

- 1 Jeana Heldt
- 3 Trisha Carbone
- 5 Laura Lucas
- Andrea Perez
- Katie Padavan
- Frank Padavan, Jr.
- 10 Brian Rabinowitz
- Sean Mitchell
- 11 Bill Quinn
- 12 Kimberly Livingston
- Sam Aarseth

LET'S CELEBRATE!

March Birthdays

- 13 Paige Donohue
- 14 Marianna Perez
- 15 Jemma Hesleitner
- 18 Barbara Garofolo
- 20 Richard Cowan
- Kimberly Waletitsch
- 24 Annette Hesleitner
- Landon Vetter
- Hayden Vetter
- 25 Richard F. Petracca

- 28 Philip Riekert
- 29 Harley Erhardt
- 30 Michelle Rabinowitz

March Anniversaries

- Nancy & Steve Mattson – 3/5/1983, 43 yrs
- Richard & Barbara Petracca – 3/11/1972, 54 yrs
- Georgina & John Binder – 3/26/1966, 60 yrs

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

3/22 Worship Attendance:
Adults: 41 Kids: 16
Offerings Received
3/16-3/22: \$2,030

“Rebuild, Renew, Rejoice!”

Our Spring Capital Campaign is in full swing! The Trustees of CUMC have targeted 3 major projects that need to be addressed this spring: Church **Siding**, Parsonage **Patio**, Downstairs Church **Hallway**. Our goal is to raise \$25,000 total to manage the cost of these projects. The first \$10,000 will be allotted for the siding of the two exterior south side walls of the church. The second \$10,000 will go to the parsonage exterior repairs to the patio surround, needed window replacements and several other needed upgrades. The final \$5,000 will be used to install new flooring in the church basement hallway and replace a metal door at the end of the hallway. Please give generously. It is always a joy to work together as a family to serve God and “give back” to maintain our properties at CUMC.

Thank you for your love of CUMC!
-Kim Gill, Trustee

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

March 29, 2026

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>



THANK YOU to our Youth for being Liturgists & Ushers this morning: Sean, Grace, Penelope, Aubrey, Claire, Katie, and Frankie. Thank you also to Mark Esposito & Tony Gittens for managing Coffee Hour.

THIS WEEK

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

- Mon. Mar. 30** 10:00 a.m. – In-Person Bible Study
- Tues. Mar. 31** 10:00 a.m. – Bible Study (Virtual)
- Wed. Apr. 1** 7:30 p.m. . – Weekly Prayer Meeting
- Thurs. Apr. 2** 7:00 p.m. – Maundy Thursday Service @Simpson UMC
- Fri. Apr. 3** 7:00 p.m. – “The Seven Last Words of Jesus”
A Cooperative Parish Joint Good Friday Service @ CUMC
- Sun. Apr. 5** 10:00 a.m. – Easter Sunday Family Worship Service & Sunday School
*Easter Egg Hunt after service

LOOKING AHEAD

- Mon. Apr. 6** 10:00 a.m. – In-Person Bible Study
- Wed. Apr. 8** 7:30 p.m. . – Weekly Prayer Meeting
- Thurs. Apr. 9** 7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
- Sun. Apr. 12** 10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School
*Communion *Church Council Meeting after worship
1:30 p.m. – District Youth Council Meeting
- Mon. Apr. 13** 10:00 a.m. – In-Person Bible Study
- Tues. Apr. 14** Cooperative Parish Council Meeting
- Wed. Apr. 15** 7:30 p.m. – Weekly Prayer Meeting
- Thurs. Apr.16** 7:45 p.m. – Adult Choir Practice
- Sun. Apr. 19** 10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School
- Sun. Apr. 26** 10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School
*VBS Staff Meeting after Worship

**EARN A LOVE
LINK!!**

**LITURGIST &
USHERS
NEEDED FOR
GOOD FRIDAY
SERVICE**

**1ST TIME
VOLUNTEERS
WELCOME!!**

NEXT WEEK'S SUNDAY

SERVICE SCHEDULE

LITURGIST: VOLUNTEER NEEDED

COFFEE HOUR: Amy Branch

USHERS: Steve Mattson & Gina Grassano

Service Box 3/30 -4/19

Peggy Racine (516) 799-4052

CAN YOU HELP?

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

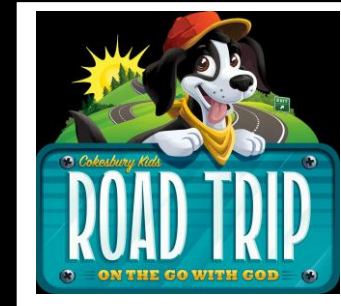
Thank you!!

We Offer to God our Prayers and Concerns for:

ABRAHAM – hospitalized with cancer (Annette Hesleitner)
THE ALBERT FAMILY – battling illness; moved N. Carolina; pray for a peaceful transition
ANNA – patient advocate who has many health challenges herself (Virginia Lorenzi)
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)
GRACE BENZONI – fell and required stitches on her face; pray for healing
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 has passed away; pray for peace and strength
CHRISTINE CASTELLANO—ongoing health concerns
ROBERT CASTELLANO – starting job as a Corrections Officer; pray for safety (Christine Castellano)
DENNIS CLARK –on a donor list for a kidney (brother of Matthew Clark)
LORETTA COLONDONA – pray for health and strength (Kim Gill’s Mom)
AIDAN CONWAY – cancerous tumors (Jake Garbutt)
REGINA COSTA – metastatic breast cancer; just had gallbladder surgery (Gloria Musilli)
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; almost done with chemo; showing improvement (Chelsea Frederick)
JANET FAZIO – uterine cancer (Linda Garbutt)
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)
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)
JEAN – cancer has spread; in pain; doing radiation; continues to fight (Annette’s Hesleitner’s sister)
JOANNE – diabetic amputee; needs strength (Esther Ecklund)
JACK LASSARD – cancer (Lisa Kunz)

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!

**This August,
We’re Hitting
the Road!
VBS at CUMC**



**August 10-14th
*Staff Meeting
April 26th**

HELP WANTED
A member of our community has reached out to CUMC asking if we know of anyone who could help give her tiny apartment a good cleaning. She was recently released from the hospital and is on oxygen and therefore in need of assistance. She will provide the cleaning supplies. Please speak to Stacey in the church office if you are willing and able or know of someone who is. Thank you!

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Spring FOOD DRIVE

LET'S REMEMBER THE BABIES!

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE NEEDED:

- BABY & TODDLER FOOD
- DIAPERS
- WIPES
- FORMULA
- TOILETRIES
- NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS

ALL DONATIONS GO TO THE HICKSVILLE UMC FOOD PANTRY

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
100 PARK BLVD., MASSAPEQUA
CUMCMASSEPEQUA.ORG (516) 541-7008 MASSAPCUMC@AOL.COM

PARENTS!

CAMPERSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE FOR SUMMER CAMP AT QUINNIPET.

SEE TIM GILL FOR MORE INFORMATION



Community United Methodist Church

HOLY *week* 2026

PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH
10:00 am - FAMILY WORSHIP & SUNDAY SCHOOL @ CUMC

MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND
7:00 pm - WORSHIP @ SIMPSON UMC

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD
7:00 pm - WORSHIP @ CUMC

EASTER SUNDAY
6:00 am - SUNRISE SERVICE @ TANNER PARK, COPIAGUE
HOSTED BY GRACE UMC
10:00 am - FAMILY WORSHIP & SUNDAY SCHOOL @ CUMC
11:15 am - EASTER EGG HUNT @ CUMC

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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)
 LYNETTE – broke her tibia and looking for a job (Esther Ecklund’s daughter)
 TOMMY LYONS (Olga Hernandez’ son)
 ROBIN MARINO – hospitalized with an obstruction (Warren & Dorothea Frederick)
 SUSAN & PATRICK MARTIN – Patrick fell & suffered seizures; pray for strength & healing (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; injured her foot
 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 – hospitalized with COVID and delusions
 CAROL PETER – needs hip surgery, 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)
 KEVIN QUINN – pancreatic cancer (Virginia Lorenzi)
 CHERIE & VIVIAN RIDLEY – for comfort, caring support, and encouragement in a challenging time
 ROBERT & HIS MOTHER – suffered a car accident; pray for strength & healing (Anita Hernandez)
 ANDREA ODINTZ ROSENBERG – had been hit by a car; now recovering at home (Chelsea Frederick)
 FRANK RUDY – triple bypass surgery (Tony Gittens)
 SALVATORE SCIEMCA – suffering with bursitis (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)
 JANET SCHMITT – colon cancer (Adrienne Mahoney)
 BRENT SMITH – prostate cancer after beating lymphoma (The Frederick’s Brother-in-Law)
 JEFF SMITH- ongoing health concerns; pray for strength
 SUZANNE SOMERS – recovering from surgery in the ICU (member of Monday Bible Study)
 PASTOR SUE – recovering from pneumonia
 PAT – suffering from a rotator cuff injury; not a candidate for surgery; pray for relief
 PEOPLE LIVING IN WAR TORN COUNTRIES & OUR TROOPS WHO HAE BEEN SENT TO WAGE WAR
 TAYLOR GILL & THE GILL FAMILY – diagnosed w/ Type 1 Diabetes; pray for strength
 EMMA TAYLOR – Chiari Malformation; a brain disorder (Nancy Mattson)
 TAMARA TIVADAR (Cynthia Bohenek)
 MARGARET VOLENCE, GARY VOLENCE SR & GARY VOLENCE JR. – health concerns (Garbutt)
 JOSEPH WARGO - lymphoma; undergoing intense chemo (Ed Longenberger’s Uncle)
 KATHY WELLS – open heart surgery
 THE FAMILY OF ARTHUR WELSH who passed away (Frank Padavan)
 CAROL WHYTE –stroke victim; living in a nursing home; pray for lifted spirits
 YANCY & KRISTA – adults who were born blind (Esther Ecklund)
***Please alert the church office when a person can be removed from the list**
New Names added this week:
MIKE MOLL– recovering from successful open-heart surgery (Dorothea Frederick’s cousin)
THE FAMILY OF ANNETTE DILLAHUNT WHO PASSED AWAY
THE RACINE FAMILY FOR THE PASSING OF KEN RACINE (Bob Racine’s brother)

Mother's Day PLANT SALE

SATURDAY, MAY 9TH
10:00AM - 2:30PM

A VARIETY OF POTTED & HANGING PLANTS TO CHOOSE FROM

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

100 PARK BOULEVARD, MASSAPEQUA
(btwn Sunrise Hwy & Merrick Rd)

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT OUR
CHURCH OFFICE (516) 541-7008



MISSION WALK & PICNIC

FUN FOR ALL AGES!

SATURDAY, MAY 9
BELMONT LAKE STATE PARK

ACTIVITIES:

- 5K Walk
- Crafts
- Line Dancing
- Kickball
- Tai Chi
- Paddleboating (\$20/hr)
- Food
- Games
- Opening Worship
- Dog-friendly

Register with your church at:
LEdistrict.com/MissionWalk



Have a
Prayer Gram
Sent.
Find a
request card
in your pew.

CUMC Kids

Jesus enters Jerusalem.
Matthew 21:1-11; Luke 19:29-44; John 12:12-19



The Sunday Chuckle

