

To: those registered to attend YM 2021 (in Aotearoa / New Zealand) by Zoom  
Hi all

Thank you for registering to attend YM 2021 by Zoom. We hope that this will be a rewarding experience for you, but please bear with us if things (people or technology) fail to live up to expectations!

Invitation / links are provided below for both

- (1) All Yearly Meeting sessions, including the meeting of Spiritual and Pastoral Care members on Friday afternoon; and
- (2) the Quaker Lecture. Note that the link for the Quaker Lecture will be open from 6:45pm, please connect before 7pm when the lecture begins.

Note that the link for the Quaker Lecture can be widely shared, but we ask you not to pass on the Yearly Meeting link to those who have not registered for Yearly Meeting.

YM 2021 is predominantly an “in person” gathering, with less than 10 in total registered to attend by Zoom. Note that your view of the proceedings will be limited, with just a fixed camera showing at any time either the front of the room (clerk’s table), or a more general view of the room. It may be difficult to pick out individual people. We hope that the sound quality you receive will be good, but while we have a good quality camera and multi-directional microphone which seem to work well, we are not sure yet how that will interact with the venue’s sound system which will be in use at the same time.

There will be someone monitoring the Zoom connection and letting the Clerk know if someone connected by Zoom wishes to speak. During the business sessions, please

- Please keep your microphone muted except when you have been called upon by the Clerk to speak
- If you wish to speak, please use Zoom’s “raise hand” facility to alert the person monitoring the link. If you change your mind and no longer wish to speak then please remember to lower your “Zoom hand”. [Alternatively, you could simply raise your (physical) hand on camera].
- When speaking, begin by stating your name and meeting, then try to speak slowly and clearly.
- Please try to ensure that you are in a quiet place which minimises audio and video disturbance
- Remember each session is itself a meeting for worship. Please uphold the worship in the same way as you would if you were physically present.
- We understand that you may need to be selective in which sessions you attend! However we would ask that if you decide to join a session, you join “on time” to help the Clerk know who is attending the session, and that once you have joined the session you remain for the duration of that session, just as you would if you were attending YM in person.

Looking forward to seeing you  
Alistair Hall  
(Local Arrangements Committee)

(1) Yearly Meeting Invitation:

YM 2021 is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: YM 2021's Zoom Meeting

Time: May 14, 2021 01:45 PM Auckland, Wellington

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4273137407?pwd=YkpCenBzZkFaOUxtVVFkYUpRNEJ4dz09>

Meeting ID: 427 313 7407

Passcode: cngr9Q

(2) Quaker Lecture invitation:

YM 2021 is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Quaker Lecture 2021

Time: May 15, 2021 06:45 PM Auckland, Wellington

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84329925928?pwd=bS9Xak91UE44eUhMNkgyVFZNeVxZz09>

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