

AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Updated May 27, 2026

(Includes only activities and events in Frederick, MD and nearby areas that are open to the public)
(This calendar is a community service project of the Negro Business & Professional Women's Frederick Club) **If you wish your group's public event/activity added to this African American Community Calendar, send to rodoch@aol.com. PLEASE SHARE! EMAIL ANY ADDITIONS/CORRECTIONS!**

2026

MAY

- 29 **“Steppin’: The Music of Julius Hemphill”** – Part 2 of 2 part series. Frederick Experimental Music Association. Hood College/Hodson Auditorium in Rosenstock Hall. Tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-hemphill-stringtet-steppin-the-music-of-julius-hemphilltickets-1981945382993>

JUNE

- 6 **“Reel Reflections With AARCH”** – Viewing of “The Tale of the Lion” and discussion. 11am at African American Heritage Cener; 125 E. All Saints St. Reel Reflections with AARCH Society is a dynamic series featuring curated video screenings followed by engaging, community-centered discussions. Free (donations welcomed) Register at: <https://aarchsociety.app.neoncrm.com/nx/portal/nonevents/events?path=%2Fportal%2Fevents%2F45603>
- 18 **“Alive at 5 Juneteenth”** – Carroll Creek; 5 pm
- 19 **“Ancestral Light: A Juneteenth Celebration of Legacy”** - AARCH Society. Gathering: 7 pm; Ritual: 7:30 pm at Carroll Creek. Join the AARCH Society for an unforgettable celebration of heritage, resilience, and remembrance. Pay tribute to the generations whose strength, wisdom, and stories continue to guide us through music, a libations ritual and candle lighting ceremony in memory of ancestors. Free for the entire family. For a donation of \$5, you will be able to light a candle in memory of an ancestor or loved one during the candle lighting ceremony as their names are spoken. Submit names to be spoken and remembered at: <https://aarchsociety.app.neoncrm.com/forms/clc-donation>
- 19 **“Frederick City Juneteenth Celebration”** – Mullinix Park. 11 am – 3 pm. The city's official inaugural celebration features food trucks, live entertainment, and family activities in a free event.
- 19 **“One City, One Sound Presents: A Juneteenth Celebration”**- Sky Stage. 5:30 – 10 pm. Commemorative program featuring music artists from jazz to rap, narration, food vendors, even a gospel choir! Under age 12 free
- 20 **“5th Annual Community Day Ju. Ticketneteenth Celebration”** - Hosted by the Frederick County Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. 11:00am - 3:00pm EST. Staley Park, 11 West 10th Street, Frederick, MD 21701. This FREE event promises to be fun, engaging, and informative for the whole family! The event is a collaboration of diverse organizations seeking to raise awareness about local services and opportunities. Food trucks and entertainment for the whole family to enjoy will also be available! Contact communitydayfcac@gmail.com with any questions.
- 27 **“African American History Walking Tour”** – AARCH Society. A guided journey through historic Black neighborhoods in Frederick. Participants explore significant sites, hear powerful stories of resilience and achievement, and gain a deeper understanding of the people and places that shaped the

city's African American heritage. 11 am . Tours leave from the Heritage Center, 125 E. All Saints St. Register at: <https://aarchsociety.org/walking-tours/>

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JULY

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OCTOBER

- 11 **“Luther Live”** - The magic of Luther Vandross to life in a spectacular tribute at the Weinberg. Sponsored by AARCH Society. Details TBS
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ONGOING EVENTS

MONDAY – FRIDAY

Daily Prayer Call: Liberty Community Church. Join us Monday-Friday, for morning prayer at 7 am, 978.999.0660. Early in the morning, we shall seek HIS face! Tap in!

WEDNESDAYS

“Bible Study” – Asbury UMC. 7:00 – 8:30 pm. Use Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85279265549?pwd=SzlwS3ZxcS9tdThiNVpsZmRhdFEzUT09>, for phone Zoom connection: Dial the phone number 1 646 558 8656, Meeting ID: 852 7926 5549, Password: 328578

“Prayer Service” - Jackson Chapel UM Church. 7 pm. www.jacksonchapelumc.org

“Bible Study” – Wayman AME Church. 7:00pm. Use Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6442911322>, Meeting ID: 644 291 1322

for phone Zoom connection: One tap mobile +19292056099,,6442911322# US (New York)
+13017158592,,6442911322# US (Washington D.C)

“Bible Study” – Abundant Life Church. 7:30 pm on zoom: Meeting ID: 87472153928 Passcode: 785159

THURSDAYS

“Bible Study” – Jackson Chapel UMC. 7:00 – 8:00 pm..

“Bible Study” – Liberty Community Church. 7:30 pm. In-Person Bible Study at 10 W. Church St. Frederick, Md 21702 (Boardroom) or via Zoom

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/5895207873?pwd=bHYrTDF1YWFFZWE3NGxJaVpRV0M3UT09>

“Love My Neighbor” - Race Relations Conversation. Open to the community hosted by Asbury & All Saints Episcopal churches. 7:00 pm. Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84034042232?pwd=ZUFtTUR0d2wyQ041VzFIdUFPRVhsQT09>; Meeting ID: 840 3404 2232 Passcode: 217970

