

Gloucester Quaker

NEWSLETTER

March 2018



<http://glosquakers.org/local-meetings/gloucester/>

www.quaker.org.uk

DIARY

Thu 1	11:45am	Meeting for Worship with Forest Friends in Newnham - CANCELLED
Fri 2	2:15pm	Women's World Day of Prayer Service - Salvation Army Citadel, Eastgate Street
Sat 3	11:00am-3:00pm	National Day of Healing - Staunton Village Hall, GL16 8NX (Call 01989 485566 for details)
Sun 4	10:30am 12:00noon	Meeting for Worship Collection for Friendship Café Meeting for Worship for Business
Wed 7	2:00-4:00pm	Martha Meeting
Sat 10	2:00pm	Area Meeting - Cirencester FMH
Sun 11	10:30am	Meeting for Worship Collection for Friendship Café
Mon 12	7:00pm	Spirit of Peace meeting at the Friendship Café
Thu 15	2:15pm	Meeting for Worship in Hardwicke (see below)
Sun 18	10:30am	Meeting for Worship Collection for Friendship Café
Wed 21	2:00-4:00pm	Martha Meeting
Sat 24	2:00-4.30pm	Dances of Universal Peace (see below) NB: Change of Day
Sun 25	10:30am	Meeting for Worship Collection for Friendship Café

A THOUGHT FROM QUAKER FAITH & PRACTICE

NOW I WAS come up in spirit through the flaming sword into the paradise of God. All things were new, and all the creation gave another smell unto me than before, beyond what words can utter.

George Fox, 1648
QFP 26:03 - Reflections



APRIL

Sun 1	10:30am 12:00noon	Meeting for Worship Collection for Quaker Social Action Meeting for Worship for Business
Wed 4	2:00-4:00pm	Martha Meeting
Thu 5	11:45am	Meeting for Worship with Forest Friends in Newnham

MEETING FOR WORSHIP IN HARDWICKE

IN THE ABSENCE of a Meeting for Worship with Forest Friends this month, Pat and Andy Turrall have invited us to join them at home for an informal Meeting For Worship on Thursday 15 March at 2.15pm. Please call 01452 721518 for more details.

DANCES OF UNIVERSAL PEACE

DANCES OF UNIVERSAL PEACE centre around sacred phrases and mantras. No previous experience is needed, just a willingness to dance from the heart. Next opportunity to take part is on Saturday 24 March. (NB: Change of Day) Cost £7-10. Please contact Elyn 01453 759689 if you'd like to come.

Editor: Julia Price Design & Layout: Julia Price
Please email items for inclusion in the next Newsletter to:
jclprice@talktalk.net by April 1, 2018

CURRENT COLLECTION

THE FRIENDSHIP CAFÉ IS a community hub focusing mainly, but not exclusively, on young people, children and families in Gloucester inner city and surrounding areas. It is used by people from all backgrounds, and from every part of Gloucestershire, not just the city.

It provides activities such as archery, rock climbing, horse riding, camping, swimming, mountain biking, self-defence and organised trips for young people, and is a valued community centre where groups like Spirit of Peace meet for a shared meal and hear talks about peacemaking efforts locally, nationally or internationally.

The Friendship Café also runs St James City Farm. It relies heavily on volunteers, donations and grants, and is as a valuable asset to our community.

<http://www.thefriendshipcafe.com/>

NB: There may be a number of meetings and events that are convened at short notice. In addition, those already listed here maybe liable to cancellation or change. Please listen out for announcements after Meeting for Worship and keep an eye on your NEWS OF FRIENDS e-mails.