

Second Hour Programs

Nov. 8th Family Hour

Bring children and grandchildren for a relaxed get together and play time.

Nov. 15th Worship Sharing

Worship sharing is a themed worship led by an individual and often centering on a query or queries. Worship sharing helps us listen to each other in a deeply spiritual, loving, and prayerful way.

Nov. 22nd Hypnotherapy

Deborah Bird, who is a hypnotherapist herself, will discuss the "Who, What, and How of Hypnotherapy".

Nov. 29th Fifth Sunday Potluck

A time to informally socialize, with whatever refreshments we might bring. A great time for enquirers to visit.

Dec. 6th Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business

The Quaker process in action. A spirit-led business meeting. All are welcome to attend.

Dec. 13th Christmas Memories

Famous

The river is famous to the fish.

The loud voice is famous to silence, which knew it would inherit the earth before anybody said so.

The cat sleeping on the fence is famous to the birds watching him from the birdhouse.

The tear is famous, briefly, to the cheek.

The idea you carry close to your bosom is famous to your bosom.

The boot is famous to the earth, more famous than the dress shoe, which is famous only to floors.

The bent photograph is famous to the one who carries it and not at all famous to the one who is pictured.

I want to be famous to shuffling men who smile while crossing streets, sticky children in grocery lines, famous as the one who smiled back.

I want to be famous in the way a pulley is famous, or a buttonhole, not because it did anything spectacular, but because it never forgot what it could do.

—Naomi Shihab Nye



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November 2015

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.**

Our rummage sale in aid of *Cooperative Emergency Outreach* will take place on Saturday, November 7th, 8:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. (Half price after noon). At our usual location of the hall at Rolling Hills Baptist church: 1400 E. Rolling Hills Drive, Fayetteville. Come and buy – it's recycling in action!

If you are interested in forming or joining a *Spiritual Friendship Group* then please come to the information sharing evening on Friday, November 13th at 6 p.m. at the home of Deirdre & Richard Phillips in Prairie Grove. If you are unable to attend but wish to be included please let a member of *Ministry & Oversight Committee* know.

Our next *Alternatives to Violence Program* (AVP) training will take place December 4th — 6th at Tucker Prison, AR. Let Richard Tiffany know if you would like to participate.

Until the completion of South Central Yearly Meeting's *Faith and Practice* we follow the guidance of Pacific Yearly Meeting's version. It is available online here:

<http://tinyurl.com/faithandpractice>

Our *Nominating Committee*, reported their recommendations to November *Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business*:

Associate Clerk: Deirdre Phillips;
Ministry & Oversight Committee: Leslie Coston & Annais Karliner; (along with Betty Blanch, Mary Elsie Marchant & Deirdre Phillips);
Recording Clerk: Maya Porter;
Treasurer: Richard Phillips;
Archivist: LaDeana Mullinix.

Our current *Associate Clerk*, Mary Elsie Marchant, will become *Clerk*. Their appointments will be considered for final approval at the December *Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business*.

Much of the good work our meeting done is with **your financial support**. You can donate to our meeting, cash or check (payable to *Fayetteville Friends Meeting*), by placing your donation in the wooden box at meeting (it is usually to be found on the table near the snacks). For those of you who make a yearly pledge, now may be the time to check your pledged contributions for the year are up-to-date.

A seasonal **December potluck** will take place at the home of Mary V. Cochran and Garin Wiggins. Date to be confirmed.

We are delighted that Karen Takemoto and LaDeana Mullinix have asked to be married under the care of the Meeting. Look for a spring 2016 wedding!

Richard Phillips became officially a **member of Meeting** at the November *Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business*.

Now that the restaurant next door to the Meeting House has opened, and as part of our good neighbor policy towards them, you may wish to leave the parking lot adjacent to the meeting house for our visitors and those with disabilities, thereby leaving plenty of space for potential customers of the restaurant. There is **ample parking** next to *Liquor World* just up the road.