

# The New Garden Friend

Newsletter of New Garden Friends Meeting

May 24, 2017

## Forum Topic: May 28

At the next forum (May 28 at 9:45 a.m.) Bill Eagles will lead a discussion on civil disobedience and people of faith which will include shared experiences, contemplations, and leadings arising out of the law and conflicting obligations.

## FUM Cuba Trip

Meet the Cuban Quakers and maybe do a little good work. The next trip is November 11-21, 2017. Bill Eagles has information: 336-433-9980 or email at (billeagles@billeagles.com).

## A tour of New Garden Cemetery

A tour of the New Garden Friends graveyard will be held on Memorial Day (as the world calls it) at 10 a.m. on Second-day, the 29th of Fifth Month. Along with the usual "Decoration Day" homage to those buried there, special emphasis will be given this year to those associated with the work of the American Friends Service Committee on this, the AFSC's centennial year. Come learn about those who have served in both conventional and unconventional ways! The

## AFSC moves in!

At the April 2 Monthly Meeting, NGFM approved welcoming the NC office for American Friends Service Committee (AFSC) to use space at our meetinghouse. This is an exciting opportunity for new growth and to help build an even stronger connection between our Meeting and the work of AFSC. They will move their office May 25 and you can help! Contact the office at New Garden Friends Meeting (office@ngfm.org) for more information.

## Doing Our Work - Antiracism

The Guilford Antiracism Alliance (GARA)'s program "Doing Our Work" announces the last session in this series:

"Implicit Bias: Where Does It Come from and What Do We Do About It?"

June 6: 7 - 8:30 p.m.

First Baptist - 1000 West Friendly, Greensboro 27401

**Next Carry-In Meal and Monthly Meeting for Business is Sunday, June 4**

## Meetings and Events

### Wednesday May 24

11 a.m. Healing Prayer / Friends Homes  
7 p.m. Mindfulness Meditation / Meeting Room

### Monday May 29

7 p.m. Nominating Committee / Room 109

### Tuesday May 30

4 p.m. Ukestra Practice / Room 109

## Birthdays

May 24

*Ellen Marion*

May 28

*Danielle Heider*

May 29

*Sue Mengert*

*Colleen Paterson*

May 30

*Susan Watson Dorn*

May 31

*Jean Bills*



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## Deadlines

To be considered for publication in the next newsletter, items **must be received by noon Monday**. Please include your name, phone number and email address.

Items for the New Garden Sunday bulletin must be received by noon on Thursday.

Question? Call Sharon Burton, 336-292-5487.