

Homewood Friends Meeting

Announcements

Seventh Month (July) 9, 2017

Our website is: <http://www.homewoodfriends.org>

To place an announcement, call the office, 410.235.4438, or-mail it to homewoodfriends@verizon.net. The deadline is 11 a.m. Tuesday.

Office hours are 8:30-3:30 Monday & 8:30-2:30 Tuesday through Thursday.

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?

WELCOME TO VISITORS!

If this is your first time worshipping with us, please sign the guest book and indicate whether or not you'd like to receive our monthly newsletter. Please include an e-mail address if you have one. If you wish, introduce yourself when invited at the rise of worship. Everyone is invited to stay for a free simple lunch after worship - it's a good opportunity to learn about Homewood.

TEENAGE CHILD CARE WORKERS NEEDED

The Religious Education Committee is seeking one or two teenage child care workers to replace Beatrice Kennison and work with Chris Stadler in the Nursery. Potential applicants should contact Mina in the Meeting office or John McKusick.

SILENT VIGIL FOR PEACE

Every Friday, 5-6 p.m. Since 9/11/2001, we have held a vigil for peace every Friday evening. Join in at any time during the hour. The current focus is "BLACK LIVES MATTER" and "We Are All One People."



EVENTS TODAY (JULY 9):

DOWNSTAIRS WORSHIP continues through Sept. 3.

QUAKER BOOK CLUB, July 9, 9:15. We continue to discuss *Our Life Is Love*. After our last wonderful session, we decided to meet again. We will finish discussing the Faithfulness section (98 - 119). Join us! Donna McKusick, Leader; Lower Level.

FIRST DAY SCHOOL

TODAY through Sept. 10: Volunteers are needed to provide recreation, games, sports, nature walks, art, music, etc. for children during Meeting for Worship this summer. The adults will care for the children from 10:50 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. The RE Committee will provide materials, snacks, and ideas. For further information or to sign up, please contact John McKusick at 410-377-2797 or john.ca.mckusick@verizon.net.

PRAYER GROUP FOR ISIS, 12:30 - 1:00 p.m..

We meet for about 30 minutes on the 2nd First day in the library of Homewood Friends Meeting. All those who believe in the power of the Light at a distance are invited to attend. If you have any questions, please contact Stan Becker at 410-366-6923 or sbecker@jhsph.edu.

COURT OBSERVATION, every **Thursday and Friday, 10:30 a.m.; carpool from Stony Run**. Observe Baltimore City district court in action. For more information, contact Kathryn Munnell (kathryn_munnell@hotmail.com).

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MEETING are much appreciated. Contributions support the maintenance of the Meeting and our donations to designated service organizations. Please place in the box in the meeting room or deliver to the office. Thank you.

TRANSPORTATION REQUEST

Kathleen Wilson brings Dick Kelly to meeting for worship and would like to develop a small list of Friends who could consider bringing him when she is away. She would send out an email a week in advance asking who might be available. Dick likes coming to our meeting and appreciates this request. He lives at the corner of Cold Spring and Falls. Please call or email her with offers or questions.

REMINDER: Everyone must observe Homewood Meeting's **Youth Safety Policy**: see <https://homewoodfriends.org/member-resources/policies/youth-safety-policy/>.

GEDCO'S CARES FOOD PANTRY: The Pantry is low on the following items: **soup, tuna, canned salmon, spaghetti sauce, and pasta**. You may leave food contributions in the box in the main floor hallway.

SIMPLE LUNCH: Through July and August, lunch will be pared down to PB&J sandwiches and juice. You may bring additional food, but please clean up whatever is left afterwards.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

EXPERIMENT WITH LIGHT, July 23, 9:15, led by Susan Russell Walters; Library.

BYM ANNUAL SESSION, July 31 - August 6, Hood College in Frederick, MD.

REMINDERS:

- Children through 8th grade are free this year.
- We have up to three certificates for two free days for first-time attenders: if you are interested, please email the office.

WICKER BASKET COLLECTION: JULY

The recipient for July is **Safe City**, an immigrant education and defense fund established by the Open Society Institute. OSI will provide matching funds to regular contributions. Find BQPJC on Facebook: <https://facebook.com/BQPJC>.

NOELLE ZELTZMAN is now at home, 208 S. Patterson Park Ave., getting care under Dominique's supervision. She loves having visitors.

HEATHER RAVLIN recently lost her beloved aunt, and she would appreciate messages of condolence.

The wolf shall live with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the lion and the fatling together, and a little child shall lead them. The cow and the bear shall graze, their young shall lie down together, and the lion shall eat straw like the ox. The nursing child shall play over the hole of the asp, and the weaned child shall put his hand on the adder's den. They will not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain; for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea.

Isaiah 11:6 - 9