

Rebuilding What Sustains Life via
Hospitality, Humility, and Holy Spirit



Freeport Mennonite Church
3416 East Brick School Road
Freeport, Illinois 61032

*Always moving one step closer towards
Christ, community, and each other.*

April 26, 2026
10:30 a.m.

Mark Your Calendars

04/29/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
05/06/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
05/13/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
05/14/26 @ 9:30 a.m.	WMS
05/20/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
05/20/26 @ 1:00 p.m.	COFFEE Small Group
05/23/26 @ 10:00 a.m.	OWLS Small Group
05/27/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
06/03/26 @ TBD	VBS
06/10/26 @ TBD	VBS
06/17/26 @ TBD	VBS
06/24/26 @ TBD	VBS

Contact the Church Secretary to add your event to the calendar.

Sunday bulletins are finalized on Thursday of each week.

**Please submit your requests by Thursday,
to ensure it makes the Sunday bulletin. Thank you.**

Nursery Schedule:

1st Sunday of the month: Misty & Kinzy DeHaven and Carole Nafziger

2nd Sunday of the month: Dottie Delgadillo and Jan Pfile

3rd Sunday of the month: Janet Lubbers and Janice Byler

4th Sunday of the month: Sherrill Oyer and LaVonne Arendsee

5th Sunday of the month: TBD

Things to know...

Free Community Meal:

Freeport Church of the Brethren has free community meals the second Saturday of each month, from 5:00-6:30 p.m.

Menno Haven Summer Camp:

Registration is now open for Summer Camp at Menno Haven! For more information and to register, visit:

<https://www.mennohaven.com/summeryouthcamps.html>

Schedule:

Family Camp ~ May 22-25 Cottontail (Grades 3-5) ~ June 7-10

CROSS Camp (Grades 6-12) ~ June 14-18

Sports & Crafts Tracks

Junior High Camp (Grades 6-8) ~ June 21-26

Trailblazer & Adventure Tracks

Blue Jay (Grades 4-6) ~ June 28 - July 3

High School Camp (Grades 9-12) ~ July 5-10

Cardinal & Wilderness Tracks

Grand Camp (Grandparents & Grandkids) ~ July 26-30

Lifeline Coalition Walk for Life:

The annual Lifeline Coalition Walk for Life will be held on May 2nd at Krape Park. It is one of their main fundraisers to help save babies. You can sign up to walk with Jan Pfile (the walk is only one mile) or donate to Jan walking. There is a team formed for us, Freeport Mennonite, if you would like to sign up. Here is the link to Jan's page:

<https://page.fundeasy.com/7742701>

Birthday Luncheon:

All are welcome to attend Betty Metz's 95th Birthday Luncheon on Sunday, May 10th at noon in the All Purpose Room, hosted by Betty's daughters. No gifts, please.

Announcing VBS 2026!

Mark your calendars for four fun Wednesday evenings in June as we journey together with our brothers and sisters from Freeport Church of the Brethren. Please pray how you could be used this year. More information to follow.

Prayer Requests

Health

- † Karen Harbach, Rosemary Zissler,
- † Vicki Zimmerman, Amber Fortner's brother, Ryan,
- † Marlene Hardaway's great niece, Elly Siebert,
- † Betty Metz's daughter, Carolyn Zuck
- † (Carolyn's address for those wanting to send her a card)
5775 N. Brown Rd.
Dakota, IL 61018

Misc

- † Caryl Horstmeier
- † Janice Byler
- † Paul and Jennifer Boyes
- † David Graybill and his family
- † School-Age Children, as well as our teacher
- † Young Adults: Adrian Delgadillo, Caleb Moss,
JJ Pineda & Lucas Pineda
- † AWANA sponsored MICS students: Jane, Namushi (Lucky),
Joshua, Chipego, Alvin, Estelly, Pritinah & Ketiwe.

Contact the Church Secretary to add your prayer request to the bulletin.

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## *Let's Celebrate!*

### *Birthdays*

4/26 Lane Graybill  
5/12 Betty Metz  
5/12 Chuck Rhodes  
5/12 Lowell Nafziger

### *Anniversaries*

5/19 Julio & Dottie Delgadillo

## *April 26, 2026 ~ Order of Service*

### **Opening Song**

*Lift High the Name of Jesus (Getty)*

### **\*\*\* Call to Worship**

*HWB #866*

### **Invocation**

### **Scripture Reading**

*Nehemiah 2:1-20 NIV*

### **Prayer**

*Sharing of Praises and Concerns*

### **\*\*\* Song**

*Hear the Call of the Kingdom (Getty)*

### **\*\*\* Song**

*VT #759 Take My Life, and Let It Be*

### **Message**

*Pastor Rosalind Young*

*Rebuilding What Sustains Life via Hospitality, Humility, and Holy Spirit*

### **Pastoral Prayer**

### **\*\*\* Closing Song**

*Love Each Other (CCLI #5490167)*

### **\*\*\* Benediction**

**\*\*\* Please stand if you are able and willing**





**Empowered by the Holy Spirit,  
we commit ourselves to lovingly reach out to all people  
and to bring them into a growing relationship with  
God our Father through His Son, Jesus Christ.**



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