

Chapel Hill Friends Meeting

Newsletter

Sixth Month, 2020

Monthly Query: *What are we doing to welcome newcomers to Meeting for Worship, to listen sensitively to their needs and hesitations, and to encourage their continued attendance?*

Monthly Worship Tip from the M&W Committee:

Not all vocal ministry will be equally meaningful to all present. Remember, ministry that does not speak to your condition may nevertheless be valuable to others. Be patient. Take care to separate the message from the minister.



NOTICE

All CHFM Quaker-related activities at the meetinghouse and in the school house have been canceled until later notice, pending reassessment.

The Building and Grounds committee has requested that those who rent on the premises find alternate options until we reopen.

Virtual Meetings

Meetings for Worship; Meetings for Worship with Attention to Business; and Weekly Forums:

Chapel Hill Friends Meeting has been using Zoom software as an online platform to hold Meetings for Worship; including meetings with attention to business, forums, social hours, and committee meetings. Friends are doing our best to sustain spiritual connections and support the life of the Meeting during the pandemic.

Ministry and Worship and the Zoom ad-hoc committee (zoom@chapelhillfriends.org) wish to make this experience as rich as possible. Even apart, we wish to come together in the Light. To aid this, we advise those attending of the following:

- On entering the Meeting for Worship via Zoom, everyone's microphone will be muted (you do not need to mute yourself on entry). We suggest remaining muted when not speaking to avoid background noise.
- If led to share vocal ministry, the "Unmute" button on the bottom left of the Zoom screen is pressed. When finished speaking, the "Mute" button may be pressed in the same location.
- We recognize you may need to move around and settle. If doing so Friends are asked to use the "Stop Video" option (bottom of screen next to Mute) – your name or profile picture will display until pressing "Start Video" again. This will minimize visual distraction for others,
- There is an option on the upper right of your Zoom screen to select "Speaker View" for a large window for the current speaker or "Gallery View" that shows small windows for all participants.

The Ministry & Worship Committee reminds Friends that our traditional Quaker practice in Meeting for Worship, in-person or online, is to refrain from sharing vocal ministry more than once in the hour to give

others space for messages. Though it may be more challenging online, we strive to listen deeply in the silence and be open to the leadings of the Spirit that may move us to speak.

More information about Zoom is available on the Meeting's website:

<https://www.chapelhillfriends.org/zoom.html>

The link to Zoom for the Forum and Meeting for Worship is sent weekly via the listserv. If you wish to visit with us for the first time or are a regular attender but do not have access to the listserv please contact us at zoom@chapelhillfriends.org. Comments are warmly appreciated at the same email address. See you online!

Upcoming Zoom Forums

June 7: Forum with attention to graduation. Join us at this online forum where we will hear from our high school graduating seniors about their experiences growing up in a Quaker Meeting. The seniors are: Phoebe Hulbert (Waldorf School), Will King (Cedar Ridge High School) and Lily Wuerth (East Chapel Hill High School).

Online Social Event, Thursdays, 7pm

Chris Stanley shares with Friends:

As we have been doing recently, we will have a time to gather and touch base to see how everyone is doing. Last week, we looked at Catherine Alquire's garden during the call. Feel free to bring pictures of your garden or current project to share. There is no agenda and it is just a time to see a friendly face and say hello. Join us, if you are interested. - Chris

F/friendly Interest Groups

Here is a link to a form to gauge interest in small groups that might wish to get together (via Zoom) to discuss topics of interest. It could be Bible and/or sacred works study, looking at the works of Palmer Parker, a book group, a cooking/recipe exchange group, virtual game night or anything else that takes your fancy. Please fill in this form as you are led and the Zoom ad-hoc group will get back to you, providing zoom support and a sign-up genius for those who are interested in your group.

Following this link for the form: <https://forms.gle/nB8QnvzPq5DY6m69A>

What to Read In Isolation

Richard Miller shares with Friends:

Chapel Hill Public Library has available over 50 magazines to borrow online. In the [Downloadable Materials](#) section of their website. And, the library has been conducting a pilot program of curbside pickup at the library for books that were on hold and ready for pickup when the library closed because of the virus. The library hopes to expand curbside pickup in June, so look for announcements.

Brad Kershner Hosts Bi-Weekly Online Meditation Group, Sundays and Tuesdays

The online guided meditation group led by Brad Kershner will now be meeting twice every week, on **Sundays and Tuesdays at 7:30pm**. Participants have gotten a lot out of this group and have asked for more! You are welcome to join any Sunday or Tuesday. If interested, send an email to:

integratedemergence@gmail.com.

There has never been a better time for an online meditation group!

Quaker House in the News.

Quaker House has continued its work throughout the current Covid-19 crisis. GI Rights Hotline Counseling and the Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, and Moral Injury Counseling Programs continue using virtual communication.

From our GI Rights Hotline Counselors:

"We received this email last week from the mother of a soldier who went AWOL from basic training.... We're glad he found the GI Rights Hotline and reached out to us."

*"Dear Steve and Lenore and GI Hotline,
We want to say "thank you" for all the help received while our son was having trouble in the Army. Through your help and counsel we were able to get him answers and back on track. The process was much easier to deal with after having called and talked to you both on many occasions. He has now been discharged and that process was unexpectedly a breeze. You both knew what, where, when and how to expedite the process and it made the discharge much easier. Our son says, He is very thankful for the HOPE that you all gave to him. We as a family are eternally grateful for your knowledge and help."*

Domestic Violence, PTSD and Moral Injury Counselor Joanna maintains a busy schedule of sessions with clients, all of them now by telephone using a HIPAA compliant app. One client, referred by a mental health counselor on Ft. Bragg, is a 38- year- old male that just medically retired from the Army. He is experiencing severe PTSD and moral injury from multiple deployments in Afghanistan. Many civilian and military workers are being called back to Ft. Bragg, resulting in increased anxiety. Joanna is pleased that military counseling staff is referring clients to us. Joanna continues to counsel families experiencing domestic strife.

Executive Director Kindra Bradley and GI Rights counselor Steve Woolford organized an online workshop for the GI Rights Network, with Deborah Karpatkin, a lawyer who does significant work with conscientious discharge cases. Kindra continues to Co-Chair the board, Steve continues as Treasurer, and Lenore continues on the Council. They have increased the Cases Collaborations Network calls to twice a month via the Quaker House Zoom account in order to keep pace with the changing COVID picture as it affects the different branches of the military.

In other work, Kindra has maintained collaboration with active peace groups, including Veterans for Peace and About Face/Veterans Against the War. Kindra will be giving a workshop at the annual gathering of Palmetto Friends, and has conducted online forums at First Friends and New Garden meetings. Many of the annual sessions of Quaker organizations have been cancelled or will take place remotely. This will save Quaker House some travel expense, but will limit our ability to reach out to Friends personally.

Kindra has also been active in listening sessions, and attended (online) the public release event of the report of the National Commission on Military, National, and Public Service. She has studied portions of the recommendations relevant to Quaker House's mission. This is reflected in an upcoming newsletter article and will be part of future conscientious objection education forums, workshops, and materials. Selective service will remain active, will probably include women, and will focus on recruiting in schools.

This winter, the heating/AC system in Quaker House had to be replaced. We were able to cover this expense from the building reserve fund. The house is in good condition, including a recently replaced roof. Support for Quaker House by donors and meetings has remained strong, but many people are experiencing financial stress. Some meetings that support Quaker House are reporting decreased contributions. We continue to monitor this potential impact on our funding. Quaker House applied for a PPP loan and received a grant to cover staff paychecks and utilities bills for eight weeks. This funding will be significant in allowing us to meet our budget during a time of economic stress on our donors.

Fayetteville Friends meets at Quaker House –

Ann Ashford has been a member of Fayetteville Friends for decades. Her husband John has always been a friend to the meeting, has attended worship with us, and often participated in activities, work, and gatherings. Both Ann and John have been stalwart advocates for peace, justice, community, and the mission of Quaker House. On March 29, John required surgery to repair a broken hip from a fall. Soon afterwards, he developed illness from COVID-19. On Mother's Day, May 10, John passed away. His physical presence and loving nature will be greatly missed. Friends may send Ann a card at 1437 Pine Valley Loop, Fayetteville, NC 28305.

QuakerCraft Online Game, Sundays

Sam Leeman-Munk shares with Friends:

Hi everybody,

This email is about a Minecraft server that Finn and Henry have set up for us.

It is a peaceful server with no player versus player and no monsters, so it is appropriate for young Quakers. The server is available 24/7, but we particularly encourage people to log in at the same time so we can play together. This event started April 19 and happens every Sunday between 1:30 and 3:30.

We are playing Minecraft: Java Edition

<https://www.minecraft.net/en-us/store/minecraft-java-edition>

An account costs about \$27, but anyone who identifies as a child may reach out to Finn James, Tom Munk and me to get an account. For best results, include all three of us on the email so we can work together. Finn James runs the server, and once you have a screenname you can give it to him and he will give you access. For how to access the server, [click here](#).

<https://www.chapelhillfriends.org/assets/hospitality/quakercraft.htm>

DISCORD SERVER

We may be Quakers, but what fun is playing with friends if it's all in silence? I have set up a discord server for chatting while we play. This server will be your first lifeline when navigating the vibrant, potentially overwhelming world of MineCraft, so be sure to join!

<https://discord.gg/F2Jf9MQ>

For more detailed discord instructions, [click here](#) :

<https://www.chapelhillfriends.org/assets/hospitality/quakercraftDiscord.htm>

Sloth Radio Goes Online, Tuesdays and Thursdays

Kathleen McNeil shares with Friends:

Hi Friends/friends,

The First Day School Middle POD (the Sloths) will be sharing our Sloth Radio Hour every Tuesday and Thursday evening at 8PM. You don't need to be in the middle pod to join us. All are welcome. We are reading the first book of the Harry Potter series. We will read for 30-60 minutes depending on interest level. The program will continue to be on zoom at the same address.

[Zoom meeting link available]

Please spread the word if you have any friends that you think would like to join us!

(Virtual) Community Prayer - From Your Own Home, Wednesdays

JOIN US IN A TIME OF (VIRTUAL) COMMUNITY PRAYER - FROM YOUR OWN HOME- on Wednesday evenings from 7 PM-9PM. Join us any time between 7 PM and 9 PM, and stay as long - or as briefly - as you wish. Ministry and Worship Committee is sponsoring this time of prayer together. We view it as an

opportunity to nurture our spiritual community while we are unable to gather in our usual Meetings for Worship.

Lynn and Matt Drake have volunteered to "clerk" the virtual gathering for prayer and healing. Let them know if you plan to participate, if you have questions, if you have names of people to pray for, suggested prayers, etc. Email: matthiascdrake@gmail.com or linda.drake100@gmail.com

Pendle Hill Daily Worship via Zoom, Daily

Pendle Hill Quaker Study, Retreat, and Conference Center is now opening their daily morning worship to everyone, by way of Zoom or phone. A lovely opportunity for gathered worship every morning. "A handful of Pendle Hill residents continue to gather daily in the Barn – from 8:30am to 9:10am Eastern Time – expanding the 90-year-long tradition of daily worship here on campus. Beginning the week of March 16, 2020, we started an experiment of opening the circle of worship to YOU in your home. You can join us here via Zoom."

<https://pendlehill.org/explore/worship/join-us-online-for-worship-in-the-barn/?bblinkid=210290749&bbemailid=19903873&bbejrid=1408822779>

Prayers for Healing/Holding in the Light, Wednesdays

YOU ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN Virtual Prayers for Healing/Holding in the Light, Wednesday evenings. Join us when you can for as long as you wish-from your own home.

Do you have a name or a group of people to add to - or remove from - the list of those we will hold in our hearts and prayers?

If so, please send to Lynn (linda.drake100@gmail.com) or Matt (matthiascdrake@gmail.com). We'll send an updated list on Wednesday afternoons. Thank you for joining us!

Friends General Conference Virtual Gathering, June 26-July 4

Friends General Conference invites your participation in a Virtual Gathering, June 26-July 4. This is a unique opportunity to experience the annual Gathering of Friends from the comfort of your own home. No traveling is required! The **Shotts Memorial/ Leadership Development Fund Committee is offering financial support to Chapel Hill Friends Meeting participants who want to take advantage of this opportunity.** Information about the Virtual program is available here:

www.fgcquaker.org/connect/gathering.

Registration begins at the end of May. **Information about applying for support from the Shotts Memorial/Leadership Development Funds is available here:**

https://www.chapelhillfriends.org/assets/PDF/shotts_information.pdf.

Contact the Shotts Memorial/Leadership Development Fund Committee here:

shotts-leadershipfunds@chapelhillfriends.org.

Quaker Earthcare Witness Meeting has Moved Online

Our meeting will take place online, beginning Thursday, April 23 and ending on Sunday, April 26. Quaker Earthcare Witness (QEW) will be holding their Steering Committee meeting, April 23-26. Friends are welcome to join any or all of their online sessions. QEW is a North American network of Friends carrying concerns for Earthcare. QEW's job is to connect Friends who are taking Spirit-led action and to inspire all of us through sharing stories. All are welcome. If you plan to attend full day sessions, please register in advance (for registration and an agenda, see <https://www.quakerearthcare.org/upcoming>) If you are attending just one session, drop-ins are fine and fees are waived. Contact Shelley@quakerearthcare.org with questions.

What Can I Do To Help The IFC?

Thank you to the many Friends who attended the informative and comprehensive forum on May 24th, featuring Jackie Jenks, Director of Interfaith Council for Social Services. Jackie shared that IFC programs are ongoing during the coronavirus pandemic, and the IFC staff and volunteers are making the necessary changes to promote safety and health. To-go meals are provided at Rosemary Street (100 West Rosemary) instead of sit-down lunches and dinners at the Community Kitchen. Pantry clients call in grocery orders, which are filled by staff and volunteers, and distributed in the Rosemary Street parking lot. Interviews for Emergency Financial Services are conducted by telephone and not face-to-face. Single residents of Community House and Homestart are being temporarily housed in a nearby hotel, with housing funds provided from county and town resources. IFC provides women and men in the hotel with meals and laundry services. Families remain at Homestart, as this facility offers a more beneficial home for children. The Rosemary Street facility is available to community members on specified hours for computer and cell phone use.

Here's how you can help:

1. **Donate food items for the Pantry.** A list of the most needed items are posted on the [IFC website](#). Contributions are accepted M-F, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at Rosemary Street. Call ahead (919 929 6380) to arrange to be met in the parking lot, or leave contributions in bags by the basement door. There's a telephone by the basement door for your use to call staff/volunteers and let them know donations are ready for pick up. If all are busy and no one answers, leave the bags.
2. **Donate masks.** The IFC is providing masks for all clients, staff and volunteers. Call 919 929 6380 to let staff/volunteers know that you have masks to donate. The hours are the same as for food donations — 9:00 am until 4:00 pm M-F.
3. **Donate money.** Traditional food sources — restaurants, UNC Dining services, congregations and food drives, many grocery stores — are not available for donations due to the pandemic. The IFC must buy more food and well as provide for clients in other ways, and client needs are likely to increase as stimulus checks and rent forgiveness programs end. Please consider a financial contribution to the IFC.

Interfaith Council
100 West Rosemary Street
Chapel Hill, NC. 27516

Questions: Call any member of the meeting's IFC committee: James Bartow, Ronald Carnes, Emilie Condon, Asta Crowe, Gordon Davies, Ann Drake, Max Drake, Gwyn Hein, Dottie Heninger and Carolyn Stuart

Chapel Hill Friends Meeting
Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business
9:00 am Sunday, May 17, 2020
Clerk: Chris Stanley; Recording Clerk: Alice Carlton

Attendance: Chris Stanley, Alice Carlton, Madelyn Ashley, Kitty Bergel, Buzz Borchardt, Annette Broadwell, Jeff Brown, Julia Cleaver, Emilie Condon, Dave Curtin, Lynn Drake, Matt Drake, Max Drake, Hank Elkins, Deborah Gibbs, Rich Godfrey, Dottie Henninger, John Hite, Lois Ann Hobbs, Jan Hutton, Lloyd Kramer, Jennifer Leeman, Tom McQuiston, Joyce Munk, Paul Munk, Tom Munk, Gwynne Pomeroy, Faye Stanley, Carolyn White.

1. Opening worship and query. Query: What are we doing to welcome newcomers to Meeting for Worship, to listen sensitively to their needs and hesitations, and to encourage their continued attendance?

Due to technical problems with Zoom, some participants were not able to log on with audio and/or video working. The Clerk had to ask everyone to leave the meeting and rejoin. This took time away from our usual opening and caused some reports to be postponed.

2. The Minutes of the April Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business (MWAB) were approved.

3. A letter for the transfer of membership for Ann Riggs from Chapel Hill Friends Meeting (CHFM) to Annapolis Friends Meeting was presented and approved. (See appendix 1.)

4. Lynn Drake presented an announcement for the Shotts Memorial/Leadership Development Fund regarding the Friends General Conference (FGC) Virtual Gathering 2020.

Friends General Conference invites your participation in a Virtual Gathering, June 26-July 4. This is a unique opportunity to experience the annual Gathering of Friends from the comfort of your own home. No traveling is required!

The Shotts Memorial/Leadership Development Fund Committee is offering financial support to Chapel Hill Friends Meeting participants who want to take advantage of this opportunity. Information about the Virtual program is available here: fgcquaker.org/connect/gathering. Registration begins at the end of May. Contact the Shotts Committee to request financial support.

Piedmont Friends Fellowship (PFF) also offers financial support to attend the FGC Gathering.

5. Dottie Heninger and Gwynne Pomeroy, Co-clerks of Nominations Committee, presented the annual report and the list of givers of time and service. The list will be presented for final approval next month. (See appendix 2.)

6. The Publications & Communications (P&C) annual report was postponed.

7. Maura Murphy, Treasurer, presented a draft budget for the next fiscal year as well as the third quarter report. The pandemic has affected both expenditures and contributions, but over all we are doing well. However, significant benevolence expenditures are yet to come. The pandemic is expected to decrease contributions and parking space rental in the coming year. Substantial cuts to the budget were made accordingly. We will give final approval of the proposed budget next month. (Appendix 3.)

8. Tom Munk, Co-clerk of Peace & Justice (P&J) Committee, presented the annual report. (See appendix 4.)

9. Transition & Support Committee annual report was postponed.

10. The revised response to FGC through Piedmont Friends Yearly Meeting (PFYM) about the anti-racism efforts of Chapel Hill Friends Meeting (CHFM) report was postponed.

11. The InterFaith Council Committee annual report was postponed.

12. Dave Curtin, Clerk of the Library Committee, presented the revised proposal for an ad hoc Pre-Design Renovation Committee to consider renovation goals for the entry area and library of the Meeting house. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, we would like the committee to meet via Zoom (or other means not requiring face to face meeting) and not enter the Meeting building. We have been talking to the Hospitality Committee and Building & Grounds (B&G) and believe members should come from Library, Hospitality, Ministry & Worship, Finance, B&G, and any other committee that wishes to contribute. After some discussion, this proposal was approved. John Hite, Meeting resident, offered to use his laptop camera to help view the space if needed.

13. PFYM is planning a virtual annual session, probably in late July. Stay tuned.

14. Will King's presentation of his letter requesting support from the Meeting as a Conscientious Objector will again be postponed.

15. Next MWAB will be 9:00 am June 21, 2020.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

To send items for the weekly eNews, email: news@chapelhillfriends.org. Put "for eNews" in the subject line. Deadline is each Wednesday at midnight. For the monthly print newsletter, email: news@chapelhillfriends.org. Put "for Newsletter" in the subject line. Deadline is the last Sunday of the month.

16. Closing worship, virtual circle, preparation fro 11:00 am Meeting for Worship.

APPENDICES

Appendix 1

Chapel Hill Friends Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends
531 Raleigh Road
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

17th day, fifth month 2020

Martha Baer, Clerk
Annapolis Friends Meeting
351 DuBois Road
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Martha Baer,

Chapel Hill Friends Meeting received Ann Riggs' request to transfer her membership to the Annapolis Meeting. At our Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business on the 17th day, fifth month 2020, her request was presented and approved. We release her with gratitude and appreciation for the many years she was an active, beloved member of our Meeting.

We have followed Ann's service to Friends General Conference, Friends United Meeting, and the National and World Council of Churches. Her work as a hospital chaplain and then as a teacher at the Earlham School of Religion underscore her dedication to serving others. We admired her work at Friends Theological College in Kaimosi, Kenya, surely a challenging assignment.

We are grateful to Annapolis Friends for being Ann's Quaker home in recent years. Chapel Hill Friends will always welcome Ann in our midst and hope that whenever she is in North Carolina she will again join us in worship and fellowship. She continues to live in our hearts.

We release Ann to Annapolis Meeting's care, knowing that she will be a loving and contributing member in your community.

We send greetings and all best wishes for good health to Annapolis Friends.

Peace,
Chris Stanley
Clerk

Appendix 2

Nominations Committee Annual Report, May 2020

The Committee met several times in person and most recently, by Zoom. We recognize the generous amounts of time and service that our member and attenders devote to the work of our Meeting. Some folks volunteered to be placed on specific committees; we are grateful to them and to the many Friends we sought out to join a committee (or two!).

It is always challenging to match the talents and gifts of our community with the specific needs the Meeting has. Mostly, we have been successful. And we recognize that when we have not been successful it is because members/attenders are already engaged in other Meeting activities. Our is a Meeting full of busy, dedicated folks.

Our challenges to find one additional member to represent CHFM in Piedmont Friends Fellowship, a representative to Piedmont Friends Yearly Meeting, a representative to Carolina Friends School Board, and one vacancy on Children's and Youth Religious Education have not been fulfilled. Our search will continue, and we welcome suggestions.

Our committee was comprised of Gwynne Pomeroy (co-clerk), Dottie Heninger (co-clerk), Annette Broadwell, Leslie Rountree, Mike Jokenin, Carolyn White, and Deborah Gibbs. We ask the Meeting Clerk to convene a naming committee to fill two positions on Nominations that become available in July.

Respectfully submitted,

Dottie Heninger, co-clerk

Nominations Committee Report on Givers of Time and Service, 2020-2021

Gray highlights signify a new person accepting that position or a vacancy

A name in bold indicates that person will serve another term

The number after a name signifies which term they are serving

Position	Friend	Term End
Clerk	Chris Stanley	2022
Recording Clerk	Alice Carlton--2	2021
Treasurer	Maura Murphy-- 2	2021
Meeting Trustees	Marie Hopper--1	2023
	Matt Drake--1	2023
	Lloyd Kramer -- 1	2021
Recorder	Carolyn White--2	2022
Corresponding Clerk	Dottie Heninger--1	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Carolina Friends School Board	John Bell--1	2022
	Pat Mann--3	2021
Meets 4-5 times per year at CFS	Julia Cleaver--2	2023

Committee	Friend	Term End
Quaker House Board	Pam Schwingl--1 (begins Jan.2021)	2023
	Betsy Brinson--1	2022
Meets quarterly: irregularly on Saturdays 10- 2pm in various locations within NC		

Committee	Friend	Term End
Piedmont Friends Yearly Meeting	Leslie Rountree--1	2022
	Alice Carlton--2	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Piedmont Friends Fellowship		
	Jasmine McKewen--1	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Adult Religious Education Fourth Sunday at the rise of Meeting	Jennifer Leeman--1	2022
	Naveed Moeed--1	2022
	Tom Munk --1	2023
	Mark Toles--1	2023
	Max Drake--3	2021
	Perry Martin--2	2021
	Lori Fernald-Kamala--1	2023
	Deborah Gibbs*--1	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Buildings and Grounds Second Sunday at 8:15am in Schoolhouse	Wendy Michener--2	2022
	Tom Ludlow--1	2023
	Richard Miller*--2	2021
	Tom Smith--2	2021
	Bob Duravich*--1	2022
	Bill Cleaver--3	2023
	Dottie Heninger--3	2023
	Brad Kershner--1	2021
David Schneider--2	2021	

	Kurt Hein--1	2021
	John Hite Ex-Officio	

Committee	Friend	Term End
Care and Counsel 8AM second Sunday of month	Jasmine McKewen--2	2022
	Julia Cleaver--1	2022
	Ann Miller--2	2022
	Lynn Drake--1	2021
	Jim Palmer--1	2023
	Pat Mann--2	2023
	Carolyn Stuart--1	2022
	Bonnie Raphael *--2	2021
	Leslie Rountree--1	2023
	Clerk of Meeting- Chris Ex Officio	2022

Committee	Friend	Term End
Children & Youth Religious Education Fourth Thurs. of month at Kathleen's house	Stacey Seawell--2	2020
	Jason James--1	2023
	Simone Kerschner--1	2021
	Jasmine McKewen*--2	2021
	Laura Young--2	2021
	FDS Coordinator- Kathleen McNeil	Ex-Officio

Committee	Friend	Term End
Finance	Tom Ludlow--2	2021
	Monteze Snyder--2	2023
	Rich Godfrey-1	2023

Second Wed. of month at 7:00pm in the Meetinghouse	Mike Jokinen--2	2021
	Geoff Medcalf--1	2021
	Bob Durovich--1	2022
	Gwynne Pomeroy--1	2022
	Treasurer-Maura Murphy	Ex- Officio

Committee	Friend	Term End
Hospitality Second Sunday, at rise of late Meeting	Betsy Fenhagen--1	2023
	Jennifer Leeman--1	2022
	Quaker Harmon--1	2022
	Evelyn Lee--1	2023
	Gordon Davies--1	2022
	Annette Broadwell--2	2021
	Hart Pillow--1	2021
	Buzz Borchardt *--2	2022
	Ben Ray--1	2022

Committee	Friend	Term End
InterFaith Council Meets quarterly but no set date	Asta Crowe--3	2022
	Ronald Carnes--1	2022
	Gwyn Hein--1	2021
	Carolyn White--1	2023
	James Bartow--3	2022
	Emilie Condon--5	2023
	Ann Drake--5	2023
	Max Drake--4	2023
	Dottie Heninger --5	2023

	Carolyn Stuart*--3	2023
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Committee	Friend	Term End
Library Second Sunday, at rise of late Meeting	Lloyd Kramer--2	2022
	Allie Scales--2	2022
	David Curtin *--2	2021
	Annalee Harkins--1	2022
	Bobbie Ackley-1	2023
	John Hite--1	2023
	Eloise Grathwohl--1	2022

Committee	Friend	Term End
Ministry and Worship First Monday at 7:00pm in the library	Alice Carlton--2	2022
	Matt Drake--1	2023
	Allie Scales--1	2023
	Jeff Brown*--1	2021
	Madelyn Ashley--2	2022
	Kitty Bergel--1	2021
	Carolyn White--1	2023
	Clerk of Meeting- Chris Ex Officio	2022

Committee	Friend	Term End
Nominations Monthly as needed January-May	Gwynne Pomeroy *--2	2022
	Mike Jokinen--2	2022

	Carolyn White--2	2023
	Leslie Rountree--2	2023
	Annette Broadwell--2	2023
	Deborah Gibbs--1	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Publications and Communications	Sean Chen *--3	2022
	Jason James--2	2023
	Peter Malone--2	2023
	Finn James--1	2022
	David Curtin--4	2023
Meets every other month on the 4th Sunday	Buzz Borchardt--1	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Schotts/Leadership Fund	Asta Crowe *--1	2021
	Lynn Drake *--1	2021
	Ken Grogan--1	2021
	Jan Hutton--1	2023
	Susan Inglis--1	2021
	Catherine Alquire--3	2023
	Roberto Quercia--3	2021
Rarely meets		

Committee	Friend	Term End
Coalition of Clergy	Carolyn Stuart--2	2022
	Dottie Heninger--2	2022

Committee	Friend	Term End
Peace and Justice Second Sunday at the rise of late Meeting		
	Naveed Moeed*--2	2022
	Faye Stanley--1	2023
	Wendy Michener--2	2022
	Tom Munk* --2	2022
	Ellen O'Brien--1	2022
	Hank Elkins--2	2021
	Joe Groves--1	2022
	Joyce Sandy--1	2022
	Tim Fogarty--1	2021

Committee	Friend	
Returning Citizens Financial Assistance (ReCFAC) Much work done by email	Asta Crowe*--2	2023
	Nancy Milio--2	2021
	Richard Miller--2	2022
	David Schneider--1	2023
	Gwynne Pomeroy--2	2021

Committee	Friend	Term End
Transition & Support First Sunday after Potluck	Tom McQuiston--3	2022
	Richard Miller--3	2022
	Marya Plotkin--1	2023
	David Schneider--3	2022
	Asta Crowe--2	2022
	Hank Elkins--3	2023
	Byron Stevens--2	2023

Meets again the last Tuesday of each month	Nancy Fisher--3	2021
	JT (James Taylor)--1	2022
	Monteze Snyder * --1	2021
	Tim Fogarty--1	2021
	Bonnie Raphael--1	2021

	First Day School Teachers	Spring 2020
Nursery & Pre- kindergarten	Stacey Sewall	
Lower pod	Carolyn Stuart	
	Jasmine McKewen	
	Laura Young	
	Allie Scales	
	Bennett Kirkpatrick	
	Julie Feickert	
Middle Pod	Kathleen McNeil	
	Mark Hulbert	
	Andrea Wuerth	
Upper Pod	Leslie Rountree	
	John Hite	
	Herbert Struemper	
	Simone Kirschner	

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Budget v. Actuals
 July 2019 through April 2020

	Jul '19 - Apr 20	Budget	% of Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
Building Rental	888.22	300.00	296.1%
Contributions	55,530.50	67,935.00	81.7%
Parking space rental	4,570.00	4,800.00	95.2%
Total Income	<u>60,988.72</u>	<u>73,035.00</u>	<u>83.5%</u>
Gross Profit	60,988.72	73,035.00	83.5%
Expense			
A-Obligations			
Bank Fee	0.00	50.00	0.0%
FDS Coordinator/Childcare	5,189.89	6,000.00	86.5%
Insurance	350.00	5,900.00	5.9%
Software License Fee	299.00	1,000.00	29.9%
UBIT, Storm Fees	1,390.49	1,240.00	112.1%
Utilities	4,375.05	5,000.00	87.5%
Total A-Obligations	<u>11,604.43</u>	<u>19,190.00</u>	<u>60.5%</u>
B-Committees			
Adult Religious Ed	0.00	100.00	0.0%
Building and Grounds	10,860.38	13,000.00	83.5%
Care and Counsel			
Meeting for Suffering	0.00	110.00	0.0%
Care and Counsel - Other	100.00	200.00	50.0%
Total Care and Counsel	<u>100.00</u>	<u>310.00</u>	<u>32.3%</u>
Children's/Youth Religious Ed	160.59	1,000.00	16.1%
Finance			
Contingency Fund	0.00	350.00	0.0%
Finance - Other	277.86	1,000.00	27.8%
Total Finance	<u>277.86</u>	<u>1,350.00</u>	<u>20.6%</u>
Friends Transition & Suppt-Yoke	490.10	1,700.00	28.8%
Hospitality	176.06	400.00	44.0%
IFC	125.00	200.00	62.5%
Library	0.00	450.00	0.0%
Ministry and Worship	589.05	900.00	65.5%
Nominations	0.00	10.00	0.0%
Peace and Justice			
National Quaker Service	1,109.93	1,500.00	74.0%
Peace and Justice - Other	0.00	500.00	0.0%
Total Peace and Justice	<u>1,109.93</u>	<u>2,000.00</u>	<u>55.5%</u>
Publications and Communications	259.42	1,750.00	14.8%
Total B-Committees	<u>14,148.39</u>	<u>23,170.00</u>	<u>61.1%</u>
C-Transfers to other accounts			
Care and Counsel	0.00	500.00	0.0%
Leadership Development	0.00	200.00	0.0%
Physical Plant Fund	0.00	2,000.00	0.0%
Returning Citizens	0.00	1,000.00	0.0%
Youth Service Trip	0.00	800.00	0.0%
Total C-Transfers to other accounts	<u>0.00</u>	<u>4,500.00</u>	<u>0.0%</u>

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	Jul '19 - Apr 20	Budget	% of Budget
D-Benevolences			
Archives Benevolences	0.00	150.00	0.0%
M&W Benevolences	0.00	1,400.00	0.0%
Other benevolence	250.00		
P&J Benevolences	0.00	24,625.00	0.0%
Total D-Benevolences	250.00	26,175.00	1.0%
Total Expense	26,002.82	73,035.00	35.6%
Net Ordinary Income	34,985.90	0.00	100.0%
Other Income/Expense			
Other Income			
Misc Income			
Building Renovation Donation	13,719.96	0.00	100.0%
Interest income	5.18	0.00	100.0%
Misc Income - Other	11,111.74	0.00	100.0%
Total Misc Income	24,836.88	0.00	100.0%
Total Other Income	24,836.88	0.00	100.0%
Other Expense			
Building Renovation			
Upstairs renovation	6,417.13		
Total Building Renovation	6,417.13		
Capital expense	8,650.00		
Credit Card Fee	187.88		
Returning Citizens (ReFac)	1,094.72		
Shotts Leadership	1,615.00	0.00	100.0%
Total Other Expense	17,964.73	0.00	100.0%
Net Other Income	6,872.15	0.00	100.0%
Net Income	41,858.05	0.00	100.0%

Since our last report, in March of 2019, the Peace & Justice Committee has been busy. We conduct open meetings each month at the rise of late Meeting on second Sundays. We conduct informative, and at times spirited discussions of the many peace and justice activities of the Meeting and of individual Friends. This report highlights only some of these activities, which are too numerous to report in full.

Benevolences: This year, the Meeting approved a revision to the way that we apportion benevolences. The revision was generated with extensive input from many Friends. The Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business will take direct responsibility for oversight of our five largest, legacy benevolences. These benevolences will receive 79% of the amount reserved for Peace and Justice Benevolences. The remaining 21% were discerned (and will be discerned annually) by the Peace and Justice Committee. P&J will continue to meet the following guidelines for their benevolence decisions as stated in previous P&J reports: "Meeting benevolences MUST be either (a) Quaker-affiliated organizations, or (b) local organizations that reflect our Meeting's values and with which members of the Meeting are closely involved."

Bahamas. Tim Fogarty, for the P&J committee, facilitated a donation by the Meeting to support individuals devastated by Hurricane Dorian.

FCNCL. The committee joyfully supported the creation this year of the Friends Committee on North Carolina Legislation under the care of Piedmont Friends Yearly Meeting. FCNCL will focus its efforts this year on electoral reform, access to quality healthcare, environmental protection (includes climate change), and criminal justice reform. We are grateful to Karen Porter for her leadership.

Solar Panels. The Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business has approved a committee proposal to set up a cross-committee investigation of the possibility of installing solar panels on the Meetinghouse and the Schoolhouse. We are grateful for the leadership of Hank Elkins and Wendy Michener.

Advocacy Teams. Curt Torell and Tom Munk have created and led an FCNL Advocacy Team this year that has met multiple times with our Congressman, David Price, his staffers, and staffers for Senators Burr and Tillis. We are working on creating relationships with those staffers, recognizing that human connection is an excellent way to create positive change. This year Congress has passed several bills limiting the war-making powers of the President. Our work continues. Please let Curt or Tom know if you would like to join us.

Anti-racism. We have been holding in the Light ways to establish ourselves as an anti-racist meeting and that we continue to do this work as PFF/YM also look to work on this through their meetings.

We are particularly grateful for the services of Karen Porter, who clerked the committee for the first half of the year. With the joyful birth of her grandson, she has retired from the committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Hank Elkins, Tim Fogarty, Joe Groves, Wendy Michener, Naveed Moeed (co-clerk), Tom Munk (clerk), Ellen O'Brien, Karen Porter, Joyce Sandy

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