

First Day School meets in Room 3 weekly from 11:00 to 11:45 am; child care for 0-3 year olds is available through the end of announcements. Please try to arrive on time so we can plan the class groupings around attendance.

Powell House weekends: This year's youth retreats at the Friends conference center at Powell House will take place on the following weekends (Friends are encouraged to team up for carpooling): 4th & 5th grade: 10/5-7, 11/30-12/2; 6th to 8th grade: Sept. 21-23, Nov. 2-4 ; HS (various grade combos) Sept. 14-16, Oct 26-28, Nov. 16-18, Dec. 14-16. Intergenerational work weekend: Oct. 19-21. See Powell House web site for details.

Meetings of the Religious Education Committee are each fourth First Day after social hour in Room 3 (with some exceptions, see below). Peace Vigil is each first First Day at 1 pm, families encouraged to attend (playground nearby). There is singing every fourth First Day before 11:00 Worship. Childcare is provided for meetings of the Religious Education Committee and monthly Meetings with a Concern for Business and other meetings as needed. Please email Ann to arrange: kjellzer@pipeline.com.

Children will have their own Meeting for Worship on the second First Day of every month.

Sept 23	Religious Education Committee Meeting, Room 3 after social hour, potluck appreciated!
Sept 22	Meeting-wide Aging Gracefully Workshop, sponsored by ARCH, 10 AM to 1 PM
Sept 30	Shared fellowship with Friends Seminary and visit by Chatham Summit Meeting Our annual meeting at which Friends Seminary joins us for Meeting For Worship and First Day School.
Oct 21	Friends Seminary admissions conversation and tour for 15 th St families, 1 PM, childcare provided
Oct 28	Quarterly Meeting at Flushing
Nov 4	Religious Education Committee Meeting, Room 3 after social hour, potluck appreciated!
Nov 9-11	Fall Sessions, Plainfield, NJ
Nov 17	Cemetery work day
Nov 18	Gathering of New York Young Adult Friends (ages 18-35) to meet with NYYM Young Adult Field Secretary Gabi Savory Bailey M&W 3 rd Sunday Program, adults and kids, with First Day School teacher Emily Provance on Ministry, Service, and Gifts of the Spirit
Dec 2	Religious Education Committee Meeting for <u>holiday planning</u> , Room 3 after social hour, potluck appreciated!
Dec 2, 9, 16, 23	Carol singing Common Room, 10:30 am
Dec 2, 9	Project to raise money for shelter gifts
Dec 11	Shelter party, First Day School arrives for preparations, 6:00
Dec 16	Third Sunday M&W/FDS Program: Nativity story reading and singing
Dec 24	Ecumenical carol singing in Stuyvesant Park, followed by Meeting for Worship (TBC), 6 PM
Jan 20	Quarterly Meeting at Brooklyn
Jan 27	Religious Education Committee Meeting, Room 3 after social hour, potluck appreciated!
Feb 23	Religious Education Committee Meeting, Room 3 after social hour, potluck appreciated!
March 23	Egg Dyeing during social hour Religious Education Committee Meeting, Room 3 after social hour, potluck appreciated!

March 31	Easter, Teens lead First Day School and Egg hunt at rise of Meeting
April 15	Quarterly Meeting at 15 th St.
mid April	Friends Cemetery work day (TBC)
May 11	First Day School Rummage Sale (TBC)
May 25	Religious Education Committee annual spring potluck & curriculum planning mtg
June 9	First Day School epistle and report to 15 th Street Meeting for Business
June 23	First Day School Summer Schedule begins
July 13	Quarterly Meeting, Friends Cemetery (TBC)
July 21-27	New York Yearly Meeting, Silver Bay, NY (TBC)