

# The Ministry on Racism Program and People of Color Center Events

*The Ministry on Racism program at FGC is dedicated to helping Friends understand and heal the wounds of systemic racism and white supremacy, while creating more equitable and inclusive Quaker communities.*

**Events in the People of Color Center will take place in HSSC: N 1112, except where otherwise noted.**

## **Daily Events Monday through Friday**

*Gathering for Fellowship – People of Color Only*  
**4:30pm - 5:30pm in HSSC: N 1112**

*Gathering for Fellowship – European Americans Addressing Racism*  
**4:30pm – 5:30pm in HSSC: N 2116**

## **Monday, July 1st, 2019**

*What's happening in Meetings following the Publication of FGC's Institutional Assessment Report?*

**1:30pm - 3:00pm in HSSC: N 1112**

Share what you are doing and hear what others are doing in your/their home meeting to address racial justice. Members of FGC's Institutional Assessment Working Group will be present to listen to your stories.

*Reading to Children - big & small, young & old*

**3:15pm - 4:15pm in HSSC: N 1112**

Come to the People of Color Center to hear stories read from children's books. We read to people of all ages and races/ethnicities from our collection of books about and by people of Color.

## **Tuesday, July 2nd, 2019**

### *Institutional Assessment Task Force & Implementation Group*

**1:30pm - 3:00pm in HSSC: N 1112**

Learn about the work of FGC's Institutional Assessment Task Force and Implementation Group. You are welcome to ask any questions you have about the Institutional Assessment Report.

### *White Privilege Conference Recap & Discussion*

**3:15pm - 4:15pm in HSSC: N 1112**

Long-time WPC attendee **Janice Domanik** will lead a discussion that answers questions such as: Why does FGC participate in the White Privilege Conference? What successes and struggles have Friends experienced in learning from WPC to take back to their meetings?

## **Thursday, July 4th, 2019**

### *Becoming an Anti-Racist Faith Community*

**1:30pm - 3:00pm in HSSC: N 1112**

Spend time with some of the presenters from Tuesday night's plenary. You are invited to ask questions about their work and/or the Institutional Assessment on Systemic Racism.

### *Diversifying Your Library Collection*

**3:15pm - 4:15pm in HSSC: N 1112**

Join us for a discussion with **Regina Renee Ward** on evaluating books & media with an inclusive lens. We'll explore key concepts essential to cultivating and promoting inclusive & equitable collections, such as the experiences of LGBTQIA people, Native people, people of color, people with disabilities, non-binary or gender non-conforming people and ethnic, cultural, and religious minorities. We will share resources and you will learn best practices for evaluating, auditing and diversifying your collections.

**Friday, July 5th, 2019**

*Spiritual Grounding for Racial Justice*

**1:30pm - 3:00pm in HSSC: N 1112**

For over 500 years racism has woven itself into the social and cultural lives of people who live in North America. We invite Friends to gather in the People of Color Center, to pray for divine assistance in our work toward a just world.

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Visit **[FGCquaker.org/challengeracism](https://FGCquaker.org/challengeracism)** to learn about year-round opportunities and resources from the Ministry on Racism Program, including the regional Fall Retreat for Friends of Color and their Families and the White Privilege Conference. We invite Friends to read the report and recommendations of FGC's Institutional Assessment on Systemic Racism at **[FGCquaker.org/report](https://FGCquaker.org/report)**.