



NEW ENGLAND
YEARLY MEETING
OF FRIENDS
QUAKERS

Save the Date—April 9, 2022
Third Gathering on Spiritual Life and Ministry for Friends in New England

Ministry and our meetings can be thought of as interacting parts of a complex ecosystem. We invite Friends to join us in exploring this metaphor and the questions it raises about the relationship between meetings and ministry.

- What expressions of ministry might exist in a faithful Meeting ecosystem?
- How can our meetings grow in their ability to recognize, cultivate and steward gifts of ministry?
- What are the qualities of mutually supportive relationships between people who are carrying ministry and their meetings?

This is the third in a series of gatherings focused on spiritual life and ministry and is being planned as a hybrid event. We will have options for in-person and Zoom attendance, and we are striving to have the event feel as if all participants are part of the same group. The in-person portion is planned for Friends School of Portland.

If you and your family are interested in attending this event, we'd love to know what would make this accessible to you.

Because of the complex nature of the event, we are looking for volunteers who are willing to serve as event greeters and tech assistants. We are able to offer stipends to tech assistants. If you are interested in volunteering, email Jeremiah.

A full invitation and registration details will be shared in March.

Questions? Suggestions? To contact the gathering hosts, email Jeremiah Dickinson, mc-clerk@neym.org.