#### **MEDICAL EMERGENCY FORM**

(Must complete one for each child under 18) (Optional for Adults)

Name	Age				
Can participate in Yes N	full physical activity?				
Date of last tetanus					
Please comment or	Please comment on any behavioral or health,				
issues (including allergies) that would help the children's program leaders:					
In event of emerge	ency, please call				
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Monthly Meeting					
It is understood that th	ne sponsor acts in loco parentis				
(Parent signature )	(Date)				

Adult Program: Finding and Responding to the Holy: Celtic and Quaker ways of prayer, led by Wisconsin Friends Ken and Katharine Jacobsen and Ken and Maia Tapp. Maia Tapp is a published poet. Ken Tapp is a recognized nature photographer. They are members of Beloit Monthly Meeting. Ken and Katharine Jacobsen are members of Stillwater Monthly Meeting, Ohio YM-Conservative who are sojourning at Beloit as they have also sojourned at Chicago Monthly Meeting and Pendle Hill.

A thousand years passed between the height of Celtic Christianity in the British Isles and the emergence of the Quakers in the mid-1600s, but there are remarkable similarities suggesting deep connections. An interesting exception to this connectedness comes in the approach to prayer. We Friends especially seek God in the silence; our Celtic brothers and sisters are apt to seek God in poetry, song, work, movement, artistic expression. We are both right and we have much to learn from each other.

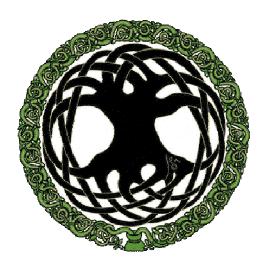
The Children's Program will include lessons about Celtic beliefs and how they are different and similar to Quaker beliefs. There will be Celtic crafts and music as well as reinforcement of Young Friends' Quaker practice—through worship sharing, business meeting, and outdoor enrichment.

Central Illinois Lutheran Camp Association (CILCA). Camp CILCA is located on 210 acres in a nicely wooded area. It is located 12 miles SE of New Salem State Park, 7 miles north of Springfield on route 29, and 4 miles west on Andrew Road. If you travel on I-55, take Exit #105 (Sherman) and travel south to the first traffic light, turn right (west) and go 7.5 miles to camp. See <a href="www.cilca.org">www.cilca.org</a> for a map, google 4124 Camp CILCA Rd, Cantrall, IL 62625 or call (217) 487-7497.

Program and Registration Form for the Spring Gathering Of The

# Blue River Quarterly Meeting

of the Illinois Yearly Meeting Religious Society of Friends



May 4-6, 2012

# Finding and Responding to the Holy:

Celtic and Quaker ways of prayer

Ken & Katharine Jacobsen and Ken and Maia Tapp

## Children's Program

Celtic History & Crafts, Business Meeting, & Outdoor Play

Sharon Haworth and Dale Gardner

At Camp CILCA, 4124 Camp CILCA Rd, Cantrall, IL 62625 (NW of Springfield, IL)

#### **BRQ SCHEDULE**

(All meals and adult programs will be in the Christian Growth Center [CGC]; Youth program will be in the Retreat Center)

#### Friday, April 15

6-9pm Registration/Brown Bag Supper 7:30pm All ages - Get-acquainted game.

### Saturday, April 16

Saturday, 11pm 10		
Early Silent Worship		
Breakfast, Arrive on time, please		
Children's Program		
Adult Program		
ILYM Planning (Erin Taylor &		
Beth Schobernd)		
Lunch (Arrive on time, please)		
Free Time (look for signs of God's		
gifts in the out-of-doors)		
Children's Program		
BRQ Meeting for Worship with a		
concern for Business (David		
Wixom, Clerk. Please bring State		
of Society Reports)		
Intergenerational sharing of God's		
gifts from the out-of-doors		
Dinner		
Intergenerational thanking God		
with music in a Celtic way (led by		
Ken Jacobsen. Bring instruments.)		
Campfire, singing, s'mores, story-		
telling, and star gazing.		

## Sunday, April 17

Sunuay, Ap	<u> </u>
8:00am	Breakfast
9:30-10:30	Intergenerational program
10:30-11:30	Meeting for Worship (Children
	for first 15 minutes, then to
	Children's program)
Noon	Dinner
	Clean-up and Goodbyes

Children's Programs are in the Retreat Center during adult program times. Parents are responsible for their own children during meals and free time.

**Volunteer Signup.** On Friday at registration Friends who are able are encouraged to sign up for volunteer activities (assisting with the children's program, Sunday cleanup, etc).

Housing Costs: Christian Growth Center (CGC) has 14 bedrooms with 1 double bed & 1 set of bunk beds, with a bathroom. Cost \$60 per room/night for 1-2 adults. \$23 each extra adult. Bedding provided. Mattresses are available. Retreat Center has Men's Dorm & Women's Dorm, and a small bathroom on the first floor. Family Dorm and shower/bathrooms in the basement. \$17 adult/night. Bring your own bedding.

Meal Costs. Breakfast - \$6; Lunch - \$7; Dinner - \$8. Sunday noon meal is a Dinner. Blue River Quarterly absorbs the Food and Housing costs of children under the age of 18. Donate generously to cover them. All meals will be in Christian Growth Center. Arrive on time to meals, please.

**Registration.** Please send registration form and one medical emergency form for each person under age 18 by **April 20th** to: Grayce Mesner, 1262 Richland Rd., Lacon, IL 61540, 309-246-8397, grayceneil9©pcwildblue.com

Other Possible Things to Bring: Snacks, flashlights, musical instruments, song books, hiking shoes, towel, fishing pole & tackle, organization displays, games and toys.

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**Total included:** 

<sup>\*</sup>Registration is \$15 to 30 per adult on a sliding scale. No one should hesitate to attend because of financial reasons. Please just pay the amount you can afford, and join us. Make checks payable to Blue River Quarterly.