

Birmingham Friends

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Office Hours

Monday & Thursday
10 am – 2pm

Sunday Zoom Host

11/09 Cris deRitis
11/16 John Braceland
11/23 Lauren Buckalew

Sunday Facing Bench Friend

11/09 Barbara Quintiliano
11/16 Chris Lang
11/23 Lauren Buckalew

Sunday Meeting House Greeter

11/09 David Jones
11/16 Marcia Cole-Quigley
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Sunday Tech Assistant

11/09 Cris deRitis
11/16 John Braceland
11/23 Lauren Buckalew

Zoom Meeting Link

Sunday Meeting for Worship:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87404288806?pwd=WkpqYk0vMjFkbjJDYk0vR0ZwTitNdz09>

Meeting ID: 874 0428 8806

Passcode: 156446

Dial: 1(929) 205-6099 (NY) for all



The Seed, or Grace of God, is small in its first Appearance, even as the Morning Light; but as it is given Heed to, and obeyed, it will increase in Brightness, till it shine in the Soul, like the Sun in the Firmament at its Noon-day Height.

~ Elizabeth Bathurst
1655-1685

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Calendar



Sunday, November 9,

10:00am: Meeting for Worship, hybrid. Youth Committee. Children & Youth.

Wednesday, November 12,

4pm: Mid-week Meeting for Worship via Zoom.

Sunday, November 16,

8:30am – 9:45am: O&PC Committee Meeting, hybrid.

10:00am: Meeting for Worship and Singing, hybrid. Children & Youth.

See Announcement and Events at right for details.

1:30pm – 3:00pm: Friendly Bible Study, via Zoom.

Wednesday, November 19,

4pm: Mid-week Meeting for Worship via Zoom.

Sunday, November 23,

10:00am: Meeting for Worship, hybrid. Children & Youth.

Wednesday, November 26,

4pm: Mid-week Meeting for Worship via Zoom.

We need food, personal items and monetary donations for the West Chester Food Cupboard and Act in Faith! Please place items in the boxes in the Social Room. Thank you!

Announcements and Events

Birmingham Friends Meeting is pleased to announce our 2025 Winter Fundraiser to support our Land Mine Detector Program. We are partnering with BloomBox, a local online garden center, that sells handmade wreaths, fresh wintergreens, holiday planters, and garland. Order holiday decor via their website and they will deliver them by hand, right to your home! BloomBox will donate 15% of your purchase amount to Birmingham Friends to be used to support the Land Mine Detector Program. **Our fundraiser runs from November 1-15.**

Please read the instructions below about how to participate in the fundraiser:

1. Visit www.getblooming.com
 2. Shop for holiday decor, add them to your shopping cart and head to the checkout page.
 3. In the checkout page, you need to enter our unique code **BFM15** into the 'fundraising code' box.
 4. BloomBox will hand-deliver your purchase directly to your home between the dates of November 16th and December 6th.
- Please contact celiatlang@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Sunday, November 9, 12:00pm: The Oversight & Pastoral Care Committee will be hosting a luncheon at the rise of meeting on this day to celebrate our new members: Dee and Michael Kloss, Sara Reichard, Deborah and Charlie Gilbert, and also couples who are celebrating milestone anniversaries: 60th - Leslie and David Leonard; 50th - Stephanie and Andy Kirk; Ann and Rob Upton; and Marie and Rick Echelmeyer. There will be cake. All are welcome to join in the celebration.

Sunday, November 16 10:00am -11:15am: Meeting for Singing. Teacher Jeff from West Chester Friends School will be visiting Meeting to lead the children and youth in song. The children will join worship from 10:00am – 10:15am, then leave to sing with Teacher Jeff until 11:00am. They will then return to the Worship Room and lead singing for all until 11:15am.

November Birthdays					
7	Marina Pavluk	17	Livy Zug	24	Collier Zug
8	Julie Senko	19	Ted Moon	30	Ian Pace
11	David Leonard	23	Rebecca Tabbutt		
13	Libby Morrison	24	Celia Lang		
November Anniversaries					
4	Firas & Jennifer Mourtada				

More Zoom Links	
Mid-week Meeting for Worship (Host – Connie Eash)	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83934903246?pwd=st0FOCja-tLBCmnLrMvHn8YefSGTLcb.1 Meeting ID: 839 3490 3246 Passcode: 644889

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