You are welcome here!

Today's Quakers are from diverse spiritual and social backgrounds, every race, sexual orientation, gender identity and socioeconomic group.

Some visitors to Albuquerque Friends Meeting come for an inclusive, family-oriented community. Some come for spiritual growth. Still others are attracted by the Quaker peace and justice testimonies. As a Sanctuary Church, we strive to embody our anti-racism ideals.

Waiting, listening, in this unadorned space and quiet hour, you may sense something that speaks to you – the One, as the Quaker George Fox phrased it, "that can speak to thy condition."





Quaker Meeting for Worship Sunday 10:30 a.m. (children's program during worship)

For additional events, visit our website: abqfriends.org

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If this is your first experience of Quaker Worship



What We Do

Albuquerque Friends Meetinghouse is a place of worship in the Quaker tradition. We hold a combined meeting for in-person and Zoom participants. The Zoom link is available by request at info@abqfriends.org. We gather in silence on Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Children are welcome!! Children join adults in worship for the first 10 minutes, then are escorted to the Children's Program downstairs. We offer activities for older children and a nursery for the youngest.

After about an hour of worship, a designated Friend invites everyone to introduce themselves. We invite you to share how you found us and anything else that would help us get to know you. A time follows for announcements, sharing of blessings and concerns, and fellowship both online and in person. Feel free to ask questions or browse our library.



Friends on our front porch

On all but the first Sunday of the month, we hold an online program for adults from 9:00-10:00 am on Quaker topics for both education and personal reflection. You are most welcome to join us via the Zoom link.



Who We Are

The Religious Society of Friends began in England in the mid-17th century and quickly spread to North America. Those Christian seekers, skeptical of church but experiencing a call to lead faithful lives in direct personal relation to the Divine, found a home among Friends. Today, there are several different traditions of Quaker worship. We follow the practice of early Friends who worshipped without pre-planned church services and paid clergy.

Meeting for Worship is a time when we come together to seek divine leading individually and as a community. This is a time when Friends become still, quieting the restlessness of the mind and tensions of the body. In *expectant worship*, we seek to

open ourselves to receive divine guidance, to experience the presence of that which is holy, and to be informed or led by it. We wait, mostly in silence. Someone may stand and speak, which we refer to as spoken ministry. This message is understood as an expression of continuing revelation.

To Learn More

In the entryway, you will find free brochures about Friends. Along the hall, several bulletin boards display postings by Friends as well as our local activities. There is a library to your left as you enter the meetinghouse, and you are welcome to browse the collection.

Donations from friends and visitors are appreciated, and you will find a black donation box on the wall in the entry.



Once again, welcome!



Friends at a world gathering in South America