

# Winter 2021 Philadelphia Quarterly Meeting

January 24, 2021

Zoom Hosted by Central Philadelphia Monthly Meeting

[Advance Registration required. Click here to register.](#)

Or visit the [Event page for Registration and Document Links](#)

## Full Day Schedule

10:00 am	Hymn singing is a regular part of First Day at Central Philadelphia MM. For a list of the Hymns <a href="#">click here</a> .
11 – 12:00 pm	Worship (Note: Opens at 10:45 for early settling in.)
12 – 12:45 pm	Announcements & Hospitality - Meet up with old and new Friends!
1 – 4 pm	Worshipful Philadelphia Quarterly Meeting Business & Host Program

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## PQM Worshipful Business Agenda & Host Program

1. Silent Worship
2. Welcome by interim convener, Carla White, CPMM Rep.
3. Presentation of slate of Nominees for consideration for approval. (Terms of new Clerks 1.24.2021 thru 4/2022.)  
See: How do PQM nominations work? i
  - [PQM Clerk](#) Kathleen Karhnak-Glasby, CPMM
  - [Mentoring Clerk](#) Phil Anthony, CHFM
  - [Recording Clerk\(s\)](#) John Hickey, GMM

Break for our Host's Program at approx. 1:30 – 2:30

4. Introductory remarks from new Quarter Clerk, Service opportunities.
5. Reflections on the October 25, 2020 PQM small group discussions. Topic: How are monthly meetings connected to community and how might the Quarter support them?
  - a. [Wrap Up -Findings from the Small Group Discussions at PQM 10.25.2020](#) (Other notes are available but not yet posted to Drive or website.)
6. What work is ours as a Quarterly Meeting? What piece of God's work in this world is PQM called to take on?
  - a. Our most useful resource is the still small voice inside- however understanding how other Quarters work may be useful.<sup>ii</sup>
7. Approval of [October 25 2020 PQM Business Minutes](#)
8. [Finance report](#) pdf and [excel](#) – Nathalie Miller, Outgoing Treasurer updated 7.37 Pm 1.23.21



### [CPMM HOST PROGRAM](#)

*Working on Racial Healing Equity & Justice – Inside Meetings and Collaboration with Communities. Join Friends .O and Chuck Esser share their ministries, and engage in discussion about this work and your own leadings!*

9. Minutes of appreciation – include [BS](#), [CdL](#), and other friends for their services to the Quarter

## 10. Announcements

- a. A workshop for recording clerks is in development. It will be offered by PQM, with participation open to Friends from throughout the Yearly Meeting and perhaps from beyond our YM depending on interest.
- b. Upcoming meetings of the Philadelphia Quarter, God willing -- dates and host meetings:
  - April 25, 2021 Hosts: West Philadelphia Friends
  - July 18, 2021 Hosts: Green Street Friends
  - October 24, 2021 Hosts: Germantown Friends
  - January 23, 2022 Hosts: MMFP / Arch St
  - April 24, 2022 Hosts: Chestnut Hill Friends

Note: The Quarter meets quarterly, four times a year: January, April, July and October, on the fourth Sunday - except in July, when we gather on third Sunday before Yearly Annual Sessions. (Basically, the same routine since 1683.)

See [Record of Hosts and Meetings from 2012 – present](#).

- c. March 16, 2021 is the next PQM Reps and Clerks Planning Meeting for PQM April session<sup>iii</sup>.
- d. Reminder that PYM Continuing Sessions is March 27, 2021, 9am – 4pm

11. Other announcements from the floor?

12. Closing – Silent Worship – Rise

**Endnotes below have references or links that may be useful to participants:**

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<sup>i</sup> How the PQM nominations work:

[PQM Nominations process 2020-21](#)

[Nominating Committee Search to fill Open positions](#)

<sup>ii</sup> There is great variation of what Quarters do and are, and function- within the 13 Quarters of PYM and beyond. Info is being compiled, feel free to share links to [PQMcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:PQMcoordinator@gmail.com) and we can post on a web page for all to access.

[PYM- Faith and Practice](#) on Functions of a Quarterly Meeting.

New York YM [Faith and Practice](#)

[F. The Quarterly or Regional Meeting](#)

[Directory of Quarters in PYM](#).

<sup>iii</sup> Our PQM April is typically the sessions that, like spring, we plan for renewal. Nominations, approve the next fiscal year's budget, encourage [State of the Meeting inventories](#), etc.