



Weekly Calendar

Friends Meeting at Cambridge

June 13 through June 22, 2025 (one week)

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WE ARE HIRING!

Friends Meeting at Cambridge is **seeking a 35-hour/week Facilities Manager** to care for our historic buildings and grounds. The role includes maintenance, coordination with staff and contractors, and being a welcoming part of our community. The position includes on-site housing and stipend. Read the full job description [here](#).

To apply, please send a resume and a brief cover letter explaining your interest in the position to facilitiesjobsearch@fmcquaker.org.

Priority applications due by June 15, 2025. Position open until filled.

Please share with those who may be interested!

EVENT

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| Sat
14 | 10:00am | Join Quakers at Boston Pride Parade (Off-Site). F/friends of all ages, including those from FMC, Beacon Hill Friends Meeting and Cambridge Friends School, will gather at Exeter Street D155 between Newbury and Boylston Streets in Boston. The parade will run from approximately 11:00am-12:30pm with a festival on the Boston Common in the afternoon. Learn more about the event, timing and route here . No Kings organizers in Boston are asking demonstrators to gather alongside the Pride parade route. Contact John Dickson at pride@fmcquaker.org |
| | 2:00—
3:30pm | How to Start Writing a Song (Parlor / Open Zoom). Workshop with Brian Robison. RSVP is helpful for planning but not strictly required. All ages are welcome; no prior experience or training is needed. Have you ever wanted to write a song, but couldn't seem to get one started? In this workshop, we'll survey some basic features of song lyrics, melodies, rhythms, and harmonies to kickstart your process. Feel free to bring an accompanying instrument (guitar, keyboard, laptop, ukulele, etc.) if you have one; Brian will bring a guitar and a small keyboard for use on-site. To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Brian Robison at fellowship@fmcquaker.org |
| | 6:00—
8:00pm | SciFi-Fantasy Reading Aloud (Zoom). To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 335 209 895 and passcode 398431 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Jonathan Gilbert / Betsy Roper at scififantasy@fmcquaker.org |
| Sun
15 | 9:15—
10:15am | Forum (Parlor / Zoom). "Listening Out Loud" with David Doms and Brian Robison. Childcare will be provided. To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 873 2175 9327 and passcode 537370 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact George Campbell / Jan Nisenbaum at forum@fmcquaker.org |

Sun 15	9:30– 10:15am	Pancake Breakfast (Friends Room). Mark your calendars! You're invited to a delicious morning Pancake Party at 9:30 am for a stack of tasty pancakes, a variety of toppings, and community fun for all ages. We are celebrating the end of First Day School and the beginning of summer! All are welcome to participate. Cooks and helpers with set up/clean up are needed! Pancakes and gluten free options will be available. Potluck style toppings and treats are welcome but not required to participate. Please direct all inquiries and offers to help to the First Day School/Youth Programs Committee at fds-youthprograms@fmcquaker.org .
	10:30– 11:30am	Sunday Morning Meeting for Worship (Meetinghouse / Open Zoom). To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Betsy Roper at careofworship@fmcquaker.org
	10:30– 11:45am	First Day School (On-Site). Today is the last day of First Day School until September 7. Summer Childcare will begin on Sunday, June 22. Children join their families for the first 15 minutes of Meeting for Worship and then go to their own program at 10:45am. Contact Zoe Zurad at youthministries@fmcquaker.org
	10:45– 11:45am	Meeting for Worship Outside Raytheon (In-Person, Off Site). Limited carpools leave FMC at 10:30am. Contact John Bach at bolder@fmcquaker.org
	11:45am– 12:45pm	Fellowship with Refreshments (On-Site). Enjoy conversation with refreshments served either in the Friends Room (mask optional) or outdoors (weather permitting). Contact Holly Lapp / Amanda Marcus / Caren Seagraves / Mike Wyson at refreshments@fmcquaker.org
Mon 16	12:00– 12:30pm	Afterthoughts (Parlor / Zoom). Childcare will be provided. Most Sundays, there is an informal time for conversation on this Zoom link after the end of Afterthoughts. To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 873 2175 9327 and passcode 537370 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Wendy Sanford at afterthoughts@fmcquaker.org
	1:00– 3:30pm	Blue Sky Group (Parlor / Zoom). Email Jennifer Hogue at blueskygroup@fmcquaker.org for meeting information.
	6:30– 8:00pm	Stone of Hope Drumming Circle (Meetinghouse / Grounds). Weather permitting, we will meet outside on the grounds adjacent to the Meetinghouse. Otherwise, Drumming Circle will meet in the Meetinghouse. Contact Minga Claggett-Borne / Dan Fitzmartin at stone-of-hope@fmcquaker.org
	7:00– 9:00pm	Avison Fund Committee (Zoom). Email Cynthia Knowles at avison@fmcquaker.org for meeting information.
	7:00– 8:30pm	Quaker Eldering Practice Group (Zoom). We will continue reading <i>Waging Peace: Discipline and Practice</i> by Pamela Haines, Pendle Hill Pamphlet # 420. To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 890 9875 0878 and passcode 732166 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Sarah Allen / Cornelia Parkes at eldering@fmcquaker.org
	7:00– 8:30pm	First Day School/Youth Programs Committee (FDS/YP) (Zoom). To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 871 8041 5100 and passcode 620115 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Beth Fuller at fds-youthprograms@fmcquaker.org

Tue 17	5:00– 6:30pm	Prayer Circle (Zoom). Send requests for prayers or praise to prayers@fmcquaker.org or join us. To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 827 6014 6070 and passcode 793260 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Cornelia Parkes at prayers@fmcquaker.org
	5:30– 7:00pm	Disability & Accessibility Awareness & Coordination Group (Zoom). Email Ariel Maddocks at thedaac@fmcquaker.org for meeting information.
	5:30– 8:30pm	Ministry & Counsel Committee Potluck (In-Person). Email Erin Bumgarner / Betsy Roper at ministry@fmcquaker.org for meeting information.
	7:00– 8:00pm	Gaza Sub-Committee (Zoom). Email Skip Schiel / Don Gianniny / Dinah Starr / Sarah Allen at gaza@fmcquaker.org for event information.
Wed 18	8:30– 10:00am	Wednesday Morning Meeting for Worship (Parlor / Library). To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Jonathan Vogel-Borne / Sara Sue Pennell at midweek@fmcquaker.org
	7:00– 8:30pm	Community, Ministry, and Technology Group (Zoom). Email Leo Bray / Cornelia Parkes at cmt@fmcquaker.org for meeting information.
Thu 19	8:00am– 5:00pm	FMC Staff Holiday . For urgent facilities matters, please email maintenance@fmcquaker.org . For urgent scheduling issues, please email scheduling@fmcquaker.org .
	7:00– 8:30pm	Fossil Fuel Free FMC – How can we respond to the climate crisis? (Open Zoom). We will start with a brief summary of progress to date and a proposed minute to guide us into the future, followed by discussion. To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Sarah Allen / Daniel Fitzmartin at climateaction@fmcquaker.org
Sat 21	10:00am– 12:00pm	FMC Gaza Discernment Workshop (Parlor/Open Zoom). Join us for a hybrid discernment workshop as we work towards a Gaza-related minute. We will be joined by Alex McDonald, member of Live Oak Friends Meeting in Houston, TX and author of How I Learned to Speak Israel – An American’s Guide to a Foreign Policy Language and When They Speak Israel – A Guide to Clarity in Conversations about Israel . Alex will lead us through a discernment process which will include a brief summary of the situation in Gaza followed by a discussion about the importance of language as we process our personal understandings of the situation and how we write a minute. He will then open up the workshop for questions. This session should be broadening with new perspectives gained by all. To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Gaza Subcommittee at gaza@fmcquaker.org

Sat 21	2:00— 3:30pm	How to Finish Writing a Song (Parlor / Open Zoom). Workshop with Brian Robison. RSVP is helpful for planning but not strictly required. All ages are welcome; no prior experience or training is needed. Have you ever started to write a song, but couldn't figure out how to finish it? In this workshop, we'll survey some techniques to help you expand, develop, or refine your song lyrics, melodies, rhythms, and harmonies. Feel free to bring an accompanying instrument (guitar, keyboard, laptop, ukulele, etc.) if you have one; Brian will bring a guitar and a small keyboard for use on-site. To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Brian Robison at fellowship@fmcquaker.org
Sun 22	9:15— 10:15am	Forum (Parlor / Zoom). "Artistic Expression in the Service of Resilience, Healing, and Living with Adversity" with SaraSue Pennell and Marian Shapiro. We will try to provide childcare, if you make a request in advance to childcarerequest@fmcquaker.org . "Contact George Campbell / Jan Nisenbaum at forum@fmcquaker.org
	10:30— 11:30am	Sunday Morning Meetings for Worship (Meetinghouse and Parlor / Open Zoom). To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Chris Jorgenson (Meetinghouse) / Jan Nisenbaum (Parlor) at careofworship@fmcquaker.org
	10:30— 11:45am	Summer Childcare (FDS Rooms / Outside, weather permitting). Children join their families for the first 15 minutes of Meeting for Worship, and then follow the First Day School banner to their own childcare activities at 10:45am. Contact Zoe Zurad at youthministries@fmcquaker.org
	11:45am— 12:15pm	Fellowship with Refreshments (On-Site). Enjoy conversation with refreshments served either in the Friends Room (mask optional) or outdoors (weather permitting). Contact Holly Lapp / Amanda Marcus / Caren Seagraves / Mike Wyson at refreshments@fmcquaker.org
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		Simple Lunch (Friends Room). A \$6-7 donation is requested to cover the cost of the vegan soup, salad and bread provided, but you are invited regardless of whether you can contribute money. Contact Tom Sander / David Smith / Alasdair Post-Quinn at simplelunch@fmcquaker.org
	1:15— 3:30pm	Adjourned Meeting for Business in Worship (Friends Room / Open Zoom). We will try to provide childcare, if you make a request in advance to childcarerequest@fmcquaker.org . To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Blue Sky Group at blueskygroup@fmcquaker.org
	4:30— 5:45pm	Prison Fellowship (Zoom). To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 836 6893 0642 and passcode 245444 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Sandy Sweetnam / Michael Carey at prisons@fmcquaker.org

Sun 22	4:45– 5:45pm	Sunday Evening Meeting for Worship (Parlor). NOTE: In June, this event moves to the 4 th Sunday from the 3 rd Sunday to avoid Father's Day. All are welcome. Contact Walker Bristol / MaryGrace Menner at yafs@fmcquaker.org
	5:00– 6:45pm	Family Pizza and Play (Outside on-site, weather permitting). Join Quaker families with children for pizza, connection, and play. This monthly gathering typically happens on 4th Sundays. Food and childcare are provided. RSVP to Katie Stockman or on the Quaker Families WhatsApp with the number that will be attending and allergies. Cancellations due to weather will be sent via WhatsApp and email to those who have registered. Contact Katie Stockman at familyengagement@fmcquaker.org
	6:00– 8:00pm	Young Adult Friends (YAF) Potluck (Library / Parlor). NOTE: In June, this event moves to the 4 th Sunday from the 3 rd Sunday to avoid Father's Day. All those 18-35ish are invited to this potluck dinner at FMC. Bring food to share if you would like, but please join us even if you do not bring a dish. Contact Walker Bristol / MaryGrace Menner at yafs@fmcquaker.org

SAVE THE DATE

Mon 6/23	7:00– 9:00pm	New Story Group (Zoom). "Changing Systems of Power from the Inside" with Alicia McBride (she/her), Senior Director for Quaker Leadership, Friends Committee on National Legislation (FCNL). Come at 6:30pm for fellowship. First timers are always welcome! To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 875 6881 1869 and passcode 101225 (if requested) on Zoom.com, the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Cornelia Parkes at newstory@fmcquaker.org
Thu 6/26	6:30– 7:30pm	Newcomers & Seekers (Open Zoom). Join us for an evening virtual gathering with long-time Friends from our community as well as others newer to the meeting who are exploring Quakerism and finding out more about our community. This month we'll discuss the varieties of Quaker worship experience. Stay until 8:00 pm if you want to dive deeper into topics discussed or ask additional questions. To participate, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Sarah Allen / Daniel Fitzmartin at newcomers@fmcquaker.org
Sun 6/29	9:30am– 10:15am	Make a Joyful Noise! Alleluia! – Singing Together (Friends Room / Zoom). We will not have a forum on 6/29. Instead, you are invited to sing rounds in the Friends Room, using Worship in Song (the green Quaker hymnal). The event will be hybrid, but on Zoom you will need to stay muted and sing at home or listen to those gathered in the Friends Room. Bring a hymnal if you have one. To participate in singing using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 873 2175 9327 and passcode 537370 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. NOTE: If you would prefer early silent worship, you are welcome to worship informally in the Meetinghouse or on the regular Meeting for Worship Open Zoom channel. Contact Debby Colgan / Susan Davies / Sandy Sweetnam at singing@fmcquaker.org .
Sun 6/29	12:30– 1:30pm	Review of CMT Proposal for Improving Hybrid Technology in the Meetinghouse (Meetinghouse / Open Zoom). The Community, Ministry, and Technology (CMT) Group will host a show-and-tell presentation of their proposal for improving hybrid technology in the Meetinghouse for FMC events including Meeting for Worship. Click here to read the written materials for the CMT proposal. Bring your questions! To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Leo Bray / Cornelia Parkes at cmt@fmcquaker.org

Sun 6/29	1:30pm	Summer Potluck Art Show Submission Deadline . The theme is "Strength in Community." Read more here . Please leave your artwork in the Meeting Office by Sunday, June 29. Ideally, all artwork should be ready to hang and limited to about 2 pieces each. Contact George Campbell at exhibits@fmcquaker.org
Sun 6/29	6:00– 8:30pm	Screening of Citizen George Documentary and Discussion (Parlor / Open Zoom). Snacks onsite at 5:30pm, followed by the movie at 6:00pm (99 minutes long), and then discussion ending at 8:30pm. We will try to provide childcare, if you make a request in advance to childcarerequest@fmcquaker.org . Click here to learn more about the film. "Citizen George is a well-timed documentary that offers important lessons for navigating today's era of political conflict with hope and courage." - Waging Nonviolence. To participate using Zoom, click this link or provide the meeting ID 783 475 1861 and passcode 1652 (if requested) on Zoom.com , the Zoom app, or after calling 1-646-558-8656. Contact Adult Spiritual Ed Working Group at spiritualed@fmcquaker.org
Tue 7/1	6:30– 8:00pm	How to Have Difficult Conversations (Friends Room). The goal of this event is to support people in learning to have productive conversations with loved ones on Zionism and the genocide in Palestine. We'll teach, model, and practice strategies for effective communication and support attendees in engaging in productive dialogue with one another in hopes that this inspires them to carry these skills into conversations with others outside of the workshop. The purpose of this workshop is to help guide folks on their journey toward speaking out against injustice while staying connected to their loved ones. We will be providing light snacks and refreshments. Sponsored by Jewish Voice for Peace (JVP) Boston Political Education Working Group and co-sponsored and hosted by Peace & Social Justice Committee. RSVP required. Info to RSVP will be coming soon. Contact Skip Schiel at palestine-israel-event@fmcquaker.org

WIDER QUAKER WORLD

Tuesdays	8:30– 9:00am	Prayer for Peace sponsored by the Friends World Committee for Consultation (FWCC) Europe and Middle East Section (Zoom). Free. Register here . Sponsored by FWCC .
Thursdays	5:30– 6:30pm	Meeting for Worship with Attention to Peace in Palestine and Israel (Zoom). Free. Register here . Sponsored by American Friends Service Committee .
Fridays	12:00– 1:00pm	Action Hour for a Cease-Fire Now (Zoom). Free. Register here . Sponsored by American Friends Service Committee
Tue 6/17	6:30– 8:00pm	Action Ready: Essential Roles – Nonviolent Direct Action Skills with EQAT . With our action goals set, it's time to build our team. From de-escalation to spiritual anchoring, every role is crucial for success. In this week's workshop, we'll hear stories of 15+ years of action with Earth Quaker Action Team and map out the essential roles needed to manage the dynamic needs of on-the-ground action. Through interactive small group exercises, you'll gain practical experience in coordinating and supporting your team, ensuring a united and powerful impact. If you joined us on 6/10, consider joining a different breakout group focusing on the roles of action lead, street marshal, and spiritual anchor. This is session 2 in our 3-part series. Free. Register here . Sponsored by Quaker Earthcare Witness and Earth Quaker Action Team .

Wed 6/18	9:00am— 5:00pm	Woolman Hill Spring Work Day (Off-Site in Deerfield, MA). Come hang out with your friends on the hill! Join us for fellowship, fun, and physical labor! More info and RSVP at info@woolmanhill.org or 413-774-3431. Sponsored by Woolman Hill .
Wed 6/18	2:00— 3:00pm	Travel in the Holy Land (Zoom). In April of 2025, Emily Provance (New York YM) spent some time in the West Bank with a group from Friends United Meeting and Friends World Committee for Consultation Europe and Middle East Section. Emily will be sharing stories and experiences of recent travel to Ramallah Friends School, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, and the Tent of Nations. Free. Register here .
Wed 6/18	1:00— 2:00pm	QEW Action Hour: Protect our Earth—Save the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) (Zoom). The IRA has already brought significant environmental and economic benefits to communities across the country. In this action hour, we will guide you through concrete actions to advocate for the IRA. Free. Sponsored by Quaker Earthcare Witness .
Mon 6/23	7:30— 9:00pm	The Land Knows the Way: Eco-Social Insights for Liberation—A Book Talk with Ricardo Levins Morales (Off-Site in Wallingford, PA / Zoom). Free. Register here . Sponsored by Pendle Hill .
Wed 6/25	7:30— 9:00pm	Midweek Experiment in Faithfulness: Enneagram Type Nine with Brent Walsh (Zoom). Free. Register here . Sponsored by Beacon Hill Friends House .
Thu 6/26 (for online)— Sun 6/29		Quaker Spring Summer Gathering (Off-Site in Barnesville, OH / Zoom). We welcome Friends of all branches and expressions of faith to join with us. Although Bible study happens each morning and many Friends who attend Quaker Spring have been drawn to the faith of earlier Quaker generations, Friends with many different spiritual paths have enjoyed this opportunity to seek, share, and worship with others in this open, relaxed retreat-like time. Major portions of the gathering can be attended online via Zoom. Read how you can take part online and the schedule of online sessions . Part-time attendance iok. Pay-as-led. Register here . Sponsored by Quaker Spring .
Fri 8/1— Wed 8/6		New England Yearly Meeting Sessions (Off-Site at University of Massachusetts in Amherst, MA / Zoom). Theme: “Streams in the Desert.” Quakers of all ages from all over New England will gather for fun and learning and business. There will be on-site programming for children, youth, and young adults as well as adults. Part-time attendance okay. Many from FMC will be attending in person and on Zoom. Car-pooling may be able to be arranged. Click here to learn more and register. Early registration ends July 14. Pay-as-led. Cancellation fees apply. Sponsored by New England Yearly Meeting .

Reminders

To see the up-to-date calendar of FMC events with full descriptions go to our website [calendar](#).

The deadline for the next FMC Weekly Calendar is Monday, June 16 at 11:59pm. This next issue will cover events taking place from **Friday, June 20 through Sunday, June 29 (one week)**. Please send your announcement to publications@fmcquaker.org.

To request an event (Zoom, on-site or hybrid), email scheduling@fmcquaker.org.

To request an FMC meeting on your Zoom account, please include the Zoom link.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rediscover Forgotten Treasure...Or Your Lost Water Bottle! **From Friday, June 13 – Monday, June 23, the accumulation of lost and found items found at FMC will be on and under a table just outside the FMC Office in the Friends Center.** Please claim items you left behind. After June 23, all remaining items will be donated/discarded/recycled.

Registration is open for New England Yearly Meeting Sessions that take place from August 1-6 on the campus of University of Massachusetts in Amherst, MA. [Click here](#) to learn more and register. Early registration ends July 14. Cancellation fees apply. Sponsored by [New England Yearly Meeting](#).

Masking is now optional for almost all FMC events including Forum, Meeting for Worship, and Afterthoughts. Read more [here](#). Small groups (of under 25 people) and FMC weddings/memorials (at the request of the family) can decide on stricter masking requirements, but for any public events should notify the community in advance.

[Summer Potluck Art Show: Strength in Community](#). Submission Deadline: Sun, June 29, 2025. The theme does not have to be taken literally but can serve as a starting point or a springboard. Submissions could involve depicting individuals engaged in what we do as a community but strength in community could also involve being grounded in our relationship with the natural world. For some, artistic expression itself is something designed to be shared in community and in the service of strengthening community. Please leave your artwork in the Meeting office by June 29th. Ideally, all artwork should be ready to hang and limited to about 2 pieces each. The show is sponsored by the Exhibits Committee and open to anyone participating in the Meeting community. Contact George Campbell at exhibits@fmcquaker.org

[Click this link](#) to see additional community announcements. Scroll down the right-hand column.

PERSONAL NEWS

Virginia Swain is happy to report that she has received a \$10,000 grant from the Legacy Gift Committee of New England Yearly Meeting. These monies come from the NEYM Witness and Ministry Fund to support Virginia's direct ministry, providing the training and disseminating the skills of the Quaker Reconciliation Leadership Program to build trust and revitalize monthly meetings.

Mike Wyson who you'll often see helping with Simple Lunches at FMC, is featured in a recent latest issue of the Beacon Hill Friends House Newsletter because he also volunteers there. Click [here](#) to learn more about Mike.

Glen Cote is thrilled to share the news that he won his election to represent Acton on the Acton-Boxborough Regional School Committee. Click [here](#) to read more and see a picture. Click [here](#) to go to the web page he created for his campaign.

Zenaida Peterson has published their first full length book of poetry *Sky Responds to Our Holler*. Click [here](#) to read reviews of the book and to purchase it. Zenaida hopes to do a poetry reading at FMC in the coming months with other FMC poets.

Doane Perry, longtime member of Friends Meeting at Cambridge, died on April 9, 2025, at the age of 82. He is survived by his wife and FMC member Karen Carmean. Click [here](#) to read his obituary. A remembrance written by his son and FMC member Curt Perry and three essays written by Doane from the Yale University 25th, 50th and 60th reunion books can be found [here](#). His Memorial Meeting for Worship will take place at FMC on Saturday, September 20th at 2:00pm followed by an on-site reception.

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<p>To publish an announcement, email: publications@fmcquaker.org</p> <p>To contact the Pastoral Care Team, use: pastoralcare@fmcquaker.org</p> <p>To request the Weekly Calendar by email or to join the FMC community listserve, use: office@fmcquaker.org</p> <p>To obtain a copy of the FMC Directory, go to https://community.fmcquaker.org/ or email publications@fmcquaker.org</p> <p>We invite newcomers to introduce themselves and indicate their interests by filling out the Newcomers Card here.</p>		