

LET'S CELEBRATE!

December Birthdays

9 Nellie Oliver
10 Victoria Heldt
Ian Choi
17 Annie Silva
28 James Schroll
30 Diane DiLeo
31 Jim Tresner

December Anniversaries

If anyone has a wedding anniversary in December,
please let us know so we can celebrate you. ♡

Your Generosity at Work in the Community & the World

12/22 Worship Attendance:	Offering's Received
Adults: 89 Kids: 29	12/16– 12/22:



IN CASE OF A PASTORAL EMERGENCY

Call Pastor Sue at: church office – 516 541-7008; cell phone – 617 999-7081
Pastor Sue Hyosuk Yun E-Mail – pastorsue.yun@gmail.com

1. Pastor Sue is available on a flexible appointment basis for individual pastoral counseling for Zoom and telephone spiritual care of individual members.
Pastor Sue can also refer persons to other professionals as needed.
2. The congregation care network is available for Zoom and telephone spiritual care of individual members

TODAY December 29, 2024

****Recorded Worship available at 12 p.m.**

When joining us for the Recorded Online Worship, please use one of the following:

CUMC Website Address: www.cumcmassapequa.org

Facebook: <https://bit.ly/FACEBOOKcumc>

YouTube: <https://bit.ly/cumcmassapequa>



THANKS to Lisa Kunz for acting as Liturgist, our Ushers, and Anita Hernandez for setting up Coffee Hour.

THIS WEEK

The "Service Box/We Care Visitors" Dispatcher is Jeana Heldt (516) 520-8935

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS– Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9a.m.- 2p.m.
Bulletin materials are due Thursdays by 9am. Thank you!

Dec 30-Dec 31

Church Office Open 9-12

Wed. Jan. 1st

HAPPY NEW YEAR – Church Office is CLOSED

Jan. 2-Jan. 3

Church Office OPEN 9-2

Sun. Jan. 5

10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School

*Epiphany Sunday *Communion Sunday

*Church Council Meeting after worship

LOOKING AHEAD

Wed. Jan. 8

7:00 p.m. – Prayer Team Meeting (Virtual)

Wed. Jan. 8

7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice

Jan. 9 – Jan. 17

Pastor Sue away at conference and retreat

Sun. Jan. 12

10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICE SCHEDULE

Liturgist – VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Coffee Hour – VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Usher – Frank Waletitsch & Steve Mattson

1/5-1/26 Peggy Racine (516) 799-4052

HEADS UP

**Volunteers are needed for Liturgist and Coffee Hour.
The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex.**



LESLIE LENZ

GARY LENZ – fighting leukemia; having a bone marrow transplant

CAROLYN LORENZI – having health issues; headed to graduate school ☺

LINDA – breast cancer; had a double mastectomy and started chemo (The Petracca Family)

VIRGINA LORENZI & HER BROTHER DONALD for strength and healing blessings

THE LUPO FAMILY – young family & the father has been battling cancer for some time (Amy Branch)

TOMMY LYONS (Olga Hernandez' son)

SUSAN & PATRICK MARTIN – speedy recovery and good spirits (Lori Benzoni)

ROSALIND MCKELVEY – Virginia Lorenzi

SALVATORE MONACO (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)

DOMINIQUE MONACO-VETTER – struggling with life stressors

LANDON & HAYDEN VETTER – affected by a shortage of their much needed medications

RONNIE MURPHY – cancer (Linda Garbutt)

SAMANTHA MURRAY – 4 yrs. old; diagnosed with Celiac Disease (Russ & Linda Garbutt)

SUZANNE that her family members find employment (Annette Hesleitner)

GREG ORLANDO – fighting childhood disease without cure (The Garbutt Family)

MATT PARRINELLO – cancer (Garbutt)

PEOPLE STRUGGLING WITH MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES & THEIR CAREGIVERS, DOCTORS, & RESEARCHERS

CAROL & ROY PETER

JAZMIN PETRACCA – diagnosed with rare genetic neuro disorder with no cure (The Petracca Family)

ARAGON PEREZ – doing well after tongue surgery; born w/ health issues (Olga's Grandson)

CHELSEA & BILL QUINN who welcomed a healthy baby girl, Sophia Rose, on 12/11☺

CHERIE RIDLEY'S FATHER – chronic kidney disease, please pray for healing, his family & healthcare team

SALVATORE SCIEMCA – suffering with bursitis (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)

JOHN SHARP –cancer treatment; scoutmaster of eagle scout doing project at CUMC (Kim Gill)

JEFF SMITH- ongoing health concerns; participating in an experimental drug trial

THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF TIM LY for his loss to suicide (Friend of Eric Cortright & Jeong-Hwa Park)

ANTHONY VESSA – peace & an end to suffering from cancer (Anita Hernandez's brother-in-law)

MARTA VITTORIO –dealing with many health issues (The church's mailman, Joseph Vittorio's, wife)

MARGARET VOLENCE

GARY VOLENCE JR. – blood clots (Garbutt)

GARY VOLENCE SR. (Linda Garbutt)

CAROL WHYTE – recovering from a stroke

YOUNG-YI – shingles (Pastor Sue's Mom)

Have a Prayer Gram sent to someone who could use the comfort and smile that comes from learning they are thought of. Fill out a Prayer Gram card that can be found in the pews or Narthex and leave it in the offering plate or call/email the Church Office with the information.

New Names added this week:

***Please alert the church office when a person can be removed from the list**

If you have asked for prayers for someone who is now on our prayer list, please give us an update and let us know how that person is doing. We pray our prayers are working or have worked, and would love to hear about it. Thank you!

We offer to God Our Prayers and Concerns for:

DANIEL ALONZO - recovering from liver transplant and addiction (Tony Gittens)
ALEX – Parkinson’s (Friends of Lisa & Tim Kunz)
THE FAMILY OF EILEEN AMENTLER after her passing on Nov. 22
LEONA ASMUNDO – fighting cancer & had to stop treatment b/c she now has pneumonia (Lisa Kunz)
ROBERT BREIDENBACH – having major health issues (Marianna Perez’s cousin and son of Eileen Amentler)
BEN - had an accident; recovering from ear & eye surgery (Annette Hesleitner)
THE BAPTISTE FAMILY (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)
JOHN BINDER – (Gina’s grandson)
TRACY BINDER – experiencing circulation issues causing lack of oxygen (Annette Hesleitner)
ETHAN BURKE – 13yrs. old; diagnosed with lung cancer; had surgery (Russ & Linda Garbutt)
AUGUSTO CABOTAGE (Andrea Perez’ friend’s father)
CATHY – Cancer and other medical issues (Annette Hesleitner)
SANDY CAPASSON (Linda & Russ Garbutt)
TRICIA CARBONE- restarted Chemotherapy that will be six months’ long
CARLOS – Cancer; began hospice care; pray for his family & for his continued acceptance to his fate (Friends of Lisa & Tim Kunz)
CHRISTINE CASTELLANO–rec’vd another ablation for neck & shoulder pain (Virginia Lorenzi)
AIDAN CONWAY – cancerous tumors (Jake Garbutt)
CHERYL COWAN – strength in spirit & body
CUMC YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS (Virginia Lorenzi)
THE FAMILY OF GRACIA DESTRA for his tragic loss after a car accident (Cynthia Bohenek-Grassano)
MELISSA DI IORIO NORIS – bone cancer (Mattson)
EILEEN & JOE – Lung Cancer & Leukemia (Debbie Holland)
JEFF, NICOLE, JAKE & LUKE (Garbutt)
ERICA FALCO – struggling with illness and the cost of medical care (Alexa Rabinowitz)
JANET FAZIO – uterine cancer (Linda Garbutt)
HELENE GASKA (Perez)
DIMITRA GIATZIKIS – Having health issues (heart, hips and knees) (Virginia Lorenzi)
WILLIAM & GABRIELLE HARTMAN & FAMILY (Suzy Hartman’s children) for the loss of Suzy
MICHELLE GOTTLIEB has a rare cancer and currently receiving chemo (Kim Gill’s friend)
ISADORE GRASSANO – doing new treatment after his kidney transplant (Son of Gina Grassano)
THE GRUENER FAMILY for the loss of Ann Gruener (Laura Lucas)
JOSEPH NAVARRA for the loss of his longtime partner, Suzy Hartman
RICHARD HEATH – brain injury (Ora Heath’s son)
MANUEL HERNANDEZ (Olga’s brother)
ANNETTE HESLEITNER – struggling with illness; trying to recover her strength
THE VICTIMS OF HURRICANE’S HELENE & MILTON
JANE JOHNSON – breast cancer/chemo (Sue Vulin’s niece)
THE KASIN FAMILY & FRIENDS for the sudden tragic loss of Connor Kasin
LISA KUNZ & FAMILY for strength, guidance & peace after the loss of their beloved Tim
PAT LARSON (Linda & Russ Garbutt)
RON LARSON (Linda & Russ Garbutt)

**A Special Happy Birthday to
New Year’s Eve Baby, Jim Tresner,
who turns 99 on Tuesday!!!**

Happy Birthday, Jim!!!

**Thank you for your wisdom, guidance, help, input, prayers,
and everything you’ve done for CUMC over these many years.**

We Love You!



BABY, IT’S COLD OUTSIDE

**The Padavan Family is collecting gently-used coats
for their annual Boy Scout Coat Drive. If you have
coats to donate, please get in touch with Frank
Padavan to arrange for pick-up.**

(516) 804-8083 or taz9590@verizon.net

The Boy Jesus in the Temple

After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. Luke 2:46 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Luke 2:41-52

Q L U T E M P L E R E T U R N
 A C T L S A R P R V Q I E D M
 E T F R E U M E A N U P H I O
 U T E Y A P P A L R P T B R T
 D D I A R V T L Z A E S L H H
 P H Q H C A E A N E T N J K E
 E Y M O H H R L N L D I T C R
 J K P M I B E Q E S H A V S V
 L U W E N K X R M D W B C E W
 L Y L D G B W S S U D E B I S
 P Z A F R I E N D S T E R Z C
 W F E V C L G N J S X C O S Z
 G W B B F J Q M A R D I R P E
 X W P V J O M E P F A T H E R
 U E F V F C F O U N D Z X A W

FRIENDS	ANSWERS	FOUND	AMAZED	TEACHERS
MOTHER	FEAST	SEARCHING	FATHER	RELATIVES
PARENTS	RETURN	TEMPLE	HOME	TRAVELED

THE SUNDAY CHUCKLE

