

Elmbank Events

August 2025

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Meetings for Worship are held by Zoom and in the Meeting House at 11.00 on Sundays and on Wednesdays at 12.30. See below for more information and links.

Sun 3 August	11.00 to 11.30 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by Zoom 1.00 Local Meeting for Business
Mon 4 August	6.00 shared meal and 7.30 Young Friends Epilogue – see below
Tues 5 August	8 am Time for Stillness by Zoom – see below
Wed 6 August	12.30 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by Zoom 2.00 Experiment with Light
Friday 8 August	11.00 to 13.00 Gardening at the Maryhill Labyrinth – see below
Sun 10 August	11.00 Meeting for Worship In the Meeting House and by Zoom
Tues 12 August	8 am Time for Stillness by Zoom – see below
Wed 13 August	12.30 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by Zoom 2.00 Experiment with Light
Sun 17 August	11.00 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by Zoom
Mon 18 August	6.00 shared meal and 7.30 Young Friends Epilogue – see below
Tues 19 August	8 am Time for Stillness by Zoom – see below
Wed 20 August	12.30 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by Zoom 2.00 Experiment with Light
Sun 24 August	11.00 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by zoom.
Mon 25 August	Climate Café – see below
Tues 26 August	8 am Time for Stillness by Zoom – see below
Wed 27 August	12.30 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House and by Zoom 2.00 Experiment with Light
Sat 30 August	Quaker walk – see below
Sun 31 August	11.00 Meeting for Worship in the Meeting House. No Zoom (5 th Sunday)

Reminder – If you wish to have something circulated within the Meeting, please email it to Clive Potter at Mailinglist@glasgowquakers.org.uk

A plea from your Meeting Room Tea & Coffee Team

You know what makes a Sunday Meeting even more divine? The smell of freshly baked goods wafting through the air! The Tea & Coffee Team is putting out a special plea for more home-baked donations for our post-worship gatherings. We in the Tea & Coffee Team are all about those Quaker values, and homemade treats fit right in with community and simple goodness. However, we also value everyone's well-being. So, we're asking our wonderful bakers to please, please, **complete a list of all ingredients** with your delicious creations. (We have a one page tick box form in the tea servery, copied at the end of this newsletter.) This way, everyone can make an informed decision and enjoy their treats without fear of an allergic plot twist. Let's keep our Sundays sweet, safe, and full of scrumptious surprises (the good kind)!

Tom Hair

QUAKER BUSINESS MEETINGS

The next Local Meeting for Business is on **Sunday 3 August** at 1pm in the Meeting House. Lunch will be provided beforehand for those attending.

GARDENING AT MARYHILL LABYRINTH

Friday 8th August, 11.00 to 13.00

Two of us helped Steve Koeplinger to clear weeds around the labyrinth on 19th July. We want to make this more regular and hope you can join us on 8th August.

No special skills are required, except a willingness to weed and get muddy! Litter picking is also needed. Some tools are provided, but you may want to bring your own favourites.

Further details from [Charlotte Wright \(charlmorayplace@outlook.com\)](mailto:CharlMorayplace@outlook.com)

CLIMATE CAFÉ

Monday 25 August

The Climate Cafe is now regularly the 4th Monday of the month at 5.30 for simple supper then 6.30 for sharing news and views.

Further information from Doreen Osborne glasgowquakers.climatecafe@gmail.com

QUAKER WALKS

The next walk will be on **Saturday 30 August**. The location and details will be provided to those on the mailing list.

Future dates are Saturday 27 September, Saturday 18 October, Saturday 22 November, Friday 12 December.

If you would like to be added to the mailing list, please contact Daphne Wassermann - daphne@aquarius1000.plus.com

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT QUAKERS

Future dates for your diary.

4 October Woodbrooke – Renewing Community

15 November Kindlers – Deepening Worship

Further details from Sheila Semple: sheila.semple@btinternet.com.

REGULAR QUAKER MEETINGS

Meeting for Worship

Sundays at 11am and Wednesdays at 12.30

In person and on Zoom.

Zoom

Meetings continue by Zoom on Sundays at 11am and Wednesdays at 12.30.

The links are listed below and details will also be sent out with the Zoom reminder.

Note that you are encouraged to stay on the Zoom after the meeting has finished to chat to each other. The host will mute the Meeting Room and turn the video off so you aren't distracted by those in the Meeting House.

Sundays (except 5th Sundays)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82975187161?pwd=TdNxFMmTcFU9PHsDoc7KxAUGOfg3k7.1>

Meeting ID: 829 7518 7161

Passcode: 394316

Wednesdays

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81089613867?pwd=tcg9d3O8VlspzfO0XlpQ2xN1zfynxK.1>

Meeting ID: 810 8961 3867

Passcode: 598311

5th Sundays

Local Meeting agreed that on the 5th Sundays there will be no blended meeting in Glasgow and Meeting for Worship will be in the Meeting House only.

If you would like to join a Meeting by Zoom you are welcome to join Friends in Milngavie Meeting with the following links.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7462365700?pwd=S005RkYkYkQ0eDUzd3RmNGU4L05hdz09>

Meeting ID: 746 236 5700 Passcode: 086276

Monday Quaker Community

These Zoom meetings are being suspended over the summer period.

To join the mailing list, please contact Sheila Semple at

Sheila.semple@btinternet.com

Time for Stillness

Every Tuesday, 8.00 to 8.30am

A reminder that Time for Stillness (T4S) is every Tuesday morning 7.50am for an 8am start. It is a lovely way to start your day, gathering with/friends in Stillness.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81510281536?pwd=yZXNDBnRQRTDc2lXzJtcDIHmFpnmQ.1>
Meeting ID: 815 1028 1536
Passcode: 519226

Deepening Spirituality

Early morning meeting at 10am on 6 and 20 July.

We meet on the first and third Sundays of the month at 10am for a silent half hour then chat and discuss.

Open to all.

Any queries contact Margaret Roy.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/7613798296?pwd=enZDWS9iRHNHUIlZR2dBb3N2YjBoZz09>
Meeting ID: 761 379 8296 Passcode: EwLWed

Young Friends Monday Night Epilogues

4 and 18 August

Aged teen to 35ish? Please join us in person on alternate Mondays from 6pm in the Meeting House, Elizabeth Fry room, for a potluck or bring and share dinner. Please no nuts due to allergies. Followed by a worship in person at 7:30pm - 8:00pm.

Otherwise join us at 7:30-8:00pm in person at the Meeting House for our regular, fortnightly epilogue worship.

Organising WhatsApp group for this community:

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/KjASIZWGm0xJ8SK7oDvz10>

Experiment with light

Wednesdays 2pm to 4pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86968437459?pwd=FVJVsdR3wvzscJo4FUlIXrmoAwkeXa.1>
Meeting ID: 869 6843 7459 Passcode: 881765

Quakers in Europe Prayer Group

Saturdays 08:30 to 9.30 am

For further information contact Mary Troup, marytroup2001@gmail.com or 07776146265

Sunday evening Area Meeting for Worship (Zoom only)

The meeting is open from 7.15pm to give time to say hello and settle in. The worship starts at 7.30pm for half an hour after which there is time for chat.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85320172452?pwd=Y21aXNuHocwL3LOZb4CmPHR9i87wXe.1>

Meeting ID: 853 2017 2452 Passcode: 563890

If anyone has any difficulties please call Kate Gulliver on her mobile 07596 725387.

NON-QUAKER ITEMS

Quaker Palestine Solidarity Scotland

WhatsApp Group

A WhatsApp group for Britain has been formed to help prepare, coordinate, and Witness Quaker presence at protests. Although the direction of travel is the same there are significant differences in the legal system and situation in Scotland, with presently a much lower chance of being arrested, and so a separate WhatsApp Group has been formed.

To join Quaker Palestine Solidarity Scotland please write to QPS.Scot@gmail.com including which meeting you belong to.

Quakers have a long history of working for peace in Palestine and Israel. There is further information at <https://www.quaker.org.uk/action/palestine-and-israel>

COLLECTIONS

We are grateful to those Friends who have been able to make donations to Glasgow Meeting funds by bank transfer. For anyone who would like to do this, the details are: Glasgow Quaker Meeting, Sort code: 80-07-24, Account number 00384645. Please be sure to use the Reference: Donation.

Collections can also be made in person in the Meeting House.

Special Collections

The collection on **Sunday 27 July** will be for a street homelessness charity introduced by Ben Blain.

The collection on **Sunday 31 August** will be for the **Quaker Council for European Affairs**, introduced by Gisela Creed.

Since 1979, QCEA has worked to promote just and peaceful solutions to issues affecting Europe and its relationships with the rest of the world. They currently work on three programme strands that aim to combine their expertise and experience in working at the intersections between issues.

Migration and Peace: creating policy conditions to support safe, equitable and responsive migration systems that contribute to long-term, sustainable peace.

Climate Justice and Peace: fostering a transition to a sustainable, fossil-free Europe. Advocating for a just, peaceful global order with robust, nonviolent conflict resolution approaches.

Dialogues for Transformation: enabling dialogue across differences, supporting people to listen deeply and gain new perspective on issues that are stuck or highly polarised.

To donate online go to <https://www.qcea.org/homepage/get-involved-2/donate-2/>

USEFUL INFORMATION

Generic email addresses

Clerk@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Pastoralcare@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Elders@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Children@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Mailinglist@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Treasurer@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Property@glasgowquakers.org.uk.

Librarian@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Roomhire@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Hospitality@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Communications@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Nominations@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Glasgowquakers.climatecafe@gmail.com
Safeguarding@glasgowquakers.org.uk
Safety@glasgowquakers.org.uk

Committee minutes and documents

The link is as follows

<https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/1yacRe0kYhXxw7czWwyCJeocMZFg7VnV>

Committees are encouraged to upload their minutes, remits and any other useful documents. If a committee clerk wants access, please contact Charlotte Wright.

Social media

X - @GlasgowQuakers Elmbank38

Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/GlasgowQuakers>

Young Friends Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/684886601939198>

Instagram - <https://www.instagram.com/glasgowquakers>

Website - <https://www.quakerscotland.org/glasgow>

There is also a Young Friends WhatsApp group. To join contact Georgia Campbell.

Zoom bookings

Friends who need to book meetings on our Zoom account will be given the login details. They will be able to see what other meetings have been booked. At present this information is not accessible more generally.

Note that only one meeting can take place at a time so **please check the Meetings tab before booking your meeting** to ensure that there is no clash.

Events in the Meeting House

All bookings and events can be found at

<https://teamup.com/ksshsgwcufaxdb49gf>

Other newsletters and websites

West Scotland Quaker News and more information on our Area Meeting are available at www.quakerscotland.org/west

Scotland General Meeting

Scottish Friend newsletter is online at <http://www.quakerscotland.org/general-meeting>

All the Britain Yearly Meeting newsletters can be accessed at quaker.org.uk/newsletters

Glasgow Local Meeting website is now part of the General Meeting website.
www.quakerscotland.org/glasgow

Keeping in touch

If you want to be on the Meeting email distribution list please contact Clive Potter,
ailinglist@glasgowquakers.org.uk

<p>Please send items for September "Elmbank Events" by Saturday 23 August to Daphne Wassermann 0141 357 0396 <u>daphne@aquarius1000.plus.com</u></p>
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Home Baking Checklist: Ingredients

Recipe Name: _____ Date: _____

Baked / Cooked By _____

Thank you for taking the time to Bake for the Meeting House Tea & Coffee offering.

It would be helpful if you could consider Ticking off the ingredients so as to allow friends to make an informed choice if they have allergies.

1. Ingredients Checklist *Dry Ingredients Please Tick Box*

Tick	Description	Other information if Required
	Flour (specify type, e.g., All-Purpose, Self-Rising, Whole Wheat):	
	Gluten Free Flour	
	Sugar (specify type, e.g., Granulated, Brown,	
	Baking Powder	
	Baking Soda / Bi Carbonate Soda	
	Salt	
	Cocoa Powder	
	Oats	
	Spices (e.g., Cinnamon, Nutmeg, Ginger)	
	Other Dry Ingredients	

Wet Ingredients

	Eggs	
	Milk (specify type, e.g., Dairy, Almond, Soy	
	Butter (or alternative, e.g., Margarine, Oil	
	Oil (specify type, e.g., Vegetable, Canola, Olive	
	Vanilla or other Extracts	
	Yogurt / Sour Cream	
	Other Wet Ingredients	

Add-ins / Toppings

	Chocolate Chips / Chunks	
	Nuts (specify type, e.g., Walnuts, Pecans, Almonds	
	Dried Fruit (specify type, e.g., Raisins, Cranberries	
	Fresh Fruit (specify type	
	Frosting / Icing Ingredients	
	Other Ingredients:	

Glasgow Quaker Meeting Rotas: August 2025

	Sunday 3 rd	Sunday 10 th	Sunday 17 th	Sunday 24 th	Sunday 31 st
Clerk (for notices)	Joyce Taylor	Ruth Wilkinson	Martin Mansell	Joyce Taylor	Ruth Wilkinson
Elders in the Meeting House and welcoming after Meeting	Rosemary Morgan and Neil McKechnie Daphne Wassermann for LM.	Rosemary Morgan and Linda Cannon (A&Q / QFP)	Sheila Semple and Daphne Wassermann (All age worship) Library Elder David Thomas	David Thomas and Linda Cannon	Neil McKechnie and Sheila Semple
Zoom host in the Meeting House	Daphne Wassermann	David Garfield	Martin Mansell	Frank Vaughan	No zoom
Warden	Ben Blain	Terri McGuigan	Martin Mansell	Tom Hair	tbc
Doorkeeper	Hilary Patrick	Mary Cox	tbc	tbc	Ben Blain
Pastoral Care	Mike Nellis	Alistair Trainor and Mary Cox	Ren Clark	Mark Coleman	Mary Alice Mansell
Tea/coffee	Becky Sherwood	Mary Cox	Ethel Shaw	Tom Hair	Ben Blain
Hospitality	LM: Helen Minnis and Becky Sherwood				
Children's Meeting lead	Mary Troup	Mary Troup	Mary Troup	Mary Troup	Mary Troup
Children's Meeting helper	tbc	tbc	tbc	tbc	tbc
Other Events					

Wednesday Meetings for Worship

Meetings are held every Wednesday in the Meeting House and by Zoom.
There is no longer a designated host as this meeting is quite small.
Anyone can join using the link circulated.