Second Hour Programs

July 13th Community Radio

A presentation on Fayetteville community radio by Joe Newman.

Called Meeting. On July 13th there will also be a brief "called meeting" to consider a proposal for a letter in support of Fayetteville Fairness Coalition.

July 20th Worship Sharing

July 27th Death Cafe

A dialogue to increase awareness of death with a view to helping people make the most of their (finite) lives. Led by Maya Porter.

August 3rd Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business

The Quaker process in action. A spirit-led business meeting.

"Dear Brethren, in the unchangeable, everlasting, powerful truth of God. My love salutes you in the heavenly union. I am present with you, who are obedient to the measure of the eternal Light, which never changes, and who abides in the oneness of the Spirit, and in the bond of peace, which never can be broken nor taken from you. Here is freedom, which the world knows not. To the measure of God in every particular made manifest, and obeyed, and lived in, doth my love flow freely to you. My dear hearts, be faithful in every particular to your own measure of grace, made manifest and enjoyed; and in that which is eternal, wait continually... so you may come to receive living virtue from the living God, and be fed with the living bread, and drink of the living water of the spiritual rock, which they drank of in the wilderness. And be subject and patient and do not look out...Therefore stand faithful and bold for the truth upon the earth. — Margaret Fell, 1654





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Meeting for Worship is on Sundays. It begins with worshipful singing and sharing at 9:30 a.m. followed by one hour of silent/waiting worship which starts at 9:45 a.m.

After worship on most Sundays there is a break for fellowship with coffee, tea, and snacks, which is then followed, at about 11:15 a.m., by an enlightening and enjoyable, "second hour" program.

Visitors and enquirers are always very welcome.

We <u>need</u> more **greeters** for the meeting on Sundays. Please consider signing-up to meet and greet. This service to our meeting binds us together and provides a welcome to visitors and inquirers. Let Maya Porter or another member of *hospitality committee* know a date that works for you.

The **Education Committee** will meet Monday July 21 at 4:00 pm at the Meeting House. Open to all who are interested. Frances Hime is the committee clerk.

97.3 FM, in Fayetteville, will soon carry a radio station that will provide a broadcast voice for local musicians, poets, authors and personalities, and be a resource to promote local events and causes. A dedicated group of citizens has been working for two years to bring this station to Fayetteville. Its studio will be located at *Nightbird Books* on Dickson Street, with a 2nd production studio that the group has already built at the Omni Center. You could be involved.

Their goal is to inform and empower listeners to play an active role in the radio station, and in the community. Joe Newman will make a second-hour presentation to us on Sunday July 13th.

Potluck **Saturday 2nd August** 5:30 p.m. At the home of Deirdre & Richard Phillips in Prairie Grove.

Cooperative Emergency Outreach has several volunteer opportunities available that can be done outside of the normal client hours.

They include: volunteer to pick up bread some Wednesdays in Springdale and deliver to CEO; help to unload and shelve food at CEO on Thursday afternoons around 2:30; pick up donated food once per month (usually the last Wed), deliver to CEO and unload (takes about 3 hours); be on call to help store food when churches have food drives; help to bag rice, beans, cereal; assist publicity by monitoring email and social media.

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The Education Committee plans to organize another **book study**, probably beginning in the fall. If you are interested, let Jane Purtle know so that we can find a mutually agreeable time. The book to be studied is: *The New Jim Crow* by Michelle Alexander.

This month we are collecting **toiletries** for CEO. Please put your contribution in the box at meeting.

The recent visit by Don Satterthwaite focused our attention on the situation in **Uganda** which has passed a law making homosexuality a 14-year prison sentence. This has also led to a spike in hate violence. There is a Friends response with a *New Underground Railroad* aiding victims of intolerance to find asylum. You can help with a donation. More at:

Friends New Under ground Railroad. org

The *Camp Cleanup*, which made ready a summer camp for Native American children in Oklahoma in June, was a great success. Another workout is tentatively planned for the fall. Here is one of the usual suspects (LaDeana Mullinix) working on preparing the merry-go-round for painting:

