Dear Friends,

A small ad hoc committee is experiencing the joy of updating A Guide to Our Faith and Practice. The current guide was created as a spirit-led process developed over ten years from 2002-2012 with a modification to queries published in 2021. In keeping with the principle of continuing revelation - we seek a document that carries us forward, guides us in our spiritual practices, and supports our faith for the next ten years and beyond.

We hope that you will participate in making this revision an inclusive and community-led experience. The committee intends to have sharing sessions and collect input from as many Friends as feel led to participate. We will attend affinity groups and also set up a Google Group to encourage and facilitate interaction and contributions.

We seek not only suggestions for updates, requests for additions, revisions to committee sections, and language modifications for inclusivity, but we ask Friends to provide spiritually uplifting items such as a poem you wrote, quotes from those who inspire you (with the attribution to the author), drawings or artwork that can be included in addition to text, this includes audio or video creations for the online version.

For access to the google group or to submit suggestions please email us at <a href="mailto:FandP@sayma.org">FandP@sayma.org</a>

In Harmony,
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