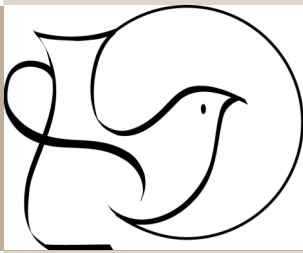




June 21, 2026



# The Waterford Buzz

## **This Sunday:**

9:00 a.m. - Worship

10:30 a.m. - Elective classes for all ages

## **Welcome Team**

Greeters: Susan & Firman  
Gingerich

Ushers: Ken Otto, Wade Ramer,  
LaVon Short

Audiovisuals: Bob Hochstedler,  
Colin Berkey, Jordan  
Kauffman

Nursery: Beth & JD Smucker,  
Becky Bateman, Neer  
Goswami

## **This Week at Waterford**

*Zoom prayers*

Monday - 8:30 a.m.

## **Thank You**

To Waterford Mennonite Church,

Thank you for the beautiful basket of petunias for mother's Celebration of Life Service! It dressed up the entrance table by the guest book. Thanks again!

The Eloise Schrock daughters, Sharon Kleinholz and Pam Zook

## **Waterford Announcements**

This Sunday, June 21, we will collect our **Reparations offering**. Look for the baskets at the exit doors as you leave the sanctuary after worship.

**Next Sunday, June 28**, we will **share in communion**. We invite you to prepare your hearts for this sign of God's peace by making peace with God and with your brothers and sisters. And, as did the early church (Acts 2:43-47), we will also collect offerings for the Sharing Fund. This fund benefits people in need within the congregation.

Don't forget to sign up to **purchase a Benin/Waterford T-shirt** for yourself and/or a Beninese recipient at the table in the foyer.

**Vacation Bible School July 21-24:** We will partner with local Mennonite churches for Bible School at Silverwood Mennonite Church. Register here: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe6uhm2\\_ZNyg-i9RoSz8CRY\\_JkrmMpic\\_oWAm1ILqM2Mwz9wQ/viewform?pli=1](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe6uhm2_ZNyg-i9RoSz8CRY_JkrmMpic_oWAm1ILqM2Mwz9wQ/viewform?pli=1). Invite your friends, neighbors, grandkids, and more! We need activity station leaders, group leaders, drama team, and worship band participants. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Amy Zoller [alziu91@gmail.com](mailto:alziu91@gmail.com).

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## Life at Waterford

### Last Sunday Attendance

Worship - 211

Nurture Hour - 178

### Finances – June 14, 2026

|                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| Operating Fund   | \$3,100.00         |
| Mennonite Ed     | \$1,156.00         |
| Either Fund      | \$5,385.00         |
| <i>Subtotal</i>  | <i>\$9,641.00</i>  |
| Least Coin Fund  | \$21.00            |
| Four Way Mission | \$450.00           |
| Benin T-shirts   | \$110.00           |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>\$10,222.00</b> |

### Looking Ahead

June 28: Sermon: Cindy Voth;

Resting in the Shepherd's  
Care; Communion  
(Psalm 23)

July 5: Singing through Jesus'  
Life

### Pastoral Team

Cindy Voth, Pastoral Team  
Leader  
Monday - Thursday

Deron Bergstresser  
Tuesday - Friday

Katie Misz  
Monday - Thursday

Ursula Hess

### Out of Office

Deron Bergstresser June 22-26  
Katie Misz June 22-26

### Office hours this week

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday  
9-12, 1-3

Tuesday, Friday  
9-12

**Greeter signup:** [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1fRLd0Ydw\\_QxRiQUvRhUscNV-k0HV-oTcPnu61NyBcjM/edit?gid=0#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1fRLd0Ydw_QxRiQUvRhUscNV-k0HV-oTcPnu61NyBcjM/edit?gid=0#gid=0)

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## Upcoming Events

Join **Mennonite Action Michiana** in demanding **justice for Salah Sarsour**, a green card holder, lawful permanent resident of the United States for over 30 years, a beloved Milwaukee, Wisconsin community leader and Palestinian activist. ICE abducted Salah on March 30 and he is being held at the Clay County Jail in Brazil, Indiana. Several people from Mennonite Action Michiana recently attended [a vigil at the jail](#) on his behalf. As Mennonite Hoosiers, we believe we must call for an end to ICE's unjust detentions in our state. Join us in calling our members of Congress every Monday until Salah is released. Click [here](#) for more information, phone numbers and a calling script and sign-up for a slot [here](#). Contact [mennoniteactionmichiana@gmail.com](mailto:mennoniteactionmichiana@gmail.com) with any questions.

**Ryan's Place** is hosting **two summer day camps for grieving children and teens**. Camp Hope and Camp Horizon provide compassionate support and a nurturing environment for individuals coping with the death of a person. Camps are designed to foster healing and resilience through meaningful activities and connections. Camp Hope is for children ages 6 to 12, **June 23–25** from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Camp Horizon is for teens ages 13 to 18, **July 17 and 18** from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Both camps will take place at 1566 Regent St, Goshen. Camps are FREE to attend, but **pre-registration is required**. Call 574-535-1000 or visit [ryansplace.org](http://ryansplace.org) for more information.

**MCC Grandparents' Day Kit Packing:** What better way to spend time with your grandchildren than volunteering together to pack kits for MCC? Grandparents are invited to bring their grandchild(ren) to an MCC kit-packing event at the MCC Material Resources Center in Goshen (1013 Division Street) on **Wednesday, June 24** or **Thursday, June 25** from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Please register for one (or both) time slots by visiting [mcc.org/goshen-grandparents](http://mcc.org/goshen-grandparents) or by calling 574-534-4071.

## Opportunities

**The severe needs of the Palestinians in Gaza continue** as the attention of the world is diverted to the broader Middle East conflict. Nearly all of the Christians and others who were sheltering in the Porphyrius Greek Orthodox and Holy Family Catholic Churches have moved to tents or damaged homes with no power or water. Finding food and other supplies is difficult and expensive. Please consider a monetary gift to help, a check to Fellowship of Hope, 1614 S. 6th St., Elkhart IN 46516, or through the church's Givelify app, <https://www.givelify.com/donate/fellowship-of-hope-elkhart-in-2j7wy5MTUwNzA2Nw==/donation/amount>. Please enter "Gaza Relief" in the memo line.

Ready to empower communities of faith? Mennonite Mission Network is seeking a **Service Engagement Coordinator**.

- Full-time, fully remote or hybrid in the Newton, KS or Elkhart, IN offices.
- Build relationships with congregations, schools, partners, and potential volunteers
- Helping people discover ways to serve:  
Mennonite Voluntary Service, Service Adventure, SOOP

Do you have

- Experience with training, event coordination, recruitment, or volunteer support?
- Strong relationship-building, communication, and organizational skills?

Visit [MennoniteMission.net/employment](http://MennoniteMission.net/employment) for more information.