

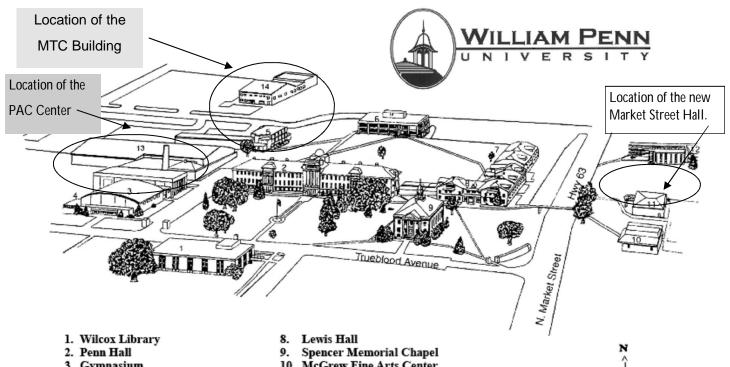
## The Iowa Friend

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The 2013 IAYM Annual Ministry Conference will be hosted at the MTC building (Musco Technology Center) at William Penn University. This is a fantastic space with ground level access to the atrium, convenient parking with access to the city bike trail, handicap restrooms and easy access elevator to the upper level!



On Friday afternoon we will go to to the PAC (Penn Activity Center) for lunch & dinner and have our afternoon workshop sessions. All parking spots on the circle drive (between PAC and Penn Hall) will be reserved that day for those needing easy access to building. All areas are easy access with elevator and handicap restrooms on each level



- 3. Gymnasium
- 4. Ron Randleman Fitness Center
- 5. Watson Hall
- 6. Dana M. Atkins Memorial Union
- 7. Twin Towers

- 10. McGrew Fine Arts Center
- 11. Indian Hills Center
- 12. Eltse Hall
- 13. Penn Activity Center
- 14. Musco Technology Center



College Avenue Friends will graciously host our evening worship services as well as the Friday morning continental breakfast, memorial service, and our 150th Celebration Service with Greg Hinshaw.

#### Market Street Hall On Campus Lodging



Each unit is arranged suite style with common area. 2 bedroom private bath for couples OR 4 bedroom semi-private bath with a separate sink area in each bedroom for individual housing. Also, a small sink area/kitchenette is in the common area of the suite.

#### Saturday Banquet Speaker



Judith Ngoya

Judith Ngoya serves as Administrative Assistant for the African Ministries Office in Kisumu, Kenya. Judith's responsibilities include leadership training in Kenyan yearly meetings, pastoral counseling, and office communications to yearly meetings and partner projects.

#### **CONCERT of PRAYER**

Join us for the third Yearly Meetingwide Concert of Prayer on Friday evening, August 2nd at 6:30 pm following Ron Bryan's address. We've been praying in area meetings for God to lead us from Intimacy to Purity, to Unity and Power. This united gathering will focus on Power.



"Call to me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know."

Jeremiah 33:3

# Christian Education Board Announces THE CE EXCHANGE TABLE

Please consider sharing/exchanging your old

# VBS Materials/Programs Sunday School Curriculum Holiday Programs



A table/exchange area will be set up at our Annual Session for churches to bring items to exchange!

Please share items that are complete sets. OR are current programs where additional materials could be purchased.

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**



Doug Shoemaker has served as General Superintendent of Indiana Yearly Meeting since 2005. He began his pastoral ministry at age 20 in Indiana Yearly Meeting. After graduating from Huntington College (now Huntington University) he pastored in Western Yearly Meeting for over 26 years. He and his wife, Kris, live near Sheridan Indiana and enjoy their three children and two grandchildren.



Dr. Greg Hinshaw has served as Presiding Clerk of Indiana Yearly Meeting since 2008. He is a public school superintendent in Randolph County, Indiana, where he has lived his entire life. He is a long-time student of Quaker history and has published books, articles, and chapters on local, Quaker, and educational topics. He and his wife, Katie, live on the family farm, near Farmland, Indiana, with their son, Will. They attend Bear Creek Friends Church, where Greg's family has been in membership since it was founded.

#### Prayer Labyrinth available at College Avenue Friends

What's a Prayer Labyrinth?

Find out by taking the steps up one flight from the north entrance at College Avenue Friends Church or by the elevator to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Youth Room.



Nine carefully planned prayer stations have been set up. Each one is designed for you to have a personal, private time with God. To experience it, allow at least 30 minutes to spend in prayer and meditation. Information for setting one up in your church is available from the Missions Committee.

J.A.M. (Children's Yearly Meeting) will be exploring the theme of Yearly Meeting during their "JAM" sessions. Each day will have a daily theme!

Intimacy—Purity—Unity—Power

Make sure to pack some swimwear for your child(ren).

Connie Klaas will be the Director.

#### Lunch included all days!

JAM will be headquartered at College Avenue Friends.



Jesus And Me

#### Hours:

Weds. 1-5

Th/Fri 8:45-4:30

Sat. 8:45—end of banquet

#### **LOCATION -**

College Ave. Friends
Basement

# Schedule of Events

#### Wednesday (7/31)

#### **PURITY**

9:00 am BOC Meets @ MTC

10:00 am Various IAYM Committee Meetings

1:00 pm M&C Body of Representatives

2:15 pm General Body Representatives Meeting

5:30 pm Dinner @ MTC

7:00 pm Worship with Doug Shoemaker @ CAF

Dessert Fellowship Following

#### Thursday (8/1)

#### UNITY

7:15 am Breakfast @ WPU

8:00 am Morning Devotions and Prayer

9:00 am General Body or Representatives Session10:30 am Workshop Sessions @ MTC Building (WPU)

Noon Lunch @ WPU

1:15 pm Worship @ WPU with Greg Hinshaw

4:00 pm Flex Time

(board meetings/extra business session/free time)

5:30 pm Dinner @ WPU

7:00 pm Worship @ CAF with Doug Shoemaker

#### Friday (8/2)

#### **POWER**

7:30 am Continental Breakfast @ CAF 8:00 am Morning Devotions and Prayer

9:00 am Memorial Service @ CAF

10:00 am 150th Celebration of Iowa Yearly Meeting

with Greg Hinshaw @ CAF

Noon Lunch at the PAC Center (WPU)

1:30 pm Workshop Sessions @ PAC Center (WPU)3:15 pm Large Group Missions Session @ PAC (WPU)

5:00 pm Dinner at PAC Center (WPU) 6:30 pm Evening Worship @ CAF

> Ron Bryan's General Superintendents' Address Concert of Prayer—emphasis on POWER

Young Adult's Coffee House following @ Smokey Row

#### Saturday (8/3)

7:8:00 am Morning Devotions and Prayers

9:00 am Friends Disaster Service Meeting @ MTC 10:00am USFW Celebration of Service @ MTC

QuakerMen Meeting @ MTC

Noon Mission Banquet at MTC Building

#### (abbreviation key)

**CAF**—College Avenue Friends

MTC—Musco Technology Center

WPU—William Penn University

PAC—Penn Activity Center

#### **OFF-SITE LODGING**

Oskaloosa Super 8 ......

Comfort Inn...... 641-672-0375

Red Carpet Inn.......... 641-673-8641

America's Best Value Inn 641-673-8351

(note: Knoxville National Sprint Car races are the same time as our conference so, get your room res-

641-673-8481

ervations in early!)

#### REGISTRATION and CHECK-IN

Registration and check-in will begin Wednesday (July 31) at 9 am in the atrium area of the MTC building at William Penn University. Registration area open as follows:

Wednesday 9—4

Thursday 9—1:30 and 2:15—4:00 pm

Friday 9–11 at CAF and 1:00—3:00 at PAC

Saturday 9-noon

#### YOUNG FRIENDS AND CHILDREN'S RELEASE FORM

#### PARENTS OF FAMILY MEMBERS OF YOUTH:

I give permission for my child(ren), as listed on the registration form, to attend IAYM activities. I also give permission for the Director to take my child to a doctor or hospital for emergency care. I will assume responsibility for all medical bills.

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#### ALTERNATE ON-SITE SPONSOR FOR YOUTH:

"I have agreed to serve as sponsor for \_\_

I understand I will be contacted by the Conference Director with any concerns or problems related to this Young Friends. In the event the Director needs to take specific action with regard to any medical emergency or inappropriate behavior involving this Young Friend, I can expect to be consulted before such action is take, and upon agreement with the Director as to the best course of action, I will act in support of it. I will be attending the Ministry conference."

Meeting Sponsor\_\_\_\_\_

Phone number where I can be reached\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Our Workshops Include:**



#### Tanzania Project

Presented by Ron Bryan

This workshop will be to explain the idea behind an effort being begun from Iowa Yearly Meeting to help plant/sponsor new Friends Churches in Southern Tanzania and Northern Malawi. What began from a visit in 2010 by Lloyd Stangeland, Ron Bryan, and John Muhanji to the southern region of Tanzania to meet and share with some new churches in the Iringa, Mbeya, Kyela cities has now been confirmed with support from Iowa with funds from two families and one church to initiate an effort to provide a livelihood for their families while also making it possible to reach out to new families with the Gospel message of Jesus Christ.

What began just a few years ago, is now developing into a network of Friends churches, five in Tanzania and two in Malawi, who wish to be associated with Friends United Meeting and their brothers and sisters in Kenya, Uganda and Sudan. Special blessing will be the Judith Ngoya - Kisumu Staff person was able to visit these churches the first part of May— will be here for our Yearly Meeting sessions.

### "The Perfect Church: A New Perspective for Church Revitalization."

#### Topics will include:

- -A biblical definition of "the perfect church"
- Defining Sabbath Rest for the local Church
- What is the "intended end" for the Church?
- How is the small Church is positioned for greatness in American culture?
- Cultural expectations and ecclesiastical myths placed on the local Church

Adrian Halverstadt, is currently serving as Leadership Facilitator of EFC-Rocky Mountain Yearly Meeting and Chancellor of Barclay College. He teach theology and leadership classes for Barclay College and served as a part time instructor for Malone University.

He is married to Lisa Rea Halverstadt (34 years this June) and is a recorded Friends pastor (1988) in EFC-ER. He has served in pastoral ministry in Indiana, Ohio, and in Kansas.

# Friday Afternoon Mission Large Group Session

There are 5 different missions that will have time to share about their ministries.

Sam Barber with Belize Friends School
The Martins ministry team
Living Water Friends Church—DSM
International Friends Church—MPLS

Cuban Yearly Meeting—A member from the Cuban Yearly Meeting will be here to share.



#### **Youth and Young Adult Ministries**

On Friday afternoon we will have our new Youth and Young Adult Director lead a workshop. It is a time to share the vision of this ministry.

#### **LIVE LOVE Project**

#### **Panel Discussion**

Our Christian Education Board will be leading a session on Friday afternoon as a follow up to their year-long project entitled "LIVE LOVE"

Come share how your local meeting used this seasonal resource tool and hear from the board on the feedback they received. This workshop will be offered on Friday afternoon only.



Let's Grow Together: Jeff Swartzentruber, Everence Regional Director for lowa, will present for discussion and story-telling, examples of "The Vine" planning tools. One is for Individuals and Families and one is for Congregations. Jeff will introduce the tools, then discuss the concepts and approach to help you think about your personal Faith values/passions/dreams/goals in the context of connecting your Faith to your financial decisions. This wholistic approach also translates to your Monthly Meeting where the outcomes and related services and ideas may be different, yet still relevant

This workshop will be offered during the Thursday morning workshop session only.

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Last Name:	\$30 per person xadult =	Wm Penn Dorm (all a/c) Market Street Dorm \$20 single/night \$40/double/night Wednesday single double Thursday single double Friday single double  Yearly Meeting Campground/park \$10 per night (kitchen, showers, and bathrooms available in YM office) Wednesday Thursday Friday  Special Requests for Housing:
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# **REGISTRATION 2013**

Adult Meal Tickets (does not include Banquet)  7 meal Plan \$49.20 × #adults =
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# CONFERENCE TOTAL:

For Office Use Only Date Received: \_\_

Registration Fee + Lodging + Meals =

Registrations received at our office with a postmarked date of July 20th or before can -10%

take a 10% discount

FINAL TOTAL:

Mail to IAYM, PO Box 657 Oskaloosa, IA 52577

Make checks payable to Iowa Yearly Meeting or IAYM

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### Iowa Yearly Meeting Schedule

#### June 2013

Little Fry May 31—June 2 Young Adult May 31—June 2 Jr. High June 7—12 High School June 14—19 Fox June 23—27 Fry June 27—30

#### **July 2013**

7/4-7 USFWI/Quakermen Triennial Indianapolis, IN

#### July 31-August 3, 2013

150th Yearly Meeting and Celebration At William Penn University

#### September 2013

9/13-15 Team Camp at Quaker Heights

