

LET’S CELEBRATE!

June Birthdays

4 Thomas Vehstedt  
8 Tyler Stankiewicz  
Roy Peter  
Henry Silva

11 Gina Grassano  
13 Ryan Benzoni  
20 Craig Livingston  
Anna Longenberger  
21 Jaimee Hesleitner  
25 Frank Waletitsch

June Anniversaries

Richard and Cheryl Cowan  
6/5/2015, 10 years

Your Generosity at Work in the Community & the World

6/15 Worship Attendance: Offerings Received:  
Adults: 53 Kids: 9 6/9-6/15: \$3,501

Back to School Supply Drive begins NOW!

We know that school has hardly ended,  
but we are kicking off our School Supply Drive!!!!

Items needed are notebooks, binders, pencils, erasers, crayons, looseleaf,  
earbuds, rulers, glue sticks, and pencil cases. A box will be in the Narthex.

All items collected will be donated to *New Hour* for children of incarcerated  
or formerly incarcerated mothers.

Jeff Smith had a bad fall and is now staying at Park View Nursing Home.  
He would enjoy hearing from his church family.

Visitors and coffee are welcome. 😊

Jeff’s Cell # (516) 815-0566  
Park View Nursing Home: 5353 Merrick Road, Massapequa (516) 798-1800  
Visiting hours: 8am – 8pm

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 June 22, 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 Mark Esposito for being Liturgist, Amy Branch for doing Coffee Hour and this morning’s Ushers.  
Thank you also to guest Music Minister, Hyunji Kim, Pastor Sue’s best friend who is visiting this week.

THIS WEEK

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

\*PLEASE NOTE THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON 6/27 UNTIL 7/8  
SUMMER OFFICE HOURS START 7/8: TUES. thru THURS. 9am-12pm

Wed. June 25  
Sun. June 29

7:00 p.m. - Weekly Prayer Meeting  
10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School  
\*Healing Service  
\*VBS Meeting after worship  
\*District Youth Council Meeting

LOOKING AHEAD

Tues. July 1  
Wed. July 2  
Fri. July 4  
Sun. July 6

10:00 a.m. – Bible Study (Virtual)  
7:00 p.m. - Weekly Prayer Meeting  
HAPPY 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY!! GOD BLESS AMERICA  
10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School  
\*Communion

Tues. July 8  
Wed. July 9  
Sun. July 13

7:00 p.m. – Church Council Meeting (Zoom)  
7:00 p.m. - Weekly Prayer Meeting  
10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School  
\*VBS Meeting after worship

Tues. July 15

10:00 a.m. – Bible Study (Virtual)

CAN YOU HELP?

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

NEXT WEEK’S SERVICE SCHEDULE

Liturgist: Lisa Kunz  
Coffee Hour: Anita Hernandez  
Usher: Steve Mattson  
Service Box 6/23-7/13 Peggy Racine  
(516) 799-4052



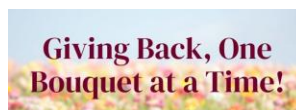
**Sunday School teachers are needed for the Summer. There's a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Please see Kim Gill for more info.**

### **District Youth Council Meeting**

**Sunday June 29<sup>th</sup>**

**Howard Hall @ CUMC**

**Come be a part of the planning for future events, enjoy fellowship with your fellow youth, and make ice cream sundaes!**



For the entire month of June, CUMC will earn \$1 for every \$11.99 Bloomin' 4 Good Bouquet sold at the Seaford Stop & Shop. Surprise someone special or treat yourself and help CUMC at the same time. Only applies to purchases made at the Seaford Stop & Shop, 4055 Merrick Road

JOAN LANGTON from Seaford UMC; fell while helping another; broken meniscus & torn ligaments

PAT LARSON for strength and peace as she grieves her husband, Ron (Linda & Russ Garbutt)

LESLIE LENZ

GARY LENZ – fighting leukemia; having a bone marrow transplant

LILY – college student passed away of an epileptic seizure; pray for loved ones (Michelle Rabinowitz)

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

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

RONNIE MURPHY – cancer (Linda Garbutt)

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

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

MATT PARRINELLO – cancer (Garbutt)

NATASHA – surgery (Annette Hesleitner)

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

**CAROL & ROY PETER- Roy is now in rehab; Carol struggles w/ decisions about his care & her own health.**

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)

CHERIE & VIVIAN RIDLEY – pray for strength and protection after the loss of Jeff & Cherie's father

FRANK RUDY – triple bypass surgery (Tony Gittens)

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; now in Park View Nursing Home**

EMMA TAYLOR – Chiari Malformation; a brain disorder (Nancy Mattson)

TAMARA TIVADAR (Cynthia Bohenek)

MARGARET VOLENCE

GARY VOLENCE JR. – blood clots (Garbutt)

GARY VOLENCE SR. (Linda Garbutt)

CAROL WHYTE –stroke victim; living in a nursing home; pray for lifted spirits

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

**New Names added this week:**

**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!**

***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.***

### **We Offer to God our Prayers and Concerns for:**

ABRAHAM – hospitalized with cancer (Annette Hesleitner)

**ANTONIA ALBERT – suffers from tumor-forming illness & seizures; in and out of the hospital**

BRITTANY ALBERT – suffer from tumor-forming illness; had surgery; being tested for cancer

**KEVIN ALBERT – caretaker for his daughter and wife who battle illness**

DANIEL ALONZO - recovering from liver transplant and addiction (Tony Gittens)

ALEX – Parkinson’s (Friends of Lisa & Tim Kunz)

LEONA ASMUNDO – fighting cancer (Lisa Kunz)

BERTHA – heart issues (Annette Hesleitner)

ROBERT BREIDENBACH – having major health issues (Marianna Perez’s cousin)

THE BAPTISTE FAMILY (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)

JOHN BINDER – (Gina’s grandson)

ETHAN BURKE – 13yrs. old; diagnosed with lung cancer; had surgery (Russ & Linda Garbutt)

AUGUSTO CABOTAGE (Andrea Perez’ friend’s father)

MANDY CANAL (Lisa Kunz)

SANDY CAPASSON (Linda & Russ Garbutt)

TRICIA CARBONE- ongoing cancer treatment

CHRISTINE CASTELLANO—ongoing health concerns; was hospitalized; undergoing tests

CATHY – Cancer and other medical issues (Annette Hesleitner)

DENNIS CLARK —on a donor list for a kidney (brother of Matthew Clark)

**LOUIS COLONDONA – valve replacement & pacemaker procedures went well; pray for healing**

AIDAN CONWAY – cancerous tumors (Jake Garbutt)

CHERYL COWAN – strength in spirit & body

DANA – youth leader at Hicksville UMC; had surgery

DIANE DILEO – pray for strength

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)

FEDERAL WORKERS LOSING THEIR JOBS

KATIE GARBUTT - diagnosed with epilepsy; struggling with vertigo & treatment

HELENE GASKA (Perez)

DIMITRA GIATZIKIS – Having health issues (heart, hips and knees) (Virginia Lorenzi)

GEORGE – mass in his neck that needs to be removed; surgery will be tricky (Annette Hesleitner)

THE GITTENS FAMILY for the loss of Eileen Ryner (Nolene’s Mother)

TONY GITTENS – still battling kidney stones; surgery to come; pray for strength and wellness

MICHELLE GOTTLIEB has a rare cancer and currently receiving chemo (Kim Gill’s friend)

ISADORE GRASSANO – will need a second kidney transplant (Son of Gina Grassano)

RICHARD HEATH – brain injury (Ora Heath’s son)

MANUEL HERNANDEZ (Olga’s brother)

IMMIGRANTS LIVING IN FEAR


JEAN – cancer has spread; in pain; radiation postponed for surgery (Annette’s Hesleitner’s sister)

JANE JOHNSON – breast cancer/chemo (Sue Vulin’s niece)

VIVIAN KUNZ – having digestive issues & not gaining weight; Update: She gained weight 😊

JUSTIN KUNZ – has irregular heartbeat, undergoing tests

**Community United Methodist Church**




**Dare To Go Deep with God**

**CUMC's Vacation Bible School**  
**Operation Overboard:**  
**Dare to Go Deep with God**

**\$25 per child if registered by August 3rd**  
**\$30 per child after August 3rd**


**Our VBS adventures include daily Deep Sea Voyages into Bible Fun with stories, games, crafts, mission work, water science, snack, and music!**

**Dive Right in and Register Today!**



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**AUG 11-15**  
**Ages 4-11\***  
**9:15 am to 12:45 pm**



\*Children must be potty-trained

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR VBS!!**

- Set up and decorating
- Runners/classroom and activity helpers
- “Full-time” Volunteers able to commit to the full week and take on a role.

**Please speak to Virginia Lorenzi if you’re able to help with this very important ministry.**

CUMC Kids

Let Your Light So Shine

H K C I S M E I D Y D A X Z M E E P M S I A T M  
Q I P A D C J G W K M G N Q E E R P X L K W I C  
F L A N D J J H S P Q I L H I S U X P W K R T J  
H K P R F O L K V Y W J L O E A Y D L Y H C O F  
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glorify	heaven	father
before	works	shine
light	good	see
men		

The Sunday Chuckle

A pastor was giving the children's message during church. For this part of the service, he would gather all the children around him and give a brief lesson before dismissing them for Sunday School.

On this particular Sunday, he was using squirrels for an object lesson on industry and preparation. He started out by saying, "I'm going to describe something, and I want you to raise your hand when you know what it is."

The children nodded eagerly.

"This thing lives in trees (pause) and eats nuts (pause)..." No hands went up. "And it is gray (pause) and has a long bushy tail (pause)..." The children were looking at each other, but still no hands raised. "And it jumps from branch to branch (pause) and chatters and flips its tail when it's excited (pause)..."

Finally, one little boy tentatively raised his hand. The pastor breathed a sigh of relief and called on him.

"Well...", said the boy, "I know the answer must be Jesus... but it sure sounds like a squirrel to me!"