



From Scaredy Cats to Mission Workers

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

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

June 21, 2026
10:30 a.m.

Mark Your Calendars

06/21/26 @ 10:30 a.m.	Pastor Rosalind's Ordination, Meal to Follow
06/24/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
06/24/26 @ 5:30 p.m.	VBS
06/27/26 @ 10:00 a.m.	OWLS Small Group
06/28/26 @ 10:30 a.m.	Storytelling Tour, Meal to Follow
07/01/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
07/01/26 @ 5:30 p.m.	VBS (make up from 6/10)
07/08/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
07/09/26 @ 9:30 a.m.	WMS
07/15/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
07/15/26 @ 1:00 p.m.	COFFEE Small Group
07/19/26 @ 10:30 a.m.	John Sieber & Friends Speaking, Meal to Follow
07/22/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group
07/25/26 @ 10:00 a.m.	OWLS Small Group
07/29/26 @ 5:00 a.m.	Men's Small Group

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...

Upcoming Worship Series: Unity in Conflict:

Conflict is a part of every community, including the church. While disagreements can strain relationships, they can also become opportunities for growth, deeper understanding, and stronger connections when approached with care and wisdom.

In the weeks ahead, we will explore *Unity in Conflict*, a worship series that invites us to consider how followers of Jesus can navigate disagreement while preserving relationships. Through Scripture, reflection, and practical spiritual practices, we will learn skills that help us listen well, respond faithfully, and seek understanding even when we do not agree.

Join us as we explore what it means to follow the way of Christ in the midst of disagreement and discover how God can use even difficult conversations to strengthen community and deepen our witness.

Baby Bottles:

Please turn in your baby bottles for Lifeline Coalition today, June 21st. We thank you for supporting the ministry of helping women in crisis pregnancies. If you have any questions, please see Jan Pfile.

Praise in the Park:

The Summer Season schedule for Praise in the Park is posted on the bulletin board in the overflow room.

Things to know...

Menno Haven Campers:

Please be in prayer for Suriah Howard and Thea Flood this week while they are at Menno Haven. Pray that they will see and experience God in more awesome ways than ever before!

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:

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

Storytelling Tour at FMC:

Mennonite Central Committee is hosting a storytelling tour,

A Journey of Hope and Transformation. **Sunday, June 28th at FMC.**

Sarah and Jacob (Jack) Lesniewski currently serve as MCC Co-Area Directors for South America, Mexico and Cuba. They previously served as MCC Co-Country Representatives for Guatemala-El Salvador and as service workers with MCC in rural Guatemala. Prior to their service in Guatemala-El Salvador, they lived on the South and West Sides of Chicago, where Jack was a social work professor at Dominican University. Sarah and Jack, along with two of their four children, reside in Mexico City. Sarah and Jack will share first-hand stories from MCC programs and partners.

9:30 a.m. ~ Presentation, Combined Sunday School Class in the Sanctuary.

10:30 a.m. ~ Worship Service - Sermon by Sarah and Jack

Please join us for the presentation at 9:30, stay for worship, and for the meal following the service. Please bring a salad or dessert to share.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR FAMILY VBS!

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WEDNESDAY EVENINGS - JUNE 3, 17, 24 & JULY 1

5:30 - LIGHT MEAL

6:00 - VBS ACTIVITIES START

For More Information,
Call 815-255-0943 or

Email freeportmennonitechurch@gmail.com

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Prayer Requests

Health

- † Karen Harbach (for healing & rehabilitation - broken leg),
- † 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
- † Young Adults: Adrian Delgadillo, Caleb Moss,
JJ Pineda & Lucas Pineda
- † AWANA sponsored MICS students: Jane, Namushi (Lucky),
Joshua, Chipego, Alvin, Estelly, Pritinah & Ketiwe.

Ketiwe's guardians did not allow her to attend MICS.
Charity will be able to attend in her place.

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

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## Let's Celebrate

### Birthdays

7/1 Thea Flood  
7/2 Levi Graybill  
7/8 Merle Shoemaker

# June 21, 2026 ~ Order of Service

## Opening Song

VT #103 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

## \*\*\* Call to Worship

HWB #660

## Invocation

HWB #673

## Scripture Reading

John 20:19-23

## Prayer

*Sharing of Praises and Concerns*

## Ordination Litany

## \*\*\* Song

VT # 759 *Take My Life, and Let It Be (verses 1, 2, 3 & 5)*

## \*\*\* Song

HWB #301 *Joys Are Flowing like a River*

## Message

*Cal Zehr, Illinois Mennonite Conference, Conference Minister  
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## Pastoral Prayer

## \*\*\* Closing Song

VT #540 *Will You Come and Follow Me*

## \*\*\* Benediction

VT# 1050

## Prayer for Meal

\*\*\* 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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