



STONY RUN
FRIENDS MEETING

Silent Announcements
November 27 – December 3, 2025

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Connect by Zoom:

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Friends Church Baltimore
Located in the Lower School Assembly
room of Friends School of Baltimore

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<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2191246811?pwd=SXdDcERuWStCOGt0alBTndGSFg1Zz09>

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The meeting ID is 219 124 6811
and the passcode is 546780

Children, join us!

Nursery care from 9:15 - 12:15 PM

Children aged 5 years and older
are encouraged to participate in
Worship from 11:00 - 11:20 AM,
followed by First Day School.

Refreshments

Juice & fellowship in the Library at
10:30 AM
Simple Lunch in the Dining room at
12:15 PM

Welcome to Stony Run

"Looking behind I am filled with gratitude. Looking forward I am filled with vision. Looking upwards I'm filled with strength, Looking within I discover peace."

– From an Apache prayer

First Day Events

Juice and Fellowship: 10:30 AM in the Library

Hymn Singing: 10:40 AM in the Meeting room, with piano accompaniment

First Day School Thanksgiving Assembly: 11:20 AM in the Classrooms

No Simple Lunch: Happy Thanksgiving, and enjoy your leftovers!

Upcoming Events

Thanksgiving Meeting for Worship: Thursday, November 27 at 10:00 AM in Homewood Friends' Library. It will be in-person only and last for 45 min.

Meeting for Worship with a Concern for Business: Sunday, December 7 at 1:00 PM in the Meeting room and on Zoom.

Stony Run Carol Sing: Sunday, December 7 at 5:00 PM in the Meeting room. Our first Carol Sing of the season will be earlier this year with families in mind; All ages are welcome and encouraged to come! Cookies and hot chocolate will be served after. We welcome Sandy Robson/[Letitia VanSant](#) as our song leader this year! (Other Stony Run Carol Sings will take place on Sundays, Dec. 14 & 21 at 7:00 PM.) [Learn more on our blog.](#)

Friends Church Baltimore Carol Sing: Saturday, December 13 at 2:00 PM in the Dining room. Connect with Friends Church Baltimore at their Carol Sing and join them for dinner afterward.

Patterns of Racial Wounding and Racial Justice in Quaker Communities: Sunday, December 14 at 9:15 AM in the Dining room. Discussion of the new Pendle Hill pamphlet: Friends will come together for Spirit-led inquiry and sharing, so we can learn from each other as well as the text. Copies of the Pamphlet are available from Laura in the Meeting Office for \$8.50 or pay what you can. Coffee and tea, as well as childcare will be available.

Carol Sing: Sunday, December 14 at 7:00 PM in the Meeting room. We welcome Sandy Robson/[Letitia VanSant](#) as our song leader this year! (Another Carol Sing will take place on Sun., Dec. 21 at 7:00 PM with a cookie reception following.) [Learn more on our blog.](#)

Cookie Bake for Middle and High School Students: Sunday, December 21 at 11:20 AM in the Kitchen. Stony Run Junior and Young Friends will bake cookies to be served at the last Carol Sing of the season.

Carol Sing: Sunday, December 21 at 7:00 PM in the Meeting room. We welcome Sandy Robson/[Letitia VanSant](#) as our song leader this year! Cookies and cider will be served in the Dining room after.

Recurring Events

Movement for Wholeness: Every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00 - 11:00 AM. Join Sara Workeneh in the double classroom for movement and stretching.

Bible Study: Every Tuesday at 8:00 PM via Zoom. The ID and passcode are the same as for Programmed Worship. Contact Pastor Ronald Moyia for info.

Meeting for Worship with a Concern for the Country: Every Wednesday at 4:00 PM in the Meeting room and on Zoom. We will hold the country and those affected by turmoil, including ourselves, in the Light.

News of Friends

Joseph Adams, a longtime Member of Stony Run, died on November 4. Please hold Sandi & family in the Light.

Visit our calendar here: StonyRunFriends.org/Calendar

Please hold in the Light: Gail Breyer; Glen Causey and family; Cindy Eyler; Karie Firoozmand; and Suzanne O'Hatnick's grandson, Alexander Lukens.

Please send cards or notes to: Sandi Adams and Cindy Eyler. Addresses are available in the Meeting Directory. Please contact the Office if you need help finding these.

Announcements

Faith & Practice, with updates through 2025, is now at the printer. Two copies will be mailed to each Monthly Meeting after Thanksgiving, and additional copies will be available for purchase online starting December 5th. [Find Faith & Practice online here.](#)

Quaker Voice of Maryland is seeking Volunteers! QVM is a passionate group of Friends seeking to help Quakers have a more effective voice in statewide policy decisions. There are many ways to engage with QVM! [Learn more here.](#)

Library Committee is honoring Native American Heritage Day (November 28). *Baltimore American Indian Center* will be open from 12-3 PM the day after Thanksgiving. Dellie James, a member of Stony Run, will be available to show you around. [Read this week's blog](#), featuring Bill Miles' Sweat Lodge ministry in MD prisons.

The Meeting is once again collecting donations and items for winter gift bags for clients of the Women's Housing Coalition. Stony Run is collecting women's warm socks, lap throws, and towel & wash cloth sets. [Click to learn more.](#) Please leave items in the marked box in the Lower Lobby **by Fri., Dec. 5.**

The Meetinghouse will be in use all day on Saturday, November 29 for the 12th Annual Post-Thanksgiving Concert, featuring Ken & Brad Kolodner and Charm City Junction (3:30 & 7:00 PM). [Learn more](#) and plan ahead.

Stony Run can assist individuals seeking clarity and support, whether a personal dilemma or on-going project. In each case a small group is formed with recommendations from the requesting individual and the Meeting. It may meet one or more times. Learn more [on our blog](#).

Winter clothing donations are being sought for immigrant children of a father recently deported who was the family's principal bread winner. Place donations in the box in the downstairs lobby for a 10 yo boy (size 14), 5 yo girl (size 7), and 13 mo baby girl (size 18m). Donations of \$ can be arranged, but are not tax deductible. For more information, contact Suzanne O'Hatnick.

Interfaith Action for Human Rights (IAHR) presented efforts to curtail cruel treatment of those in prison at Stony Run in Nov. 90% of those in prison will return to our communities and how we treat them now, impacts their behavior after. You can express compassion via IAHR's [Pen Pal Program](#). Watch: Friend Sue Borchard's [film on solitary](#). [Learn more](#). Margaret Allen & Suzanne O'Hatnick serve on IAHR's Council.

The GEDCO CARES food pantry and office requests donations of: jelly, cereal, instant coffee, canned pasta meals and toiletries (soap, deodorant, shampoo, baby wipes, toothpaste). The pantry is closed this week, and will resume accepting deliveries December 3. Donations may be left inside the downstairs entrance.

Donations to the Social Order Box for November and December will go to **Our Community Feeding Others**, a food pantry serving 75-85 Baltimore County and City families most weekends. Due to federal cuts and the collapse of the Francis Scott Key Bridge, the need for our support has increased, plus they will assist hungry families without regard to immigration status. Donations for the Social Order Box can be made [online here](#). Checks may also be mailed to the Meetinghouse or checks and cash may be placed in the S.O. Box to the left of the Library doors. Please make checks payable to Stony Run Friends Meeting, with 'S.O. Box' on the memo line.

Support the Meeting

We have budgeted \$212,000 in contributions for 2025. Through the end of October, we have received \$118,732.

[Click here to make a secure gift online, supporting Stony Run's operating budget.](#)

You may also mail a check or place cash or checks in the wall-mounted box next to the elevator.

Checks should be made payable to Stony Run Friends Meeting.

From the Office

Weekly announcements: Please submit all events or announcements to news@stonyrunfriends.org by noon on Wednesday.

January Newsletter: Submissions for the January Newsletter are due December 12.

The office is closed on Thursday, 11/27 for the Thanksgiving holiday. We will be open 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM on Friday.

Receive our announcements by email: [StonyRunFriends.org/SignUp](https://stonyrunfriends.org/SignUp)

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