Third Month — March 30, 2025

# 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 Third Query: The Meeting Community: Are love and harmony within the Meeting community fostered by a spirit of open sharing? Do you endeavor to widen your circle of friendships within the Meeting, seeking to know persons of all ages and at all stages of the spiritual journey? Does the Meeting provide for the spiritual refreshment of all members and attenders? Do Friends provide spiritual and practical care for the elderly, the lonely, and others with special needs?

# 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.

Simple Meeting for Worship LAST SUNDAYS 3/30 9 AM In the Library

Nelson Mandela Study Group FIRST SUNDAYS <u>4/6</u> 9:15 AM In the Lucretia Mott room (upstairs)

Meeting for Business FIRST SUNDAYS <u>4/6</u> 12:30 PM In-person and <u>on Zoom</u>

Viva House Bags Due SECOND SUNDAYS 4/13
April bags due 4/6 (Due to Easter)
Place in small kitchen. Item list here (pg 2)

**Quaker Pamphlet Reading SECOND SUNDAYS 4/13** 9:15 AM

# FIRST DAY 3-30-25

<u>SIMPLE MEETING FOR WORSHIP</u>: 9 AM Library An earlier worship time in a smaller room without microphones and screens.

**MEETING FOR WORSHIP: 10:30 AM** 

SIMPLE LUNCH: 11:50 AM

<u>Dismantling Racism Threshing Session</u>: Sun. 3/30 at 12:30 PM All are invited (encouraged) to join as we discuss and discern Homewood Friends Meeting's involvement in antiracism work — both in and outside of the meetinghouse. Hosted by the Dismantling Racism Change Group. This will be in the dining room right after simple lunch.

<u>Dismantling Racism Queries</u>: whether you can attend the threshing session or not, we encourage input from all --write your reflections using the linked form.

# **UPCOMING**

QUAKER FOUNDATIONS: Tuesdays in April 7:00-8:30 PM on Zoom (exclusively) All are invited to join this 5-session class presented by our Spiritual Nurture group. Starts on April 1st. Not mandatory to attend all sessions, but encouraged. You must register to receive the Zoom link: Register for Quaker Foundations class.

**Bible Study THIRD SUNDAYS** <u>4/19</u> 9:15 AM
In the Lucretia Mott room (upstairs)

**Library Committee THIRD SUNDAYS 4/19** 12:15 PM
In the Library

Outreach Team THIRD SUNDAYS <u>4/19</u> 12:30 PM Susan B. Anthony Room

**Spiritual Formation Large Group THIRD MONDAYS** 4/21 6:30 PM
In the Dining Room

Dismantling Racism Change Group THIRD THURSDAYS <u>4/17</u> 6 PM on Zoom

Quaker 101 Videos/Discussion FOURTH SUNDAYS 4/27 Rise of Meeting



# **Experiment with Light**

THURSDAY EVENINGS 7:00 PM Zoom only Join Zoom Meeting (click here)

Learn more

# BINGO NIGHT FOR SAFE HAVEN: Fri. 4/4 from 6-9

PM Homewood will be hosting a Bingo night to raise funds for Baltimore Safe Haven. We're asking Homewood members to donate prizes such as gently used books, accessories (scarves, handbags, knick knacks) costume jewelry, toys, artwork, etc. We will have a box designated in the lobby outside the office where items can be placed in the weeks leading up to the event. For more info, contact andres.lobo24@gmail.com or megary1115@gmail.com.

**KAZU HAGA "FIERCE VULNERABILITY": Wed. 4/23 at 7:15 PM In-Person and Zoom** Nonviolence and restorative justice trainer Kazu Haga will visit Homewood Friends for a public talk about his new book <u>Fierce Vulnerability</u>, and the need to incorporate the lens and tools of collective trauma healing into our movements for social justice and liberation. Sponsored by Baltimore Peace Builders. Register here.

# WIDER QUAKER WORLD

# **Stony Run:**

Welcoming Trans and Non-binary People to Meeting - Forum with BYM: Sun. 3/30 at 9:15 AM at Stony Run and on Zoom. Stony Run Friends has invited other meetings from the region to discuss policy changes, community responses, and offering love & care at a difficult time.

# **Baltimore Yearly Meeting:**

Friends Meeting School in Ijamsville, MD Interested in attending? Interested in a specific workshop topic? Networking Day is an event hosted by the Baltimore Yearly Meaning Peace & Social Concerns Committee to bring together F/friends who are interested in/active in Peace & Social Concerns work. It's a time for learning through workshops and from each other. Register here.

BYM Networking Day: Sat. 4/12 10 AM - 3 PM

Prayer releases energy. It heightens all human capacities. It refreshes and quickens life. It unlocks reservoirs of power. It opens invisible doors into new storehouses of spiritual force for us to live by.

---Rufus Jones, 1863-1948