends and associates? Do you avoid exploiting or manipulating others to accomplish ends, however worthy?

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.

Library Committee

THIRD SUNDAYS 7/21 12:15 PM (New day ☹️)
In the Homewood Library

Bible Study

THIRD SUNDAYS 7/21 9:15 AM
In the Lucretia Mott room (upstairs)

Green Organizing Action Team

THIRD SUNDAYS 7/21 12:30 PM
In the Lucretia Mott room

Peace & Social Justice Committee

FOURTH SUNDAYS 7/28 9:00 AM
[Zoom only: Join here](#)

Meeting for Business

No meeting in August
FIRST SUNDAYS 9/1 12:30 PM

FIRST DAY 7-21-24

BIBLE STUDY: 9:15 AM Lucretia Mott Room

MEETING FOR WORSHIP: 10:30 AM
Dining room*

***Heat Policy:** When the Thursday NOAA prediction**
for Sunday is 90 degrees or above, meeting for
worship will be held downstairs in the dining room.

****Forecast for Sunday A chance of showers after 2pm.**
Partly sunny, with a high near 91. Chance of
precipitation is 30%.

SIMPLE LUNCH: 12 PM

GREEN ORGANIZING ACTION TEAM: 12:30
PM Lucretia Mott Room

LIBRARY COMMITTEE: 12:15 PM Library

UPCOMING

WELCOMING ALEJANDRO: Sunday 8/4
12:30 PM Welcome new Homewood Friends
member Alejandro Perez. Join worship sharing
and reception after simple lunch.

Vigil for Nonviolence

FIRST FRIDAYS 8/2 5 PM

**In Front of Homewood Dismantling Racism
Dinners/Discussions will return September.**

Outreach Team

SECOND SUNDAYS 8/11 9:00 AM

Experiment with Light

THURSDAY EVENINGS 7:00 PM

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

[Learn more](#)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COMMITTEE

1) First Day School **Opening Day: 9/15** 🌱

All are welcome to join us for an introductory gathering during meeting for worship and the launch of a new year. First Day School serves Kindergarten through 8th, so families with children in those grades are most encouraged to attend. This is a good time to invite new families who might be interested in attending Homewood. Contact Jen McCann with questions: jen_mccann@yahoo.com

2) Volunteers: RE is seeking help with children's programming. Volunteers to serve as second adult during First Day School can help us keep the program running each Sunday during the school year. Join us for as many or few Sundays as you might wish. Contact Jen McCann to sign up. We are also interested in adding a member or two to the committee if anyone feels a calling.

Baltimore Yearly Meeting

REPARATIONS ACTION: Tues., 7/23 at 7pm on Zoom The Indigenous Affairs Committee will delve into the proposal for reparations to the Pawnee Nation. This request for reparations was raised at BYM's June Interim Meeting. Friends needed more time to discuss the proposal with their monthly meetings, and the proposal will be discussed again at Annual Session. [Register here.](#)

BYM ANNUAL SESSION: 7/29 thru 8/4 at Hood College and on Zoom



The memorial meeting for Barbara Ruland will be held on Saturday 9/14 at 2 PM at the meeting house *and on Zoom.*

[Read Barb's obituary here](#)

☮️ Some Homewood Friends attended the movie screening that Peace and Social Justice committee hosted of **"Silent Fallout"** with Director Ito Hideaki sponsored by Prevent Nuclear War MD. Friends are recommending others go see the second chance screening on **Saturday 7/20 at 1 PM** at Towson University's Center for the Arts Bldg.

"The priest scoffed at us, and called us Quakers. But the Lord's power was so over them, and the Word of life was declared in such authority and dread to them, that the priest fell a-trembling himself; and one of the people said, 'Look how the priest trembles and shakes; he is turned a Quaker also'"

George Fox, 1651, from his autobiography