

Portland Friends Newsletter

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NINTH MONTH 2012

First Day schedule

Meeting for Worship

Sundays 10:30am

Religious Education

2nd & 4th Sundays:
Adults 9am, singing 10am,
youth 10:45am

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Those who contemplate the beauty of the earth find reserves of strength that will endure as long as life lasts. There is something infinitely healing in the repeated refrains of nature -- the assurance that dawn comes after night, and spring after winter. —Rachel Carson

Query Nine—Stewardship

Do you revere all life and the splendor of God's continuing creation? Do you try to protect the natural environment and its creatures against abuse and harmful exploitation? Do you regard your possessions as given to you in trust, and do you part with them freely to meet the needs of others? Are you frugal in your personal life and committed to the just distribution of the world's resources?

Upcoming Events

- Sep 20** Maine Council of Churches "Civil Discourse on Same-Sex Marriage", 7pm, Luther Bonney Hall, USM
- Sep 23** Singing & Religious Ed: Adults 9am, singing 10am, Grand Start of First Day School for youth at 10:45am
- Sep 28** Preble Street Soup Kitchen, 3:30-7pm. Aaiyn Foster, 766-9762
- Sep 29-30** PFM Retreat, Friends Camp, China, ME
- Oct 5-7** Junior High Yearly Meeting retreat, Portland
- Oct 10 - Nov 18** FUM's 40 Days of Prayer for the Future of Friends
- Oct 12-14** Young Friends retreat, Leverett, MA
- Oct 13** Saturday Art Project, PFM 10am-noon. Kathy Beach, 233-2065
- Oct 13** Youngish Adults Potluck, 5-8pm. Marnie Grumbach, 856-5008
- Oct 13** Friends of Kakamega 10th anniversary, 7-9pm, Presumpscot School
- Oct 14** Singing & Religious Ed: Adults 9am, singing 10am, youth 10:45am

There are members and attenders who need rides to Meeting and other support during times of difficulty. If you need or can provide rides, food, or your silent presence at home meetings for worship, please leave a message for Shannon O'Connor, 774-2578.

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Deadline for receiving newsletter items: Friday after business meeting or sooner!

Minutes of Portland Friends Monthly Meeting

September 9, 2012

1. Portland Friends Meeting for Business began in silent worship with 31 members and attenders present, during which co-clerk Anne Harwood read the Ninth Query from NEYM Faith and practice, which begins: Do you revere all life and the splendor of God's continuing creation?

2. **Clerk's Comments.** Co-clerk Anne Harwood talked about her mother, who died in July, and how her mother's death has led her to realize that no reactions are simple. Her mother's death meant a great tree went down in her forest and a hole is left, and she is grieving. At the same time, there is space in her life that she never had before, her own tree has space to grow, and she is feeling expansive. She read a poem that had been read at her mother's funeral service – River Notes by Barry Lopez.

3. **Acceptance of Minutes of July 29 Meeting for Business.** The minutes were accepted as written.

4. **Treasurer's Report.** At 8 months into the year we are 67% through it. Income from Donations, Rent and our Endowment is at 52%, \$37,791. Expenses for the meetinghouse, the meeting community, and PFM's contributions to other organizations stand at 54%, or \$41,403 so there is currently a \$3,612 budget deficit.

Members expressed their appreciation for the new simplified format, which many found easier to follow. We were reminded that this simplification made for a reduced emphasis on pressing people for contributions, even though they don't say everything that needs to be said. The historical context could if necessary be provided separately, if it was thought necessary, though it was pointed out that

people who wanted more detail were welcome to join Financial Oversight. It was suggested that the addition of one column to show the previous year's figures might supply sufficient context. The Treasurer's report was accepted.

5. **Financial Oversight.** The Financial Oversight Committee will be asking the clerks of each committee to submit their budget proposals for 2013 by October 20th. They will send a letter soon to the clerks of each committee with a follow-up phone call. They are also planning to send a letter to each member and attender asking for either a pledge for 2013 or an estimate of their annual donation to the Meeting. This will help us make a realistic budget.

On Sept. 23 at 9:00 Sara Jane Elliot will lead a discussion on September 23rd at Adult Religious Ed entitled "You and Your Money".

On October 14th, at the rise of Meeting, they are planning a Threshing Session, facilitated by Sara Jane Elliot and Dorothy Grannell. The theme will be what PFM means to us, and how we show that with our monetary gifts to support the life of the Meeting.

6. **Ministry and Counsel.** Ministry and Counsel meets again on September 20th. There is an ongoing marriage clearness committee for David Spector and Shannon O'Connor. There is a concern about greeting, and Ministry and Counsel would like to offer the opportunity to join the roster of greeters to other experienced members of the meeting. We were asked to ensure that greeters turn on lights and the amplifier and open blinds to make the building bright and welcoming.

Meg Braley, daughter of Margaret Raymond, has asked us to hold Margaret Raymond in the light and ensure that she does not receive too many visitors at once but co-ordinate them through Meg. The Retreat Committee is continuing their work for the Retreat in the last weekend of September. Brad Bussiere-Nichols is collecting registrations, which are going smoothly. 29 people have registered so far, and there are potentially more to come. Andy Grannell commented that a recent visit to Friends Camp had impressed him with its appearance and the quality of the food.

We have received Equalization Funds, so funding is available for those who may need it. Somebody is needed to be a certified lifeguard. A nurse will be on site.

7. **Peace and Social Concerns.** Jennifer Frick reported for Peace and Social Concerns that they have had a request from Vassalboro Quarter for support of a student scholarship at Ramallah Friends School. Vassalboro Quarter has pledged \$2800 per year to support one student over a 12 year period. They are asking for donations to help them raise that total each year for the duration of their commitment. We are asked to support this project. The background of the Ramallah School is not clear to many, and one comment was that it might be helpful for there to be a presentation about this to our meeting. As we are talking about money currently, this might be a time to include the school in our discussion and consider its importance and its connections with us in Maine. Andy Grannell offered to gather the facts. A suggestion was made that the presentation might fit into the Retreat program, plus an item in the newsletter. This will enable PFM to decide how much it would like to contribute towards the \$2800 amount committed by Vassalboro Quarter.

We were reminded that there are other commitments for the meeting that might be affected by pledges given to this one. More information about things we give to in this context would be useful as part of our ongoing education. Historically the bulk of contributions have come from individuals rather than the meeting budget, but this is being requested from the meeting as part of Vassalboro Quarter's 12 year commitment separate from individual gifts.

Request from Mainers United for Marriage to join Coalition for Same Sex Marriage. They have asked if we can join their list of sponsors of Mainers United for Marriage, working to win the freedom to marry for same-sex couples in Maine. This was approved. There is a form on the Mainers United for Marriage website that can be used by those who wish to volunteer for action.

Support is being requested for Dorothy Grannell and Cushman Anthony for a program with David Zarembka, a member of Baltimore Yearly Meeting who lives in Kenya, who uses AVP techniques to resolve conflict in Kenya. The program is being presented at First Parish Church on Oct. 1 at 7pm: "Peacemaking after deadly conflict: healing and reconciliation in Rwanda, Burundi and Kenya". Portland Friends Meeting is co-sponsoring this event, though we are not being asked to provide the costs. PFM approved co-sponsoring this event.

Treasurer's Report at a glance:

- 8 months = 67% of the year
- Total Income = \$37,791. (52% of budget)
- Total Expenses = \$41,403. (54% of budget)
- Budget Deficit = \$3,612

Minutes, September 9, 2012, continued

7. Youth Religious Education. Lise Wagner reported that they are excited about the beginning of the new year on September 23rd, which will open with a celebration. They are recommending that the meeting hire Jessica Eller as their nursery co-ordinator. This was enthusiastically approved. We have fewer teenagers available to help and adult help in the nursery would be appreciated. Substitute teachers for the older children are also needed. Friends are asked to contact Jessica Eller to help in the nursery, and Anne Payson to help in First Day School. The over-arching theme of the year is Our Community, and we will be considering what the children can give to us as well as us to them. Committees will be asked this year for small projects that a class can work on with them. New England Quaker Youth Education Committee is sponsoring a retreat for parents of teens.

8. Request from Friends United Meeting to join their program 40 Days of Prayer. This is an announcement from FUM to invite people to participate in prayer and discernment on various topics between Oct 10th-Nov 18th that will end with a day of discernment about the future of Friends United Meeting. The queries and issues are well thought out and can be found on www.fum.org under the heading "40 Days of Prayer".

9. New England Yearly Meeting Nominating Committee. We still need a representative to NEYM nominating Committee. There have been no takers so far.

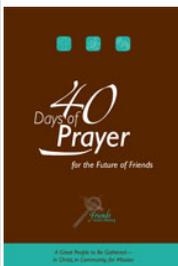
10. Report from New England Yearly Meeting Sessions. Anna Barnett gave a report of highlights from NEYM Sessions. They are welcoming a new secretary, Noah Baker-Merrill, who will take up his post in January. The theme was "Choose Integrity" and people were moved by it and reflected deeply. Two new items were approved for NEYM Faith and Practice. One was a chapter on Friends' experiences, and the other was a new Advices and Queries. The new chapter is available at www.neym.org/fandp and there is also a link on the NEYM website to the Advices and Queries. We were asked if these links could be provided on our own website. We are asked to use these new chapters and reflect on them in preparation for their final approval. NEYM sold the Friends Home, which raised a little over \$1m, and they are entering into discernment on how to spend it. We are asked to reflect on our own personal relationship with money, which is synchronous with our own efforts in this direction and will enable us to contribute to the discernment. A lesson for us is to reflect on our relationship with institutions in a modern context of legal complexity.

11. Reminders:

- Arla Patch coming Sept. 16 to speak about Truth and Reconciliation
- Meeting Retreat Sept. 29-30
- Next Meeting for Business Oct. 7 9:00 a.m.

We closed in silent worship at 10:30 a.m., purposing to meet again at 9:00 a.m. on October 7, 2012, God willing.

Jenny Doughty, Co-Recording Clerk



Join in 40 Days of Prayer with Friends United Meeting "For the Future of Friends"

Friends United Meeting (FUM) is requesting that all Friends everywhere join in 40 Days of Prayer and Discernment with them from October 10 through November 18th, 2012. Many New England Friends and Portland Friends have been concerned about the personnel policy of FUM as well as other theological issues. Portland Friends Meeting has been supportive of the mission work of FUM while not in agreement with the personnel policy or all of its theological stands.

Friends United Meeting works with Quakers around the world the majority of whom do not understand their faith in the same way as the majority of NE Quakers. That being said, many members and attenders of our Meeting are strongly in support of the work being done with the orphans at Kakamega, the peace and reconciliation work being done in Kenya and Burundi and the educational and peace work of the Ramallah Friends School on the West Bank in Palestine. Friends from Maine are and have been important to these missions and their continuation is an important witness to the power of peacemaking and love.

Praying with FUM Friends in the US and around the world for 40 days and sharing what comes from our prayer with Friends United Meeting on or around their full day of discernment on November 18th, is a positive way that we can participate in the struggle that FUM is undergoing. The booklet pictured here is for sale for \$5.00 through the www.fum.org web site. On October 1st, it will be available for download in a PDF file through the same web site. If we as Friends believe that holding people and organizations in the Light is an effective way to show our love and discern the will of God in our lives, now is a good time to join with those with whom we often differ to seek the Truth. I would urge you to read the introduction to the book by the FUM executive Colin Saxton at http://www.fum.org/about/40DaysofPrayer_2012_Introduction.htm.

The booklet is designed to be used by a group. If anyone would like to join me on a weekly basis in October and November to reflect on the queries that are presented please contact me via e-mail at dorothygrannell@maine.rr.com Please note that FUM will have an online way to join in a group doing this discernment. --Dorothy Grannell



Portland Friends Meeting Retreat: Deepening Our Connections Through Worship & Play

September 29th-30th, 2012

Friends Camp, 729 Lakeview Drive, South China, ME

REGISTER ONLINE at: <http://tinyurl.com/PFMretreat>

The Portland Friends Meeting fall retreat, "Deepening our connections through worship and play," will be held at Friends Camp in China, Maine September 29-30. This is a gathering for all ages with childcare, youth and adult program, intergenerational activities, and free time. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. We plan to gather Saturday morning to register and settle in. Program will begin at 11. Worship sharing and small group time for adults will follow lunch, to coincide with the children's program. Swimming, games and free time in the late afternoon are planned. Bring your talents to share in a talent show (instruments, props, costumes...however the spirit moves in you!). Sunday we will worship together and the retreat will end after lunch.

Carpooling is available. Meet others at the Meetinghouse on Saturday morning to combine carloads (time TBA) and drive up to Friends Camp. Or use the online form (or call Brad) to let us know that you need a ride.

If you can register online, great! We prefer it. But if you have already sent a paper registration form, then you are all set. **Please Register by September 20!** Brad will email confirmation to you when it is received.

Mail your check made out to "Portland Friends Meeting" to: Brad Nichols, 97 Alba St. Portland 04103.

Please don't hesitate to come for financial reasons. And if you can contribute to our equalization fund... great.

Thanks,

The Retreat Committee



Photo: Easter 2012, Brad Bussiere-Nichols

Maine Friends Seek Support for Palestinian Education at Ramallah Friends School

Vassalboro Quarterly Meeting has asked PFM and other monthly meetings in Maine for a one-time or annual donation to help support the Ramallah Friends School. We'll be considering this request in future business meetings and possibly during Adult Religious Education as we reflect on our decisions around money. Andy Grannell provides some background on the school and on VQM's request:

"Since 1869, and despite the political volatility of the region, Ramallah Friends School has continued to serve the needs of Palestinian families, providing educational excellence built upon Quaker values of equality, simplicity, and peace."

Acting on a strong yet not clear leading to go in mission to Palestine, Eli (1807-1890) and Sybil Jones (1808-1873) of South China were the two Quakers who provided both the initial spark and the early support for this unique Quaker school. Once their leading became clear, then Eli and Sybil – as early as 1869 - agreed to support the establishment of a school for girls at Ramallah.

Throughout the continuously shifting political oversight for Ramallah, this Quaker school has provided a singular educational experience known for both its educational excellence and the Quaker values of simplicity, equality, and peace. As a 1964 alumnae, Hanan Mikhail-Ashrawi, Palestinian legislator, activist, and scholar states, "The Friends School in Ramallah have not only trained outstanding leaders of national and global standing, but more importantly, they have provided generations of Palestinians with the knowledge, skills, and values that have enabled them to become better human beings."

Currently RFS enrolls 1175 students (55% boys/45% girls): 521 in the upper school, 654 in the lower school. College is the goal of 93% of RFS graduates and many enter US colleges of highest distinction.

Traveling here among Friends in Maine in September of 2010, Joyce Ajlouny, Head of School met with many. Responding to the request of Joyce Ajlouny, Vassalboro Quarterly Meeting Friends agreed to seek to provide the annual support for one student attending RFS. The amount agreed to was \$2,800 per year for 13 years. Now in turn, VQM Friends are seeking annual support for this scholarship from Portland Friends Meeting, and/or Portland Meeting members or attenders. If you have additional questions, please contact Andy Grannell at grannell@maine.rr.com

Same-sex marriage campaign in Maine

PFM joins coalition



This month Portland Friends Meeting joined the Coalition for Same-Sex Marriage, endorsing the campaign to win the freedom to marry for same-sex couples in Maine. Same-sex marriage will be on the ballot this November.

If you'd like to volunteer for the ballot measure campaign, sign up on the Mainers United for Marriage website (<http://action.mainersunited.org/page/s/volunteer>) or talk to Anna Barnett, who is helping to train volunteers (523-0314).

Maine Council of Churches hosts panel discussion Sep 20



The Maine Council of Churches (MCC) and the University of Southern Maine Interfaith Chaplaincy invite the public to "Civil Discourse on Same Sex Marriage," an Ecumenical Conversation with four Maine Religious Leaders, on Thursday, September 20, at 7 p.m. at Luther Bonney Hall, University of Southern Maine, Portland.

Panelists include local leaders from Episcopal, Catholic, United Church of Christ, and Methodist faiths. The purpose of the "Civil Discourse on Same Sex Marriage" event is to demonstrate that people of faith who may strongly disagree with each other can talk to each other in a respectful and civil manner.

Religious Ed 9/23: Adults get “You and Your Money,” kids get a Grand Start!

On September 23, the Adult Education class topic will be "You and Your Money" led by Sara Jane Elliot from the Financial Oversight Committee. This session will focus on our personal money feelings and decision making and how our Quaker values help to prioritize these decisions. We plan to explore related themes in follow-up sessions later in the fall. All are welcome.

Grand Start of First Day School: Sunday September 23, 10:45am
A Fun-Filled Gathering for all First Day School Youth. Play the popular game Big Wind Blows! Face Painting! Food! Fun fun fun! Outdoors if the weather is good, otherwise downstairs.

Questions? Anne Payson (annepayson10@gmail.com 781-2501)

After 9/23 First Day School meets 2nd and 4th Sundays of every month (next First Day School October 14th)



Saturday art project at PFM - Oct 13

The next Art Project session is October 13th from 9-12 noon in the downstairs area of the Meetinghouse. This is a chance to work on an art project that you have been wanting to complete, or start a new project with any of the art supplies that are available--paint, pastels, fimo clay, sea glass, collage, etc. Please call Kathy Beach at 233-2065 if you have any questions.

Celebrate the 10th Anniversary of Friends of Kakamega

Saturday, Oct 13, 7-9pm

Presumpscot School in Portland (on Veranda St)



We are celebrating 10 years of Friends of Kakamega and the USFW-Kakamega Orphans Project. Here to celebrate with us will be Dorothy Selebwa, Director of the Project, and Florence Wasna, who oversees the Homebased Program. Come meet these dedicated women leaders, learn what is happening at the Kakamega Friends Orphanage, see photos & share cake and tea with us.

If you would like to help with this event or Dorothy and Florence's other speaking engagements in New England, please contact Tracy Booth at TDBooth@earthlink.net

Pax Christi retreat - Oct 13

“Resisting the Culture of Violence with a Consistent Ethic of Life”

Pax Christi Maine, the Catholic and ecumenical peace and social justice movement, presents a retreat on Saturday Oct 13, 9am to 5:30pm. The program, “Resisting the Culture of Violence with a Consistent Ethic of Life”, will be presented by Claire Schaeffer-Duffy at St. Mary's Church, 754 Ohio Street, Bangor.

To register, contact Suzanne Fitzgerald at 288-8037.

My Way to an Interfaith Future

excerpted from an essay by John S. Spong

Jenny Doughty suggested this essay as a piece for reflection in the newsletter. The text was originally published in Spong's column for ProgressiveChristianity.org and is excerpted with permission. Jenny writes: "It very much speaks my mind, and I think it has things to say to Quakers like us who are grappling with the issues raised at the Salt and Light conference, of working with Quakers who approach things from a very different viewpoint."

...The first step in any interfaith process is to be conscious of the fact that ... exclusive claims exist and that we must begin where people are, not with where we wish they were. No one speaks in a vacuum and no one listens in a vacuum. We need to listen to each other closely, the same way we want others to listen to us.

I am a Christian. Any interfaith activity in which I am engaged must start with that fact. I am not apologetic about this self-identification, nor am I willing to jettison this definition of myself for the sake of interfaith unity. The deepest commitment of my life is my commitment to walk the Christ path as my doorway into the mystery of God. Christianity is of absolute importance to me. I want to explore its wonders as deeply as I possibly can. Yet, I do not think that God is a Christian, certainly not in any creedal way, and that insight opens me up to all kinds of new possibilities. Christianity, like every other religious system in history is clearly a human creation that has evolved over the centuries.... Doctrines are always attempts to put rational forms onto a transformative experience. Doctrines, therefore, can never be ultimate, but the experience that made the development of the doctrine seem proper might well be. Can we then separate the God experience that we Christians believe we have met in Jesus from the explanations of that experience which form the content of our faith tradition? That is a crucial distinction. The Jesus experience might well offer me a doorway into that which is ultimate, but Christianity itself cannot be ultimate and it thus cannot be the final revelation of God. God can never be contained inside any human form or bound by any human words. This means that neither my understanding of God nor my Church's understanding of God can ever be ultimate. This realization does not, however, invalidate the truth of my experience.

...My deepest hope is that if I walk the Christ path long enough and faithfully enough, I will discover that I inevitably will transcend the boundaries of my own religion...When I articulate the fact that this is true for me I discover that it also seems to be true for people in all other religious systems. The Muslim must walk the Islamic path; the Jews must walk the Jewish path; the Hindus and Buddhists must walk the Hindu or Buddhist path. All walk with the realization, however, that God is not a Muslim, a Jew, a Hindu or a Buddhist. All religious systems are designed by human beings to help its adherents walk into the mystery of an unbounded God. If any of us walks our own faith path long enough and faithfully enough, we will discover that our walk carries us beyond the boundaries of our own religious systems, since God can never be limited by or exhausted in any thing that is a human creation, whether it be scripture, creeds, doctrines or dogmas. To say it boldly the God experience may well be ultimate, but the religious system through which we walk into the God experience can never be.

The next realization comes when we discover that while we are walking our separate paths, we are also taking into ourselves the values and the treasures found in our own tradition. We hold these treasures close to our hearts; we do not want to lose them. I grasp joyfully the pearl of great price that Christianity gives me. Then I realize that my brothers and sisters in Islam, Judaism, Hinduism and Buddhism are doing exactly the same... So perhaps the deepest and the common religious call to each of us is not to affirm our unique creeds so much as it is to explore our faith so deeply that we each transcend its boundaries and escape fear-laden limits. Then beyond the boundaries and the limits of the faith system that has nurtured each of us, but without sacrificing the pearl of great price that our own tradition has given us, we can turn and face in a new way our brothers and sisters who have walked a path different from our own... speak to them and say: "This is the essence of my faith. This is the treasure that I have received as I walked the Christ path and now I want to share this treasure with you"...We each receive the treasure of the other... We all become enriched. We no longer have to protect our truth or play the familiar religious games of supremacy that we have so often played in the past. No one loses, everyone gains.

The alternative to genuine interfaith cooperation may well be genocide. While we can assert that there is no relativity in the God experience, there can also be no triumphalism in the various explanations of that experience. No religion is therefore ultimate, but God is and God is met on many paths and our call is to walk our path faithfully...

John Shelby Spong is a retired American bishop of the Episcopal Church.

Full text is available at <http://johnshelbyspong.com/2012/06/28/my-way-into-an-interfaith-future/> (subscription required, free trial subscription offered)

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Greeters wanted

Ministry and Counsel invites experienced attenders to take on the job of greeting newcomers (and familiar faces) as they arrive at Meeting for Worship. To join the roster of greeters, talk to Kate Potter, 761-1648

Visiting Margaret Raymond

Margaret Raymond has been receiving many visitors. Meg Braley asks that you contact her at 831-4931 if you intend to visit Margaret so that Meg can coordinate the visits.

Meeting Calendar reminder

The calendar for the meetinghouse is online at www.portlandfriendsmeeting.org. Please reference the calendar if you want to schedule an event or a committee who wants to have meetings at the meetinghouse. If your committee meetings are not on the calendar please contact Jane.



Friends School Fundraiser

The annual Close Buy Catalog is out – chock filled with wonderful gift ideas. Chocoholics, pet owners, readers, people with chapped lips – there's something here for everyone.

Friends School receives 30% of every purchase, and all of the businesses are local.

This year, you can order online at <http://www.closebuycatalog.com/collections/fall-catalog-2012> Or you can just look online and email or call Rob Levin (rob@roblevin.net, 774-8026) to place an order.

The order deadline is October 1, and the items will arrive by the first week of December.

Are you ready for your close-up?

Christine Fletcher is going to be taking over the photographing of our community from Mary Beth Walsh. So, over the next two months she would like to take you and your family's picture. You can find her and her camera after Meeting for Worship.