



*"Quiet minds cannot be perplexed or frightened,  
but go in fortune or misfortune at their own private pace, like a clock during a thunderstorm."*  
- Robert Louis Stevenson, 1850-1894.

## **fayetteville monthly meeting**

website: <http://www.fayettevillefriends.org>  
meeting contact no.: 1-888-909-1110  
Co-clerks: Elizabeth Bullock-Rest,  
Richard Tiffany, Mary Elsie Marchant

### ▪ **meeting for worship**

Sundays 9:30am, Wednesdays 6pm - 7pm  
Bennett House (OMNI Center),  
3274 N. Lee Avenue, Fayetteville.

### ▪ **activities after meeting**

Most Sundays 11:15 am for about 1 hour.  
Coffee and tea available.

#### **March 6th meeting for worship with attention to business**

The Quaker process in action – a spirit led  
business meeting where all are welcome.

#### **March 13<sup>th</sup> British Quakerism**

A presentation by former U. of A. professor,  
and author of *British Quakerism: 1860 –  
1920*, Tom Kennedy.

Note: clocks spring forward today.

#### **March 20<sup>th</sup> worship sharing**

With Michael Buonaiuto.

#### **March 27th education program**

### ▪ **Q-life teens**

Starts at around 5:00pm, auspicious  
Sundays, at Elizabeth Bullock-Rest's home.

## **potlucks**

### **Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup>**

At Mary V. Cochran and Garin Wiggins'  
home in Fayetteville. 479-575-9302

## **meeting for healing**

Meets every Tuesday at 6pm at Bennett House  
or at an "on the road" location. So requests to  
have the meeting at someone's home are  
welcomed. Friends who have concerns they  
would like us to remember are invited to provide  
a name and a few words to be brought to the  
healing circle.

Betty Blanch 479-409-0532  
Maya Porter 479-443-1868

## **committees**

*Committee meetings are open to all with the exception of  
Ministry & Oversight. Contact the clerks for more info.  
and to find when and where the next meeting is to be.*

### ▪ **communication**

Working meetings now take place at the  
home of Garin Wiggins. 479-575-9302  
[garinchadwiggins@gmail.com](mailto:garinchadwiggins@gmail.com)

### ▪ **education**

Temporarily under the care of Mary V.  
Cochran pending the full recuperation of  
Peter Marchant.

Mary V. Cochran 479-575-9302

### ▪ **hospitality**

Gladys Tiffany 479-973-9049  
[gladystiffany@yahoo.com](mailto:gladystiffany@yahoo.com)

### ▪ **ministry and oversight**

Karen Takemoto  
[ktakemoto@aol.com](mailto:ktakemoto@aol.com)

### ▪ **peace & justice**

Gladys Tiffany 479-973-9049  
[gladystiffany@yahoo.com](mailto:gladystiffany@yahoo.com)

## **help!**

Our Meeting rummage/tag/garage sale will be **Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> 8:30 a.m. - noon**, at the United Campus Ministries building at 902 W. Maple St. Tell all your friends and relations to come and buy (half off after noon), get great bargains, and support a very good local cause (all profits, to *Community Emergency Outreach*) PLEASE take your donated stuff, in the days prior to the sale, to the storage room that is to the right and at the back of the main room downstairs at UCM (it was looking a little empty last time I looked – we need it groaning with stuff). Kindly label the bags "Q SALE".

We need lots more stuff to sell, hangers for clothes, bags for sold items, and more help!  
Margaret Britain 479-236-0926

## **quarterly meeting**

As the daffodils springing from the ground remind us: Spring Quarterly is on the way. It will be at Lake Fort Smith from Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup> until Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>.

## **harmonious once more**

The *Interfaith Harmony Day* that was cancelled due to inclement weather has now been re-scheduled to Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 - 5:30.

Please Let Karen Takemoto know if you are still able to help. There are two shifts:

early 1:45-3:30; late 3:30-5:30.

ktakemoto@aol.com 479-267-5822

## **spiritual sunsets**

Local Quakers will be getting a privileged sneak preview of the Turrell Skyscape installation, *The Way of Color*, at the soon to open NW Arkansas *Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art* in Bentonville. Created by internationally renowned artist, and Quaker, James Turrell, the exhibit is experiential and involves gazing at his created skyscape as the sun sets.

Our outings will be on the evenings of Wednesday, April 13<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to our new attender, Jason Dean, for arranging this treat for us. Contact him to get with the program if you haven't already signed up online. If you don't know what to expect at the skyscape Jan Dean has a great entry in her blog here:

<http://www.thedeanfiles.com/2011/02/02/skyspace/>

Jason.Dean@me.com 432- 413-1544

## **his holiness**

**Tickets soon become available for the visit of the Dalai Lama to Fayetteville on Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup>.** There will be a morning discussion and an afternoon lecture both in the Bud Walton Arena on the U. of A. campus. He will deliver his keynote address, *Non-Violence in the New Century: The Way Forward* from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

The morning panel discussion: *Turning Swords into Ploughshares: The Many Paths of Non-Violence*, will be from 9:30 to 11 a.m.

### **Tickets**

**Free student tickets became available March 1<sup>st</sup>. Tickets for faculty and staff will go on sale March 7<sup>th</sup>, and for the general public, on March 15<sup>th</sup>.** Tickets \$15 to \$30.

To order tickets call the Walton Arts Center box office, 479-443-5600, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Monday through Friday, and from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, or order online:

<http://waltonartscenter.org>.

For more information, please call 479-575-7272

<http://dalailama.uark.edu/>

## **meeting house**

At the February *meeting for worship with attention to business*, we established a Meeting House Committee to find a long-term meeting place. Maya Porter agreed to convene the committee, sometime in the spring. Everyone is encouraged to join in the conversation. Please let Maya know if you would like to be notified of the first meeting.

Maya Porter

479-443-1868

## **yearly meeting**

South Central Yearly Meeting will be held at: Greene Family Camp, Bruceville, Texas.

Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup> - Sunday April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

The theme is *SCYM: Reaching Deeper*.

Financial assistance to attend is available.

<http://www.scym.org/yearlymeeting/>

## **gathering**

2011 Gathering of Friends General Conference will be 9<sup>th</sup> at Grinnell College in Grinnell, Iowa.

Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> – Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

The theme will be *Meeting at the Center*.

<http://www.fgcquaker.org/gathering>