Invitation to Regional Extended Meeting for Worship

"The experience was wonderfully rich for me—it was both calming and challenging; supportive and substantial. I felt empowered to listen to the Spirit and others more fully. I knew immediately that I want to experience extended worship again. ... [I thought that] it might be hard to sit in worship for such a long period. (It was not.)" — participant

Do you yearn to deepen your experience of worship? Have you wished that meeting for worship didn't end when the clock struck the hour? Does extra time in worship with others feed your soul?

Ministry & Counsel of Farmington-Scipio Regional Meeting invites you to experience Extended Meeting for Worship

What: Extended meeting for worship. No queries or program.

Why: To offer Friends the possibility of worshiping more deeply together

When: Saturday, October 1, 2016 Attend for a portion of the day or the full day!

9:15am Gather

- 9:30am Settle into worship
- 12:30pm Brown-bag lunch and discernment about the afternoon
- 1:30pm Afternoon session
- 3:00pm Clean up, say farewells, and leave by 3:30pm

Where: This extended meeting for worship will be hosted by Farmington Friends Church located at 187 County Road 8, Farmington, NY 14425-0185

Who: Everyone interested! Bring your spiritual hunger—and also bring your lunch.

Recommended: "Invitation to a Deeper Communion" (Pendle Hill Pamphlet #366) by Marcelle Martin

Next Extended Meeting for Worship: February 2017 at Ithaca Monthly Meeting

Your Meeting or Worship Group is encouraged to host one of these extended meetings for worship on a Saturday in February, June, or October.

For more information, and to learn about hosting an extended meeting for worship in 2018, contact Regional M&C co-clerk Heather M. Cook (Central Finger Lakes MM) at <u>burritolass2@gmail.com</u> or 908-377-9665.

Let us pour out all of our treasure in the river of a universal love. John Woolman, 18th-century American Quaker