

# BYBERRY MONTHLY MEETING

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## Byberry Friends Meeting Receives a Keystone Planning Grant from the PHMC

We couldn't be more pleased, and honored by the exciting news. This proposal was only possible with the incredible hard work of Kate Cowing, Mary Ellen McNish and David Nepley. Additionally, we are so grateful for the support of: Jon Farnham (Phila Historic Commission); Paul Steinke (Preservation Alliance); and Martina White (PA State Rep, 170th District); as well as so many others who supported our application and subsequent nomination. This Planning Grant is the first step in assessing the structural integrity of all the various components that make up our "complex". The Byberry Complex is actually made-up of the meetinghouse; the library & schoolhouse; Byberry Hall; the carriage shed, and two burial grounds. We have much work ahead, but are excited that the PHMC recognizes the importance and significance of this property in the history of PA.



Reminder: We continue to meet in Zoom on Tues & Thurs @7PM, and Sun @ 10AM for M4W.  
Email us at [ByberryQuakers@gmail.com](mailto:ByberryQuakers@gmail.com) for the Meeting ID and link.



### A Joyous Evening...

While we have yet to "officially" return to the meetinghouse, we finally (after a few, weather related, failed attempts) were able to gather in community (socially distanced and outside) on a beautiful summers' eve for Unplug & Recharge and outdoor worship.

We are hopeful that the weather will cooperate so we can get a few more evenings together (at both UDMM and Byberry) over the next couple months. STAY TUNED.



Happiest of Birthdays to Jodi L

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## Quaker Corner / Adult Discussion The Tenth Query: Witnessing in the World: Ministry of Outreach

### In Our Meeting:

- How does our meeting communicate Friends presence and principles to the wider community?
- How does our meeting join with other faith communities in worship, in spiritual dialogue and in social action?
- What are we doing to invite persons to attend our meetings for worship, to welcome them when they come, to listen sensitively to their needs and hesitations and to encourage their continued attendance?

### Personally:

- How do I share my spiritual life and experience with others?
- Does my life as a Friend attract others to our religious society?
- What opportunities have I taken to worship with people from other religious and cultural backgrounds and work with them on common concerns?



**HAVE YOU CONFIRMED  
YOUR VOTER  
REGISTRATION?**



<https://www.pym.org/timely-voter-registration-information/>

October's selection is:  
"The Movement of Stars" by Amy Brill



The Zoom Discussion is  
Monday, Oct. 12th at 7PM.



[ByberryQuakers.org/Events/ZoomBookClub](https://ByberryQuakers.org/Events/ZoomBookClub)

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