



Manhattan Monthly Meeting

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Quarterly Meeting Report, January 2021

Manhattan Monthly Meeting gives praise and thanks to the Almighty for giving us the opportunity to witness His love in this season of Prayer, Pandemic, Protests and Peace-making. Our Meeting's 2021 theme: "Hope", with emphasis on Romans 15:13 "May the God of Hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope" and Jeremiah 29:11 confirm that the God of Hope stands at the center of our daily lives. You are all invited to journey with us, as we travel on the road to fulfilling our theme.

With COVID-19 and virtual meetings as the new norm, we are now meeting every 1st day at 9:30 am. We have had worshippers from afar as Kenya and various states within these United States. We concluded our Bible study, "Reflections on the Psalms" and now prepared to study Jesus' Lineage during this year.

Our membership remains the same with regular visits by attenders and visitors. We continue to support Davanga School in Western Kenya especially with uniforms and school supplies for orphans.

During the Quarter, that was, members had daily Inter-visitation via Zoom Worship, with various Quaker groups, for example, Pendle Hill. We continue our monthly visitation to Manhasset Meeting virtually, worshiped virtually with Friends Church Baltimore, Baltimore Yearly Meeting and held quarterly inter-visitation with 15th Street Monthly Meeting. We will resume our Thursday evening prayer meeting @ 7:00pm during the course of this year.

We will continue to meet virtually until it is spiritually and medically safe for us to gather in person.

Faithfully submitted
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