LET'S CELEBRATE!

August Birthdays

1 Christopher Aarseth
2 Katie Aarseth
4 John Lepre
8 Victoria Castellano
10 Ron Mitchell
11 Nina Freund
16 Jane Schroll
18 Anita Hernandez
20 Matt Benzoni
23 Brooke Grassano
25 Mary Padavan
Elizabeth Livingston
27 Matthew Esposito
28 Holly Aarseth
29 Alexa Rabinowitz
31 Carol Shortell
Virginia Carney

August Anniversaries

If you have an anniversary in August, please let us know. We'd love to celebrate you.

Your Generosity at Work
in the Community & the World
Attendance & offering report is on pause until 8/16

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PANCAKE BREAKFAST

HELP WILL BE NEEDED ON AUGUST 30TH FOR THE COOKING, SERVING, & CLEANING UP OF THE PANCAKE BREAKFAST.

PLEASE SIGN-UP AT COFFEE HOUR.
SEE TIM GILL WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

THANK YOU!

HELP WANTED!
SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED!
Please sign up in the Narthex.
See Kim Gill with any questions.

IN CASE OF A PASTORAL EMERGENCY

Call Pastor Sue: Church (516) 541-7008; cell phone (617) 999-7081; pastorsue.yun@gmail.com

1. Pastor Sue is available on an appointment basis for individual pastoral counseling for 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

August 9, 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

WELCOME BACK PASTOR SUE!

THANK YOU Pat Hansen for being this morning's Liturgist, Eric Cortright for playing the piano/organ, James & Gina Grassano for ushering, and Anita Hernandez for managing coffee hour.

THIS WEEK

The "Service Box/We Care Visitors" Dispatcher is Pamela Donohue (516) 587-2358
PLEASE NOTE THE CHURCH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS: Tuesday thru Thursday 9am-12noon

Aug 10 – 14	**VBS**
Tues. Aug 11	Cooperative Parish Council Meeting
Sun. Aug 16	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School *School supply donations due

LOOKING AHEAD

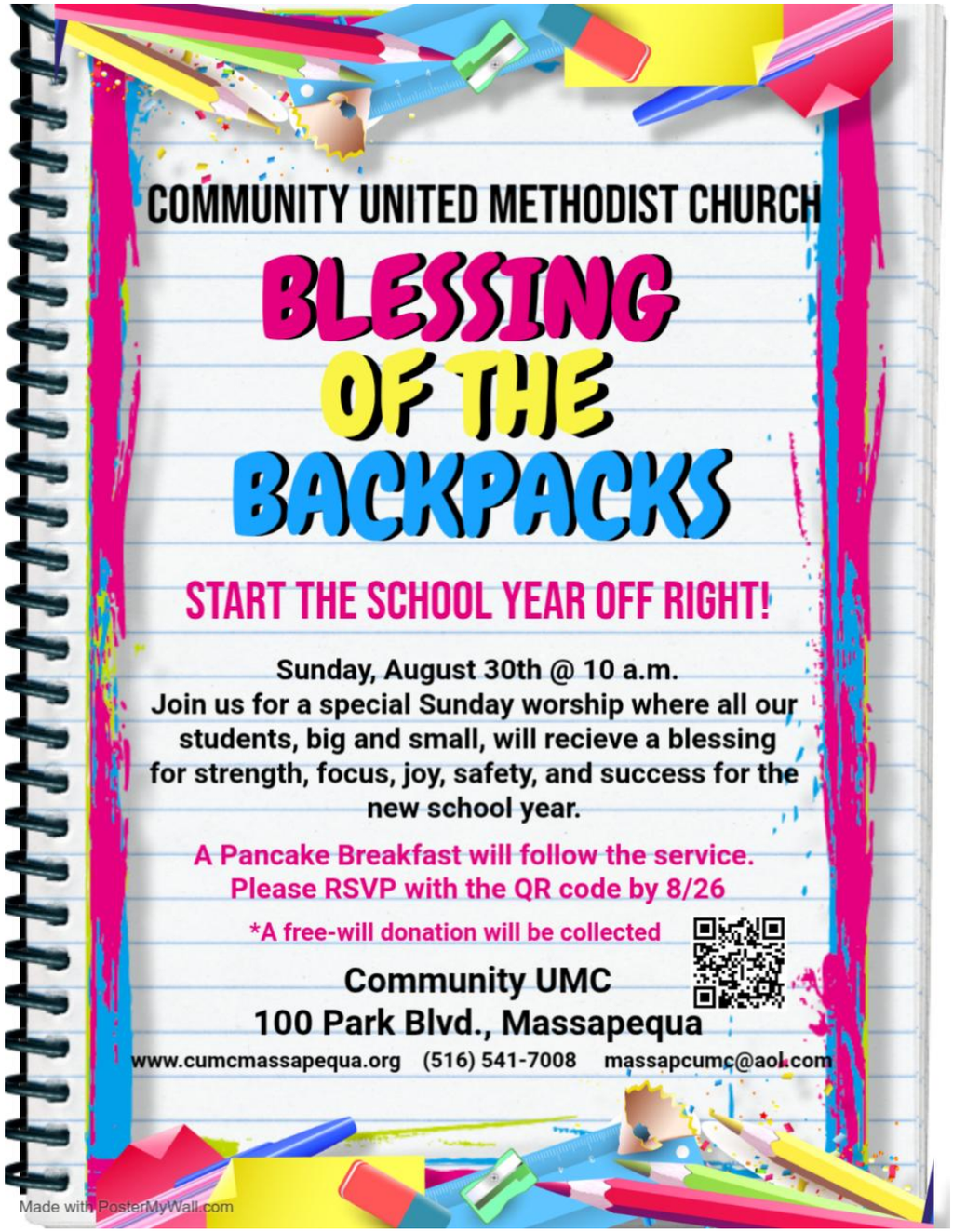
Wed. Aug 19	7:30 p.m. – Weekly Prayer Meeting
Sun. Aug 23	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School
Wed. Aug 19	7:30 p.m. – Weekly Prayer Meeting
Sun. Aug 23	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School
Wed. Aug 26	7:30 p.m. – Weekly Prayer Meeting
Sun. Aug 30	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School *Blessing of the Backpacks & Pancake breakfast *Sunday School Registration
Wed. Sept 2	11:00 a.m. - Seaford UMC 7:30 p.m. – Weekly Prayer Meeting
Sun. Sept 6	10:00 a.m. – Family Worship Service & Sunday School *1st Sunday of the New Sunday School Year

NEXT WEEK'S SUNDAY
SERVICE SCHEDULE
LITURGIST: VOLUNTEER NEEDED
COFFEE HOUR: VOLUNTEER NEEDED
USHERS: Russ & Linda Garbutt
Service Box 8/3-8/23
Pam Donohue (516) 587-2358

CAN YOU HELP?
Coffee Hour Volunteers & Liturgists 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)
ANNA – patient advocate who has many health challenges herself (Virginia Lorenzi)
ALEX – Parkinson's (Friends of Lisa & Tim Kunz)
ANYA – has Rett Syndrome; a promising gene therapy was discontinued (E. Ecklund's granddaughter)
LEONA ASMUNDO – being treated for cancer and doing well 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)
CHRISTINE CASTELLANO–ongoing health concerns
ROBERT CASTELLANO – pray for his safety during his last few shifts as a corrections officer
DENNIS CLARK –on a donor list for a kidney (brother of Matthew Clark)
AIDAN CONWAY – cancerous tumors (Jake Garbutt)
REGINA COSTA – metastatic breast cancer; just had gallbladder surgery (Gloria Musilli)
DAVID PIERCE – hospitalized after long illness (member of the Anti-Racist Book Club)
DAWN – recovering from aortic dissection; pray for strength (Esther Ecklund's cousin)
DIANE DILEO – pray for strength
MELISSA DI IORIO NORIS – bone cancer (Mattson)
EILEEN & JOE – Lung Cancer & Leukemia (Debbie Holland)
BABY EMMA – 2 weeks old and has an issue with her legs (Perez)
JANET FACCENDA – finished chemo; some cancer cells still present; will remain on meds (C. Frederick)
JANET FAZIO – uterine cancer (Linda Garbutt)
JOANNE FAZZI KING (Kim Gill)
KATIE GARBUTT - struggling with vertigo & epilepsy; having gall bladder surgery
HELENE GASKA – Various health issues; skin cancer testing was benign (Marianna Perez)
THE GOITIA FAMILY for the tragic loss of Valentina Goitia, a senior at MHS
VANESSA GOITIA – junior at MHS and sister of Valentina Goitia
JOHN GORDON & FAMILY – John is hospitalized; pray for healing and strength (Cynthia Bohenek)
ISADORE GRASSANO – on list for 2nd kidney transplant; had to start dialysis; hanging in while he waits
THE GRASSANO FAMILY – James is a possible match as a kidney donor for Isadore; needs more testing
RICHARD HEATH – brain injury (Ora Heath's son)
MANUEL HERNANDEZ (Olga's brother)
HORACE- Pancreatic infection
JEAN – cancer has spread; in pain; doing radiation; continues to fight (Annette's Hesleitner's sister)
JOANNE – diabetic amputee; needs strength (Esther Ecklund)
EVA LAAR – being followed by a hematologist; having a sleep study and tonsils removed
JACK LASSARD – being treated for cancer and doing well (Lisa Kunz)
FAMILIES DEALING WITH COMPLEX CHILDHOOD ILLNESSES



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)
NANCY MATTSON recovering from knee replacement surgery
SUSAN & PATRICK MARTIN – Patrick fell & suffered seizures; pray for strength & healing (Lori Benzoni)
ROSALIND MCKELVEY – Virginia Lorenzi
SALVATORE MONACO- hospitalizad; pray for strength, clarity, & resolve (Dominique Monaco-Vetter)
DOMINIQUE MONACO-VETTER – Health concerns; injured her foot; experiencing pain
ERICA MULLINS – hospitalized with serious health issue (Lisa Kunz)
RONNIE MURPHY – cancer (Linda Garbutt)
SAMANTHA MURRAY – 4 yrs. old; diagnosed with Celiac Disease (Russ & Linda Garbutt)
MARYELLEN MUSILLI – having knee replacement surgery (Gloria Musilli's MIL)
LINDA NEWBECK – problems with legs & feet; not able to drive (Perez)
GREG ORLANDO – fighting childhood disease without cure (The Garbutt Family)
MATT PARRINELLO – cancer (Garbutt)
CAROL PETER & FAMILY for the passing of Roy Peter
CAROL PETER – needs hip surgery
JAZMIN PETRACCA – diagnosed with rare genetic neuro disorder with no cure (The Petracca Family)
ANDRES & MARIANNA PEREZ – health & balance concerns
KEVIN QUINN – pancreatic cancer; doing well; undergoing new treatment (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)
JANET SCHMITT – colon cancer (Adrienne Mahoney)
THE FAMILIES OF JOAN SEBASTIAN GUERRERO & LORENZO SALGADO ARAUJO
RALPH SESSA – diagnosed with leukemia; pray for strength & recovery (Petracca Family)
BRENT SMITH – prostate cancer; trying medication to manage cancer (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)
MARY STEWARD & FAMILY for the loss of her 40-yr old grandson (Former member of Seaford UMC)
PEOPLE LIVING IN WAR TORN COUNTRIES & OUR TROOPS WHO HAVE BEEN SENT TO WAGE WAR
EMMA TAYLOR – Chiari Malformation; a brain disorder (Nancy Mattson)
TAMARA TIVADAR (Cynthia Bohenek)
JUDY TORRES– diagnosed with colon cancer (Olga Hernandez's sister-in-law)
THE PEOPLE OF VENEZEULA
MARGARET VOLENCE, GARY VOLENCE SR & GARY VOLENCE JR. – health concerns (Garbutt)
STACEY WALSH – recovering from knee surgery (Nancy Mattson's sister)
JOSEPH WARGO - lymphoma; undergoing intense chemo (Ed Longenberger's Uncle)
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

<u>New Names added this week</u>:
PASTOR FRAN WAITE - being discharged, family must care for him
PAUL & VALERIE MINTON - Paul has cancer; strength for Valerie

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

CUMC Kids

Jesus Walks on the Water

During the fourth watch of the night Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake. Matthew 14:25 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 14:22-33 (NIV)

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EVENING	HAND	DOUBT	WAVES
COURAGE	AFRAID	SAVE	SINK
LAKE	WALKING	BOAT	WIND
PRAY	COME	WATER	ALONE

The Sunday Chuckle