



Friends at the Spring 8th Month, August 2018

The Worship Leader this month is Gaines Steer.

- Aug. 5th: a traditional Friends Meeting with 20-25 minutes of silence and traditional protocols. Carol Wills, Durham poet, will read two of her poems, published in "Friends Journal".
- Aug. 12: a brief talk by Gaines: "The Quaker in all of us" with audience participation plus silence.
- Aug. 19: "Singing and Sitting" Led by musicians Mark Smith and Katja Sage (youth: bring instruments).
- Aug. 26: "Native American Spirituality" led by musicians Jon Seskevich and Gaines (drums welcomed).



Announcements:

There will be a business meeting on Aug. 19th. We will have a carry-in meal after worship with Meeting for Business as we have lunch.

Chatham/Spring UFSW is collecting food items for the Allied Churches of Alamance County. A list of items needed are in the July Newsletter. Items will be collected until the end of August.

Jocie Nelson daughter of Kate and Chris Nelson, won "Best Screen play in the NOVA Student Film Festival" earlier this year. Congratulations, Jocie.





Blessings to Friends with a Birthday and Anniversary

Happy Birthday

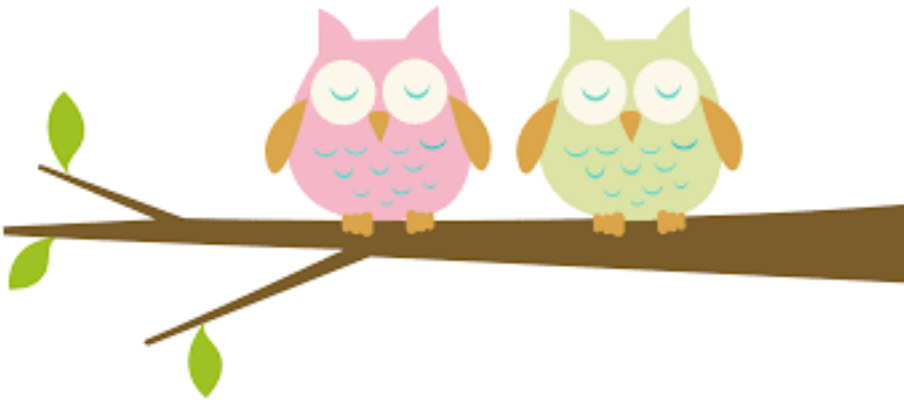
Bruce Walker 3
Heather McIver 15
Annika McIver Lowe 21
Robert Osborne 23
Will Osborne 26
Kevin Muhanji 31

Happy Anniversary

Ron and Elizabeth
Osborne 18
Grim and Dottie
Hobbs 24

“ We wish you the brightest future
And all that it can bring
May every day be full of wonder,
Joyful moments and special things.”





I'll Tell You How the Sun Rose

I'll tell you how the sun rose,
A ribbon at a time.
The steeples swam in amethyst,
The news like squirrels ran.
The hills untied their bonnets
The bobolinks begun
Then I said softly to my self
'That must have been the sun'.

Emily Dickenson, 1861