



Friends at the Spring

6th Month
Year 2016

<i>Date</i>	<i>Worship Leader</i>	<i>Message</i>	<i>Children's Message</i>
June 5th	Ellen and Ronald Osborne	Glenda Osborne	Ellen
June 12th	Ellen and Ronald Osborne	Open Worship	Ellen
June 19th	Ellen and Ronald Osborne	TBA	Ronald



June 26th	Ellen and Ronald Osborne	Betsy Blake	Ronald
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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Monthly meeting for business will be June 19th following Meeting at 11:00 a.m with a carry-in lunch.

There will be a potluck dinner on June 12th to say good-bye to Zack and Denny. They will be moving to Memphis and leaving on the June 16th. Ronald Osborne may be able to bring some barbecue and fixings.

We will suspend First Day School that has been held on 2nd Sundays for the summer until September.

Representative Body meeting is June 4th at Forbush Friends at 10:00 a.m. A catered lunch will be provided at the cost of \$10.00. Reservations for lunch must be made by May 27th; call 336-292-6957. Also it's requested that we notify the YM office with the name of our representative.

From Dan Perry:

The Nominating Committee (consisting of Dan Perry, Ellen Osborne and Mike Dodge) is seeking volunteers to serve on the following committees:

- 1) Peace and Social Concerns
- 2) Music and Worship
- 3) Building and Grounds

Any attender/member may serve on those three committees.

There are also term vacancies on the Ministry and Counsel and Trustees, Stewardship and Finance Committee. These are two committees which require active membership in the meeting.

The committee on Nurture and the committee for First Day School may be temporarily laid down, as suggested at the last Monthly Meeting. If you have comments about that, please reply to the Nominating Committee members named above.

The new appointments will be made at the Sixth Month (June) Monthly Meeting, so please express preferences for service or removal so the committee can prepare for that meeting.

The website has the current committee roster if you are uncertain about the committees/positions on which you serve.

Note:

New Worship hour starting June 5th, 1st Sunday, is 10:00 a.m., one hour earlier which will continue during the summer.

MANY BLESSINGS TO FRIENDS WITH BIRTHDAYS AND AN ANNIVERSARY



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Bill Minton 5
Grim Hobbs 11
Jean Vollrath 29

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Jackie Adams and
Christina Fisher 20

***We wish you joy love and peace today
In the company of family and friends,
To make your birthday glorious
From the beginning to the end.***



DUST IF YOU MUST

***Dust if you must but wouldn't it be better to
paint a picture or write a letter,
bake a cake or plant a seed?
Ponder the difference of want and need.***

***Dust if you must, but there's not much time,
With rivers to swim and mountains to climb,
Music to hear and books to read,
Friends to cherish and life to lead.***

***Dust if you must, but the world's out there with
the sun in your eyes and the wind in your hair.
A flutter of snow, a shower of rain
This day will not come around again.***

***Dust if you must, but bear in mind
Old age will come and it's not kind.
And when you go---and go you must---
You, yourself, will make more dust.***

**MINUTES OF THE MONTHLY MEETING
FOR WORSHIP WITH ATTENTION TO BUSINESS
15th day Fifth Month, 2016**

The Spring Friends Monthly Meeting for Worship With Attention to Business met in the Fellowship Hall on the 15th day of the Fifth Month, 2016. Dottie Hobbs, Assistant Clerk, opened the meeting with a query reading from the Faith and Practice.

The minutes of the monthly meeting on 4-17-16 were read and approved with minor changes. Mike Dodge presented the financial report for the fourth month, which was approved.

Ellen Osborne and Chuck Fager attended Quarterly Meeting at Rocky River and reported on the need for additional members on committees and in officers posts.

The new edition of Friends at the Spring has been published and copies are available for meeting members/attenders.

Steve Phillips reported that he had just received a Yearly Meeting request for our Spiritual Condition report due on 5/16. Steve will work to have a draft ready at the next Monthly Meeting. Ron Osborne suggested wording that we welcome all viewpoints and reaffirm all meetings.

The Nominating Committee reported and they need additional work and more volunteers for committees.

Grim Hobbs led a discussion of the wording on the new sign, and discussion of the possibilities for renovations to the bathrooms in the Fellowship Hall. After thorough discussion, it was agreed that the matter needs more work and thought.

Under Old Business, House Bill #2 was again discussed and was referred to a committee consisting of Ron Osborne, Chuck Fager and Cindy Perry.

**The meeting adjourned as the Worship Hour approached. Respectfully submitted, Cindy Perry,
Recording Clerk**