

# BYBERRY MONTHLY MEETING

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What a gift of technology! We never could have imagined this—but we are gathering in virtual Meeting for Worship three times a week... and the number of participants is growing! On Easter, we had more than 50 F/friends gathered in worship. If you have yet to try it, we hope you'll reconsider! It really is a gift to "see" so many Friends and friends. We meet Tues and Thurs at 7PM and Sun at 10AM. Email us at [ByberryQuakers@gmail.com](mailto:ByberryQuakers@gmail.com) for the Zoom ID.

Hope to "see"  
You soon!



## New Mailing Date for the Newsletter

As we have become more Zoom proficient, we've managed Meeting for Business online. So, we (hope) to get the newsletter out with sufficient time for Friends (our Meeting Members) to read the Minutes and be prepared to discuss relevant business items, and make decisions. If you've registered on the website, [click this link](#) to get Minutes (and supporting documentation). (You MUST be registered on the website to have access to the backend information). If you aren't on email, hopefully the printed/posted copies will arrive in time for you to join in by telephone. Problems, contact us at (215) 632 4027.



Stay current with happenings at Byberry... [www.ByberryQuakers.org](http://www.ByberryQuakers.org) (registration req'd to see M4B Agenda/Minutes, etc.) & on Facebook at [ByberryQuakers](#)



**HUGE** Thank you to all who participated in the 17th Annual Interfaith Peace "Talk" — The Zoom "Talk" enabled participation from all across the globe. Keep an eye out on Peace Walk's FB posts, YouTube and the Byberry Friends' website to see a rebroadcast of some of the presenters.

JOYOUS! There's still time to donate to the chosen charities, too.



More Info: <https://www.interfaithpeacewalk.org/>

Speaking of charities - looking to help our neighbors? **Caring for Friends** & **Feast for Justice** are two local organizations providing food in our community. They need \$\$\$ and labor. Please reach out to them, if you can offer any assistance.

One last charity note: remember, "charity begins at home". Our 2019/2020 Fiscal Year ends June 30th. BFM Friends/Members, we hope that any outstanding Assessment payments can be made by fiscal year-end. If this is an issue, please do let us know. Either call us at 215 632 4027 or email [ByberryQuakers@gmail.com](mailto:ByberryQuakers@gmail.com) to discuss and see how we might help.

**BIRTHDAY WISHES TO FRIENDS:**  
Lillian L (5/2), Millard B (5/8),  
Michael G (5/9) & Carol W (5/24)



## Quaker Corner / Adult Discussion

### The Fifth Query: Religious Education in our Home and Meeting

#### In Our Meeting:

- How does our meeting prepare its members, attenders and children for worship, for the conduct of business and for a way of life consistent with the principles of the Religious Society of Friends?
- What opportunities do we provide for all in the meeting to learn about Friends history, practices and testimonies, the Judeo-Christian tradition, the life and teachings of Jesus, and other religious traditions?
- How does our meeting's religious education program provide experiential learning that enhances the sense of belonging to our worship community?

#### Personally:

- How do I help create a home where all members of the family receive affection, understanding and where visitors are welcome?
- How does my manner of living enrich body, mind and spirit; enable all to learn what it means to live a spirit-led commitment; and demonstrate a high regard for family, community and integrity of creation?
- How do I engage with my family and others who are dear to me regarding such sensitive topics as death, faith, money, sex, and drugs?

\*\*\* Unplug & Recharge, our potluck on the last Sunday, will resume as soon as possible. \*\*\*

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