

LET'S CELEBRATE!

October Birthdays

1 Joseph Holland	14 Lori Benzoni	25 Tim Dillon	October Anniversaries
5 Sean Krapf	17 Mical Silva	28 Jeong-Hwa Park	John & Jaimee Hesleitner 10/1/2023
7 Joy Fernandez	20 Steve Mattson	31 Evan Choi	Matt & Lori Benzoni – 10/4/2014
11 Heidi Silva	21 Michael Carney		
13 William Carney	23 Pat Hansen		

Your Generosity at Work in the Community & the World

10/19 Worship Attendance: Adults: 42 Kids: 17

Offerings Received 10/13-10/19: \$3,108

Remembering Our Loved Ones and Their Service

If you would like your loved ones recognized on All Saints Sunday (11/2) or for Veteran's Day (being recognized 11/9), please fill out a form and either put it in the offering plate or send it into the church office asap.

Thank you!



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TODAY

October 26, 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

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

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



THIS WEEK

The "Service Box/We Care Visitors" Dispatcher is Kelly Padavan (516) 804-8083

Mon. Oct 27	10:00 a.m. – In-Person Bible Study
Wed. Oct 29	7:30 p.m. - Weekly Prayer Meeting
Thurs. Oct 30	7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
Sun. Nov 2	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School *All Saints Sunday *Communion Sunday 12 noon – Shortell Erhardt Wedding

LOOKING AHEAD

Mon. Nov 3	10:00 a.m. – In-Person Bible Study
Tues. Nov 4	10:00 a.m. – Bible Study (Virtual)
Wed. Nov 5	7:30 p.m. - Weekly Prayer Meeting
Thurs. Nov 6	7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
Sun. Nov 9	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School *Veterans Day Recognition
Mon. Nov 10	10:00 a.m. – In-Person Bible Study
Wed. Nov 12	7:30 p.m. - Weekly Prayer Meeting
Thurs. Nov 13	7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
Sun. Nov 16	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School *Healing Service 5:00 p.m. – Roast Beef Dinner Youth Fundraiser

CAN YOU HELP?

**Coffee Hour
Volunteers are
Needed!!!**

**The sign-up sheet
is on the bulletin
board in the
Narthex.
Thank you!!**

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICE SCHEDULE

LITURGIST: Annette Hesleitner
COFFEE HOUR: Anita Hernandez
USHERS: Steve Mattson
& Gina Grassano
Service Box 10/27-11/16
Kelly Padavan (516) 804-8083



Food Pantry's Most Wanted List

**Canned Chicken and/or Tuna, Breakfast
Cereal, Pasta
Beans, Canned Mix Vegetables or Green
Beans**

Quarts of 2% or Whole Milk*

***Milk donations must be directly dropped off
at Hicksville UMC on Thursdays**

ADOPT -A-JOB

**There's a new
Adopt-A-Job List!**

**Please take a look and see if
there is anything your talents
or resources can take care
of. You can find the list
inserted in this bulletin or on
the Narthex bulletin board.**

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



WE'RE IN THE HOME STRETCH! ONLY 5 DAYS UNTIL HALLOWEEN



Let's give Tom a break!
Volunteers are needed to sell pumpkins
Tuesday & Thursday of this week.

The sign-up calendar is in the Narthex. Thank you!!



Holiday Save-the-Dates



Sunday, November 23rd
Consecration/Thanksgiving Sunday
Church Decorating After Service

Tuesday, November 25th
Cooperative Parish Thanksgiving Service
Grace UMC @ 7pm

Sunday, November 30th
1st Sunday of Advent
Youth Service

Saturday, December 6th
Cookie Walk

Sunday, December 7th
Advent Craft Workshop & Pot Luck Lunch



Sunday, December 21st
Christmas Pageant



JOANNE – diabetic amputee; needs strength (Esther Ecklund)
KAREN KELLER – Spinal fusion surgery (Barbara Dillon)
LISA KUNZ – undergoing heart tests; awaiting results
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)
JACK LASSARD – cancer (Lisa Kunz)
LEAH – had Lyme disease and it triggered Rheumatoid Arthritis (Esther Ecklund's daughter)
LESLIE & GARY LENZ – Gary is fighting leukemia
THE LUPO FAMILY – young family & the father has been battling cancer for some time (Amy Branch)
LYNETTE – broke her tibia and looking for a job (Esther Ecklund's daughter)
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 – Health concerns; awaiting test results
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)
ROY PETER – in a nursing home; recently had a toe amputated but they might have to go further
CAROL PETER - struggling with her own health and making decisions about Roy's
JAZMIN PETRACCA – diagnosed with rare genetic neuro disorder with no cure (The Petracca Family)
ARAGON PEREZ –born w/ health issues; doing well (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)
SEAFORD UMC'S CONGREGATION – loss of church
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)
THE THUGE FAMILY FOR THE LOSS OF KARL THUGE
VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE
MARGARET VOLENCE, GARY VOLENCE SR & GARY VOLENCE JR. – health concerns (Garbutt)
TYLER WALLACE - 14 year old Massapequa boy hurt badly in bike/car accident on sunrise highway
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 that comes from being thought of. Fill out a Prayer Gram card found in the pews or Narthex and leave it in the offering plate

We Offer to God our Prayers and Concerns for:

ABRAHAM – hospitalized with cancer (Annette Hesleitner)
ANTONIA ALBERT – suffering from tumor-forming illness; now in a nursing home; fighting pneumonia
BRITTANY ALBERT – suffering from tumor-forming illness; needs iron infusions
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)
ANYA – has Rett Syndrome; a promising gene therapy was discontinued (E. Ecklund's granddaughter)
LEONA ASMUNDO – fighting cancer (Lisa Kunz)
DAPHNEY BAPTISTE – suffered mini strokes (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)
BABY MADELINE - diagnosed with a terrible disease that has no cure and is life shortening (Carol Shortell)
VICTORIA & BOBBY BALLADINO – pray for success in dealing with infertility (Tony Gittens)
BARBARA – fell & has to have surgery (Cynthia Bohenek's Grandmother)
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)
PAUL CANTINO – open heart surgery & other health complications (Barbara G.)
DAN CAPASSO – suffered multiple strokes (Linda & Russ Garbutt)
SANDY CAPASSON (Linda & Russ Garbutt)
CAROLYN LORENZI & HER DOG – the dog might have cancer
CHRISTINE CASTELLANO—ongoing health concerns; was hospitalized; undergoing tests
DENNIS CLARK —on a donor list for a kidney (brother of Matthew Clark)
LOUIS COLONDONA – health concerns; shortness of breath
AIDAN CONWAY – cancerous tumors (Jake Garbutt)
REGINA COSTA – metastatic breast cancer; just had gallbladder surgery (Gloria Musilli)
CHERYL COWAN – strength in spirit & body
DIANE DILEO – pray for strength
MELISSA DI IORIO NORIS – bone cancer (Mattson)
EILEEN & JOE – Lung Cancer & Leukemia (Debbie Holland)
JEFF, NICOLE, JAKE & LUKE (Garbutt)
JANET FACCENDA – brain cancer; just had 2nd surgery & isn't doing well (Chelsea Frederick)
ERICA FALCO – struggling with illness & the cost of medical care (Alexa Rabinowitz)
JANET FAZIO – uterine cancer (Linda Garbutt)
DOROTHY FREDERICK – complication during medical procedure; healing at home
MATEO GAMBINO – metastatic cancer (Tony Gittens)
KATIE GARBUTT - struggling with vertigo & epilepsy; having gall bladder surgery
HELENE GASKA (Perez)
DIMITRA GIATZIKIS – Having health issues (heart, hips and knees) (Virginia Lorenzi)
JOHN GORDON & FAMILY – John is hospitalized; pray for healing and strength (Cynthia Bohenek)
MICHELLE GOTTLIEB has a rare cancer and is 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)
ISAIAH – diagnosed with Autism (Esther Ecklund)
JEAN – cancer has spread; in pain; doing radiation; continues to fight (Annette's Hesleitner's sister)

WHERE'S THE BEEF? IT'S AT CUMC!!!

Sunday, November 16th @ 5pm



ROAST BEEF DINNER YOUTH FUNDRAISER

- **Adults:** \$20
- **Seniors (65+):** \$16
- **Children (Under 12):** \$12
- **Family Max:** \$60
(Parents & Children)

RESERVATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED
PLEASE SEE VIRGINIA LORENZI
OR CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE
(516) 541-7008 MASSAPCUMC@AOL.COM

MEN'S & WOMEN'S ELASTIC WAIST PANTS NEEDED!!

The Suffolk County Legal Aid Society gave away their last pair of pants. Often their clients are living outdoors making the need for proper clothing even more essential. If you are able to donate any number of gently used pants (sweatpants are preferred), please bring them in asap.

Thank you!



GOD SAW ALL THAT
HE HAD MADE, AND
IT WAS VERY GOOD.

Genesis 1:31

The Sunday Chuckle

There once was a strongman at a circus sideshow who demonstrated his power before large audiences every night.

Toward the end of one performance, he squeezed the juice from a lemon between his hands. He said to the onlookers, "I will offer \$200 to anyone here who can squeeze another drop from this lemon.

A thin older lady hobbled up the stage. She picked up the lemon and clamped it between her two frail, boney hands. She squeezed. And out came a teaspoon of lemon juice.

The strongman was amazed. He paid the woman \$200 but privately asked her, "What is the secret of your strength?"

"Practice," the woman answered. "I have been treasurer of my church for forty-two years!"