

## LET'S CELEBRATE!

### January Birthdays

- 1 Debbie Holland
- 7 Robert Racine
- 10 Chelsea Quinn
- 12 Carol Peter
- 16 Lisa Kunz
- 28 Daniel Lucas

### January Anniversaries

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

### **Your Generosity at Work in the Community & the World**

1/12 Worship Attendance:	Offering's Received
Adults: 38 Kids: 11	1/6-1/12: \$1,399

### **Help Wanted**

Jeff Smith is scheduled for spinal fusion surgery on 1/31. After the surgery, he will require light in-home assistance in the afternoons on weekdays.

Anyone who is able to assist, or knows of someone who can, should contact Jeff directly for more information. (516) 815-0566.

Thank you!



## Valentines for Veterans



**During Coffee Hour over the next few weeks you will have the opportunity to make Valentines for residents at the Stony Brook State Veterans Home. They have 300 residents and we are working in coordination with Bayport UMC. Our goal is to make 150 Valentines in time for them to be delivered to the Home for Valentine's Day. Please help us meet this goal and show love to the brave men and women who made sacrifices to protect the rest of us. Thank you!**

### 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](mailto: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 January 19, 2025**

**\*\*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](http://www.cumcmassapequa.org)**

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

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



**THANKS** to Pat Hansen for acting as Liturgist, Russ & Linda Garbutt for Ushering, and Annette Hesleitner for setting up Coffee Hour.

### THIS WEEK

The "Service Box/We Care Visitors" Dispatcher is Peggy Racine (516) 799-4052

<b>Tues. Jan. 21</b>	10:00 a.m. – Bible Study
<b>Wed. Jan. 22</b>	7:00 p.m. – Prayer Team Meeting (Virtual)
<b>Wed. Jan. 22</b>	7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
<b>Sun. Jan. 26</b>	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School *Youth Sunday *Ecumenical Sunday *Confirmation Class meets after Worship
<b>Sun. Jan. 26</b>	1:30 p.m. – District Youth Council meeting in Howard Hall

### LOOKING AHEAD

<b>Wed. Jan. 29</b>	7:00 p.m. – Prayer Team Meeting (Virtual)
<b>Wed. Jan. 29</b>	7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
<b>Sun. Feb. 2</b>	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School *Communion Sunday
<b>Tues. Feb. 4</b>	10:00 a.m. – Bible Study
<b>Wed. Feb. 5</b>	7:00 p.m. – Prayer Team Meeting (Virtual)
<b>Wed. Feb. 5</b>	7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
<b>Thurs. Feb. 6</b>	9:30 a.m. – District Leaders Meeting
<b>Sun. Feb. 9</b>	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School *Souper Bowl Sunday *Messages of Love Youth Fundraiser at coffee hour

### NEXT WEEK'S SERVICE SCHEDULE

Liturgist – Annie Silva

Coffee Hour – Stacey Longenberger

Usher – Youth

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.**



**HEY, GIANTS OR JETS FANS,  
DON'T BE SAD!**

**FEBRUARY 9<sup>TH</sup> CAN STILL BE A  
MEANINGFUL DAY.**

**YOU CAN HELP FEED THE HUNGRY!**

**BETWEEN NOW AND FEBRUARY 9<sup>TH</sup> WE WILL BE  
COLLECTING CANS OF SOUP (OR OTHER NON-  
PERISHABLE FOODS) FOR OUR ANNUAL  
"SOUPER BOWL FOOD DRIVE". THE COLLECTION WILL  
GO TO A LOCAL FOOD PANTRY. IF YOU'RE ABLE,  
PLEASE ATTACH A DOLLAR BILL TO EACH CAN YOU  
DONATE TO FURTHER SUPPORT  
THE FOOD PANTRY'S MISSION.**

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)  
MARIANNA PEREZ – had been hospitalized for 17 days and is now recovering in rehab  
THE RESIDENTS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA who had to flee their homes due to the wild fires  
CHERIE RIDLEY'S FATHER – chronic kidney disease, please pray for healing, his family & healthcare team  
JEFF RIDLEY – recovering from cardiac procedure; pray for healing  
EILEEN RYNER – nearing the end of her life; pray for a peaceful passing; Anthony Gitten's Mother-in-law  
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 SMITH FAMILY for the passing of Kelley Smith, Jean Smith's daughter  
JEAN SMITH for strength and help in dealing with her medical concerns after her daughter's passing  
DOUGLAS SMITH for his struggles with alcoholism especially after the loss of his sister  
SOUTH KOREA for the political unrest there  
THE VESSA & HERNANDEZ FAMILIES for the passing of Anthony Vessa (Anita Hernandez)  
VICTIMS OF THE TERROR ATTACK IN NEW ORLEANS  
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.*

**New Names added this week:**

MICAEL SILVA – thank God he's still with us after a terrifying car accident; pray for quick healing  
KATELYN & TIMOTHY GILL Jr. for welcoming baby James Frederick Gill on 1/16 ☺

\*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 (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)  
LOUIS COLONDONA – had successful procedure to remove fluid from his lung; pray for healing  
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)  
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)  
RICHARD HEATH – brain injury (Ora Heath's son)  
MANUEL HERNANDEZ (Olga's brother)  
ANNETTE HESLEITNER – struggling with illness; trying to recover her strength  
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)  
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)

**In support of our "Souper Bowl Food Drive"  
and because we like to have fun,  
we're going bowling!**

**Date: Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup>**

**Time: 4:30-6:30pm**

**Place: Massapequa Bowl**

**Cost: \$22/pp + a can of soup  
or other non-perishable food item**

**Everyone is Welcome!**

**Virginia needs a headcount ASAP so please  
RSVP to her.**



# CUMC Kids



Thy word is a  
lamp unto my  
feet, and a light  
unto my path.  
Psalm 119:105

For more activity pages make  
sure to visit [busybooksandmore.net](http://busybooksandmore.net)

# The Sunday Chuckle

