



187th Northern Illinois Annual Conference

**Sunday, June 14 -
Tuesday, June 16, 2026**

Renaissance Schaumburg Convention Center
1551 N. Thoreau Dr., Schaumburg Ill.

Agenda

(more information and details to come)

Sunday, June 14

- 10:00 Mission truck opens
- 11:00 Annual Conference Check-In - pick up credentials and information
- 11:00 Late Legislation Deadline (deliver to Chair of Daily Proceedings with 75 Copies)
- Noon Celebration of Ministry Rehearsal
- 1:30 Clergy Session and Laity Session
- 4:00 Plenary 1
- 5:00 Dinner Break
Mass Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30 Clergy Robing and Line Up for Service
- 7:00 Celebration of Ministry Service
- 8:30 Celebration of Ministry Reception

Monday, June 15

- 7:30 Cross-Cultural/Cross-Racial Clergy Breakfast
- 8:00 Mission truck opens
- 8:30 Legislative Sections
- 10:00 Plenary 2
Presentation of Consent Calendar



Monday, June 15 *(contd.)*

- Noon Lunch-and-Learn
- Practicing Hope, Living Mission: Board of Global Ministries
 - Practicing Hope as an Anti-Racist Christian: Commission on Religion and Race
 - Practicing Hope with Discipleship: Committee on Discipleship and Formation
 - Fresh Expressions, Sharing the Gift of Community in a Lonely World:
Office of Congregational Development
 - Roots, Resilience, and the Road Ahead: Chicago Black Methodists for Church Renewal
 - Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary
- 1:45 Memorial Service
- 3:30 Plenary 3
- 5:30 Adjournment
- 5:30 Faithful Action - Love Your Neighbor Public Demonstration (optional)

Tuesday, June 16

- 7:00 Health Screenings
- 8:00 Retirement Service Rehearsal
- 8:30 Plenary 4
- 11:00 Retirement Service
- Noon Lunch Break
- Retirement Lunch (by invitation)
 - Extension Ministry Lunch (by invitation)
 - Midwest Methodist Foundation Lunch (by invitation)
- 1:45 Plenary 5
- 3:30 Plenary 6
- 5:00 Adjournment