

LET'S CELEBRATE!

December Birthdays

3 Joel Perry
5 Chad Saggio
10 Victoria Heldt
Ian Choi

11 Sophia Quinn
17 Annie Silva
19 Delia Tubang
28 James Schroll
30 Diane DiLeo

31 Jim Tresner – 100th !!!
Virginia Lorenzi

December Anniversaries

If you have a December Wedding Anniversary, let us know. We would love to celebrate you. 😊

Your Generosity at Work in the Community & the World

12/14 Worship Attendance: Adults: 28 Kids: 14
Offerings Received 12/8-12/14: \$1,155

Bloomin' 4 Good at Seaford Stop & Shop!!!

For the month of December, CUMC will benefit from the sales of the \$11.99 Bloomin'4 Good Bouquet.
Surprise someone special or treat yourself.

Stop & Shop
4055 Merrick Road
Seaford

Do a Christmas Good Deed - 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 on the Narthex bulletin board.

TODAY

December 21, 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 Jeana Heldt (516) 520-8935

Mon. Dec. 22 10:00 a.m. – In-Person Advent Bible Study
12/24-12/29 CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
Wed. Dec. 24 5:00 p.m. – Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
Thurs. Dec. 25 **JOY TO THE WORLD! CHRIST IS BORN!**

*Pastor Sue will be off

Sun. Dec. 28 10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School
*Christmas Hymn Singing Sunday

LOOKING AHEAD

Mon. Dec. 29 10:00 a.m. – In-Person Advent Bible Study
Tues. Dec. 30 10:00 a.m. – Bible Study (Virtual)
Wed. Dec. 31 HAPPY 100TH BIRTHDAY, JIM!!!
Thurs. Jan. 1 HAPPY NEW YEAR
1/1-1/5 CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
Sun. Jan. 4 10:00 a.m. – Family Worship & Sunday School
*Communion Sunday *Church Council Meeting

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICE SCHEDULE

LITURGIST: Joel Perry
COFFEE HOUR: Anita Hernandez
USHERS: Joel Perry & Delia Tubang
Service Box 12/7 – 12/28
Jeana Heldt (516) 520-8935

CAN YOU HELP?

Coffee Hour Volunteers are Needed!!!
The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex.
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

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



CHRISTMAS at Community United Methodist Church

100 Park Blvd., Massapequa

Candlelight Christmas Eve Service
Dec. 24th @ 5pm

Please join us in honoring the birth of Jesus Christ
Joy to the World!



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- JOANNE – diabetic amputee; needs strength (Esther Ecklund)
KAREN KELLER – Spinal fusion surgery (Barbara Dillon)
LISA KUNZ – undergoing heart tests; awaiting results
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
LINDA – suffered a stroke and falls (E. Ecklund)
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)
GEORGE MASONE – had surgery to remove brain tumors; possibly cancerous (Bryan Carbone’s cousin)
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 his leg amputated; in terrible pain
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
VIVIAN RIDLEY – for comfort, caring support, and encouragement in a challenging time
FRANK RUDY – triple bypass surgery (Tony Gittens)
SALVATORE SCIEMCA – suffering with bursitis (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)
JANET SCHMITT – colon cancer; having surgery 11/18 (Adrienne Mahoney)
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; pray for strength
EMMA TAYLOR – Chiari Malformation; a brain disorder (Nancy Mattson)
TAMARA TIVADAR (Cynthia Bohenek)
THE FAMILY OF PAT GUSTAFFSEN from Simpson UMC who passed away suddenly
THE PEOPLE OF JAMAICA & CUBA AFTER HURRICANE MELISSA
THE THUGE FAMILY FOR THE LOSS OF KARL THUGE
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:

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

**If you have asked for prayers for someone, please let us know how they are 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:

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; recently had another biopsy from her lung (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)
DAN CAPASSO – suffered multiple strokes (Linda & Russ Garbutt)
SANDY CAPASSON (Linda & Russ Garbutt)
CAROLYN LORENZI & HER DOG – the dog is unwell
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 – on the list for a 2nd kidney transplant; continue to pray (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)



Each Christmas, CUMC supports a family in need with Christmas gifts. Wrapped and tagged gifts and household donations are due TODAY.

Thank you to everyone who took a star from our tree to help our sponsor family have a blessed Christmas. Thank you also to the Padavan Family for volunteering to be our Santas this year.



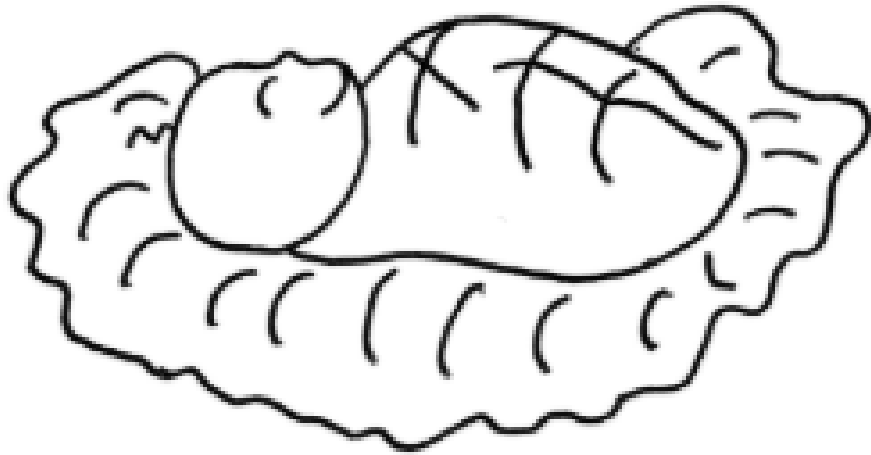
This year our Sanctuary Christmas Tree Decoration Collection will be for Socks for the residents of Park View Nursing Home.

We aim to donate warm age-appropriate socks. When you bring them into church, please dress the tree. After Christmas, they will be collected and dropped off at Park View. Thank you!!

The celebration of Christ’s birth continues on Sunday, December 28th at 10 a.m. with a special Christmas Hymn Singing Service. Please be sure to join us as we sing our praises to the newborn King.

CUMC Kids

"For unto you is _____ this day in
the city of _____ a _____,
which is _____ the Lord."
Luke 2:11



The Sunday Chuckle

But do you recall
the most dangerous reindeer of all?



"Put back the PS5 and grab me a yo-yo or something."



Santa has a senior moment

