

# ST. JOHN-INCARNATION LUTHERAN CHURCH MESSENGER

**JULY 2019**



**Sunday Worship Services – 8:15am and 9:30am  
Sunday School – 9:30am**

## Calendar of Events:

Mon. July 15	Yoga	7:00pm
Tues. July 16	WELCA summer BBQ	6:00pm
Wed. July 17	Summer Luncheon	12:00pm
Sun. July 21	Worship services	8:15 & 9:30am
Mon. July 22	Yoga	7:00pm
Thurs. July 25	Christmas in July craft night	7:00pm
Sun. July 28	Worship services	8:15 & 9:30am
Mon. July 29	Yoga	7:00pm

## LOOKING AHEAD TO AUGUST:

Sat. Aug. 3	Long Island Duck's Game	6:30pm
Aug. 19 to 23	To Mars and Beyond VBS	6:30pm to 8:30pm
Sun. Aug. 25	VBS Closing Worship Service	9:30am

### **Give to SJILC using PayPal!**

Here's how it works:

Log in to your PayPal account, choose the "send" option to send money,  
and type in our new email address: **stjohnincarnation@gmail.com**.

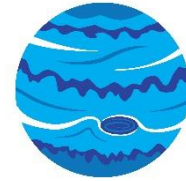
Once you have entered the amount you would like to give, please select the "Sending to a friend" option  
to send your donation for free. **(Otherwise, PayPal will charge you a small transaction fee.)**

Confirm payment and you're done!

It's a fast and easy way to support the ministry of St. John-Incarnation!



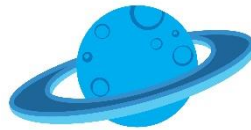
We are on a mission! We have seen a vision!  
This is where the journey starts. Eternity is in our hearts.  
This is the beginning, story never-ending.  
Faith is gonna lead the way. Guide us every step we take.  
Hey, we're on our way to Mars!  
Hey, we're wavin' to the stars!  
We will learn to trust God's power at work in us.  
Hey, we're on our way to Mars and beyond!  
God loves you more than you ever will know!  
God holds your heart and will never let go!  
Faith is the first step, we're never alone!  
We're part of God's story to Mars and beyond!



God can shut a lion's mouth and change the minds of kings.  
God can make a leper dance and cause the blind to see.  
God can raise the dead and God can calm a raging sea.  
I can't do it, but God can do it!  
G-L-O-R-Y to God who can!  
G-L-O-R-Y to God who can  
do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine  
by his power at work within us!



We will love 'cause Jesus first loved us  
with a love we never could earn.  
Now we get to be his hands and feet  
to share his love all over the world!  
So we will go, we will share  
everything we have to give  
and if it doesn't seem like much  
Just a little bit of love goes a long, long way!  
Just a little bit of love and watch the whole world change  
Just a little bit of love, the walls come fallin' down.  
With a just a little bit, just a little bit, just a little bit of love:  
In the name of Jesus, we will light, light, light up the world!  
With the love he's given to us we'll light, light, light up the world!



**VBS is just ONE month away and registration remains open!  
Please spread the word and make sure to get your music CD  
now at church to start learning songs like the three above!**





# TO MARS AND BEYOND VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



August 19–23  
6:30–8:30pm



GLORY TO GOD, WHO IS ABLE TO DO FAR BEYOND  
ALL THAT WE COULD ASK OR IMAGINE  
BY HIS POWER AT WORK WITHIN US!

EPHESIANS 3:20

**TO REGISTER, PLEASE FILL OUT THE NEXT PAGE →  
OR VISIT [WWW.MYVBS.ORG/SJILC](http://WWW.MYVBS.ORG/SJILC)**

# TO MARS AND BEYOND

## VBS Registration Form

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Family/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers – Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Last school grade completed \_\_\_\_\_

Home Church \_\_\_\_\_

Friends of your child at this church \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/Medical Information/Other

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contacts:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Dismissal Information

Name(s) of person(s) who may pick up this child from VBS

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If your child has Special Needs, please list here:

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\_\_\_\_\_

Other Information (church use only)

Hero Group \_\_\_\_\_

Are parents/guardians/family members helping with *VBS Hero Central*? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

## *Please pray for...*

Larry Lipitz  
Anthony Posimato  
Donna Valenti  
Stephen Suppa  
Eleanor Haslett  
Scott Masciello  
John Fernéz  
Faith  
Bob Robon  
Sherry Powell  
The Carver Family  
Carmel  
Ann Nugent  
Claire Lenz  
Brenda Essex

Vivian Monaco  
Larry Rienecker  
Faith  
Arlene  
Sandy  
Bill  
Joe  
Joanne  
Ryan  
Grace  
Sue  
John Michael  
Judy Opatow  
Charles

Bob T.  
Joshua Emswiler  
Bernadette Harten  
Brian Harten  
Geraldine Christ  
Lisa Sell  
Karissa Heap  
Orlando Castrence  
Alisa Queen  
Tad Sheppard  
Harold Walker  
Patricia Hollen  
Lori Fernéz  
Marina

**If you would like to request prayers** for yourself or someone else, please write the name(s) on a prayer request card or call or email the office at 599-0778 or [stjohnslynbrook@aol.com](mailto:stjohnslynbrook@aol.com). Please write how long you would like the name to remain on the list otherwise it will be removed after three weeks. Feel free to

### **We need a few more LAWN RANGERS**

to give 15 or 20 minutes of their time to mow the front lawn of the church and parsonage this season!

Please add your name & phone number to the sign-up sheet in the narthex.

**We still need Lawn Rangers for the following dates:**

**August 10 & 17,**

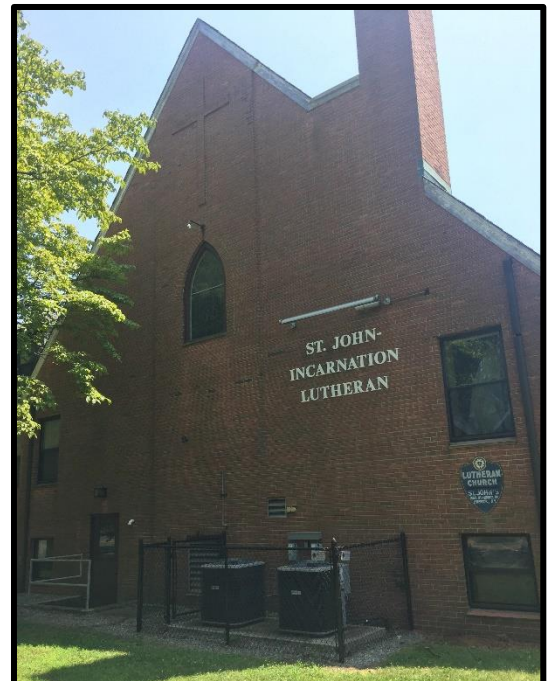
**September 14 & 21. Thanks!**



## **Bric a Brac for our Harvest Festival**

It looks like **Spring** is just behind the rain clouds! But those rainy days are perfect for spring cleaning! Please think of SJILC as you find items you no longer need or want. **Please set aside what you wish to donate at your home and bring them to the auditorium beginning August 23rd for this year's Harvest Festival.** Should you have any questions please call. Thanks from the Bric-A-Brac Committee & Karen Feltkamp.

# NEW CHURCH SIGNS FOR OUR BULDING!





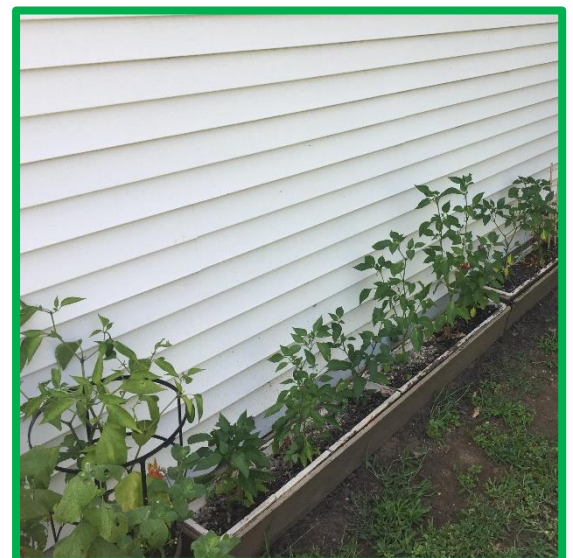
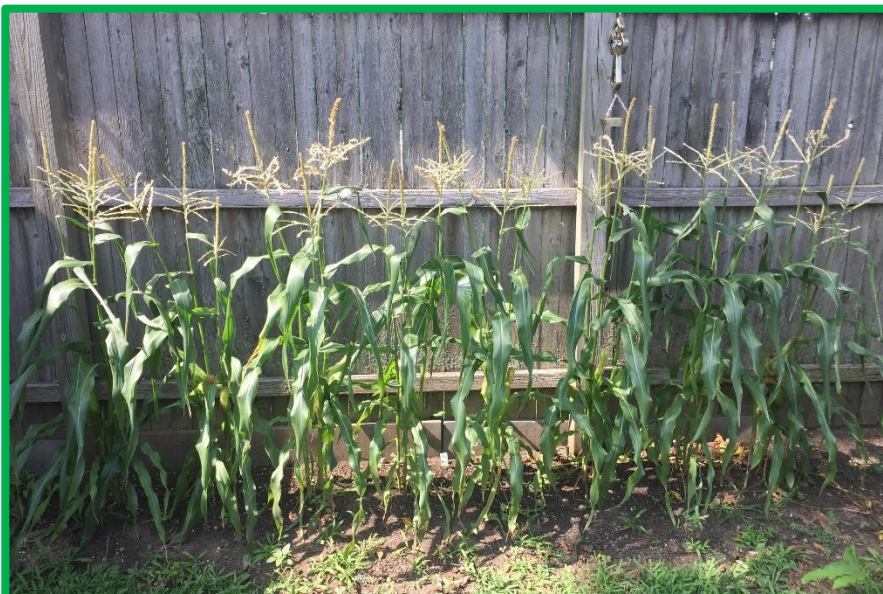
# SJILC WELCOME GARDEN!



**Our Welcome Garden is flourishing and the harvest has begun!  
Please stop by anytime and help yourself to whatever you like.  
Vegetables will also be available in the narthex on Sunday mornings!**



WELCOME





# SUMMER PIANO RECITAL!



Folks from St. John-Incarnation were treated to a wonderful afternoon of four-hand piano music performed by our church organist Judy and her husband Oliver in their home out in Hicksville. Selections included Franz Schubert's Fantasia in F minor, Samuel Barber's Souvenirs, Op. 28, and a five-part piece by Maurice Ravel called Ma Mère l'Oye (Mother Goose Suite). We are so blessed and grateful to have Judy, Oliver and Maya as part of our church family!



# MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

## CHRISTMAS IN JULY

SJILC will be celebrating **Christmas in July** with a fun craft night!

Join us on July 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm

We'll be making hymnal ornaments or book trees.

BYOB and snacks. \$5 donation



### NEW MEMBER CLASS!

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a member please contact the church office at 516-599-0778 or email us at [stjohnincarnation@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnincarnation@gmail.com)

**Class is Tuesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm.**

### CHURCH DIRECTORY PHOTOS!

Sign up in the narthex or email the church office at [stjohnincarnation@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnincarnation@gmail.com) to schedule your appointment.

Pictures will be taken on Sundays after church or weekdays during office hours.



**The New LIFE Center** of Lutheran Social Services in Uniondale is once again running the school supply program. Their goal is help over 500 children be prepared for the new school year by gathering school supplies and distributing them to the children prior to the first day of school. You can help a child in need this school year by donating any of the school supplies listed below. Start buying them now, when you see sales, and **bring them into the narthex at St. John-Incarnation no later than August 4<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you! - The Evangelism Committee

3-ring binders  
Assignment book  
Backpacks  
Colored pencils  
Composition notebook  
Construction paper  
Crayons  
Markers

Glue sticks  
Loose-leaf paper  
Lunch boxes  
Pencil boxes  
Pens  
Pencils  
Colored pencils

Erasers  
Rulers  
Spiral notebooks  
Glue  
Folders  
Scissors  
Index card

## SERVERS FOR JULY 2019

DATE	TIME	ACOLYTES	CRUCIFER	ASSIST. MINISTERS	LECTORS	USHERS
	8:15 am			Janet Pescatore	Janet Pescatore	
<b>7</b>	9:30 am	Dylan Hovell	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Dan Gonzalez	Dan Gonzalez	Victoria Ramirez & Suzanna Thomas
	8:15 am			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
<b>14</b>	9:30 am	Ashley Gavin	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Dan Gonzalez	Dan Gonzalez	Bob Reckhart & Shaun Rouse
	8:15 am			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
<b>21</b>	9:30 am	Sam Barry	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Kim Carlstrom	Kim Carlstrom	Janet Powell & Kristen DeStefano
	8:15 am			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
<b>28</b>	9:30 am	Victoria Ramirez	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Susan Masciello	Susan Masciello	Joan Pirrone & Charlene Comastri

## SERVERS FOR AUGUST 2019

DATE	TIME	ACOLYTES	CRUCIFER	ASSIST. MINISTERS	LECTORS	USHERS
	8:15 am			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
<b>4</b>	9:30 am	Kaitlyn Gavin	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Katharine Forte	Katharine Forte	Victoria Ramirez & Suzanna Thomas
	8:15 am			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
<b>11</b>	9:30 am	Tyler Rouse	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Andrew Dunn	Anna Lenz	Bob Reckhart & Shaun Rouse
	8:15 am			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
<b>18</b>	9:30 am	Christopher Palmer	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Kim Carlstrom	Chris Shelton	Doug & Kristina Palmer
	8:15 am			<b>NO 8:15am</b>	<b>NO 8:15am</b>	
<b>25</b>	9:30 am	Sam Barry	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Susan Masciello	Susan Masciello	Carol Clemente & Dorothy Criscuolo

## SERVERS FOR SEPTEMBER 2019

DATE	TIME	ACOLYTES	CRUCIFER	ASSIST. MINISTERS	LECTORS	USHERS
	8:15 am			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
<b>1</b>	9:30 am	Christopher Dunn	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Chris Shelton	Anna Lenz	Pauline Feltkamp & Cora Sarver
	8:15 am			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
<b>8</b>	9:30 am	Victoria Ramirez	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Janet Pescatore	Janet Pescatore	Bob Reckhart & Shaun Rouse
	8:15 am			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
<b>15</b>	9:30 am	Victoria Dunn	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Janet Pescatore	Janet Pescatore	Janet Powell & Kristen DeStefano
	8:15 am			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
<b>22</b>	9:30 am	Dylan Hovell	<b>NO CRUCIFER</b>	Susan Masciello	Susan Masciello	Janet Pescatore & Carol Clemente
	8:15 am			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
<b>29</b>	9:30 am	Christopher Palmer	Kaylee Palmer	Andrew Dunn	Chris Shelton	Doug & Kristina Palmer

If you cannot serve on a day you are scheduled, please find a replacement and notify the church office and the appropriate coordinator: Claire Lenz: Lectors & Assisting Ministers - 872-2063, Pauline Feltkamp: Ushers- 599-2273 Andrea: Acolytes, Crucifers, Torch bearers and Gospel bearers- 599-0778

**We are in need of members to help serve at worship. Please consider participating in the Sunday worship service as an assisting minister, lector or usher. Our younger members are more than welcome to serve as acolytes, crucifers, gospel bearers or torch bearers. Pastor Alex is more than happy to train all those who wish to serve.**

*A gift has been in  
Loving Memory of  
Gerda Weber  
by Karen W. Whitney*

# St. John-Incarnation Lutheran Church

## Roof Fund Appeal

# **UPDATE**

The Stewardship and Finance committee is pleased to let you know the work on the roof above the old church which is above the knotty pine room, church office, council room and nursery is done.

Unfortunately, we have not reached our goal of \$20,000.00 which was needed to cover the cost of the roof. We are **\$4,430.00 short of our goal** which doesn't even cover the extra expense incurred with the unforeseen water damage to the roof that had to be addressed. We are still collecting funds to cover the cost of the roof.

A big thank you to all who have so generously contributed to this appeal!

With the additional work that was needed to be done, it is our hope and prayer that more donations to this new roof will be made.

**Donations can be made in “Memory of” or in “Honor of” anyone you wish to be remembered or honored. Donations will be shared each month in our Messenger and displayed on our bulletin board in the Narthex.**

Enclosed is a form that may be used for your donations.

Please look for regular updates from our Finance Committee.

Thank you!

Joan Pirrone  
Stewardship and Finance Committee  
Financial Recording Secretary



**Check out the bulletin board across from the coat rack and see how our worker climbs the ladder to our goal!**



# Help Us Reach Our Goal!

## St. John-Incarnation Lutheran Church Roof Fund

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Envelope # \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

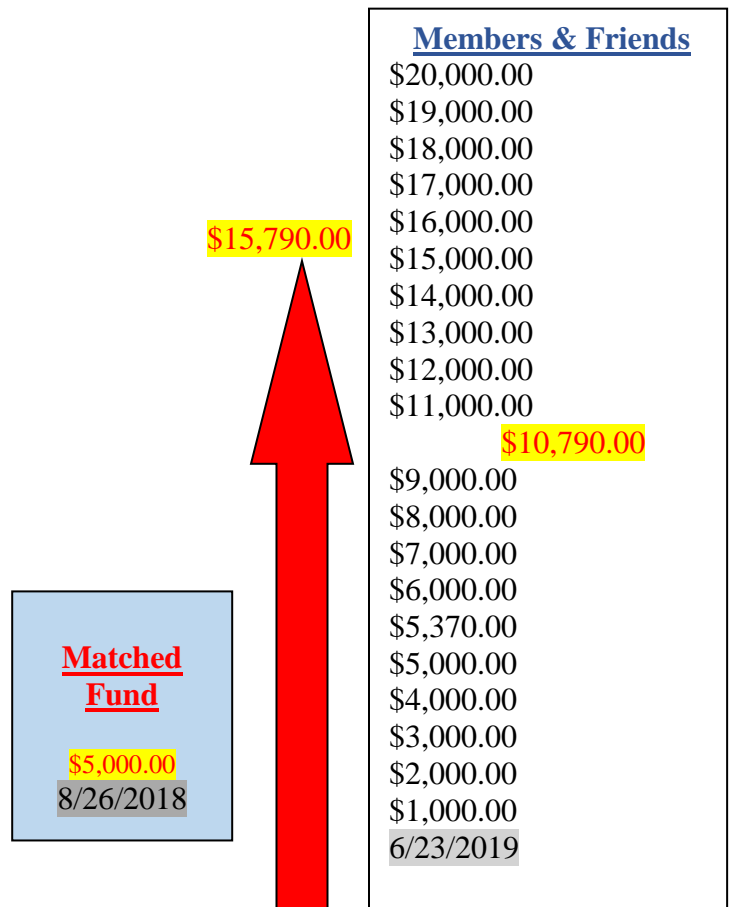
Please mail your contribution to:

St. John-Incarnation Lutheran Church Roof Fund  
13 Blake Ave.  
Lynbrook, NY 11563

**Or, please drop it in the offering plate on Sunday.**

Thank you

**St. John-Incarnation  
Roof Appeal 2018-19  
With Matching Funds**



**We wish to acknowledge and thank all who have already contributed to the  
Roof Fund of St. John-Incarnation Lutheran Church!**

**IN HONOR OF...**

*Dorothy Criscuolo's 75<sup>th</sup> birthday*

*Karen & Anthony Posimato*

*Dot & Vito Richetti 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary*

*Loved Ones*

*Pauline, Bruce (my godson) & Karen Feltkamp*

*An Offering*

*St. John-Incarnation*

*Our grandchildren*

*Paula Williams*

*Dorothy Criscuolo's 75<sup>th</sup> Birthday*

*The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Dot & Vito Richetti*

*Raquel, Robert Sr., Robert Jr. & Lucas Clark*

*Cuffia B. Reitler*

*My children Allison & Joseph &  
Grandchildren Giovanni & Gabriella*

*Joyce, Gregory & Andrew*

*Gerda Weber*

*An Offering*

*St. John-Incarnation*

**BY:**

*Carol Clemente, Allison Koehler,  
Joan Pirrone, Cora Sarver, &  
Judy and Dave Opatow*

*Judy and Anthony Posimato*

*Dot & Vito Richetti*

*The Lipitz Family*

*Grace West*

*Anonymous*

*Anna & Dan Lenz*

*Chris & Blanche Shelton*

*Heidi Scalza*

*Joann Leone*

*Dorothy Criscuolo*

*Virginia & Arthur Clark*

*Edward G. Reitler*

*Joan Pirrone*

*Edward G. Reitler*

*Parker Sloan & Jane Sloan*

*Anonymous*

*Edward Reitler*

## IN MEMORY OF...

*Loved ones*

*Loved one*

*Herbert Lynn*

*Anthony Masciello*

*My siblings Joan, Al & Bill*

*Robert Weber*

*Sam & Alice Bachelor*

*Glenn Heap*

*Loved ones*

*Ralph F. Williams*

*Loved ones*

*Loved ones*

*Frank Feltkamp*

*Cappy & Jack Sheppard*

*Loved ones*

*Our mothers-Dorothy Jackson & June Conklin*

*Dorothy & Julius Roll, Sal Criscuolo,  
& Nelma McMEnamin*

*Loved Ones*

*Kimberly Ann Paolillo*

*Susan K. Reckhart & Kimberly Ann Paolillo*

*Merle Williams*

*Louis Clemente*

## BY:

*The Lipitz Family*

*Don Roth*

*Elfriede Lynn*

*Susan & Vinnie Masciello*

*Carol Clemente*

*Gerda Weber*

*Gabrielle Barry*

*Claire & Hank Lenz*

*Chris & Blanche Shelton*

*Florence Williams*

*Doris Hild*

*Paul & Christel Hild*

*Pauline Feltkamp*

*Anne & Tad Sheppard*

*Arlene & Ed Moglia*

*Ken Jackson & Kathy O'Mara*

*Dorothy Criscuolo*

*Charlene Comastri*

*John Paolillo*

*Robert Reckhart*

*Paula Williams*

*Judy & Dave Opatow  
Dorothy Criscuolo*



*Irma & Bob Kaempf*

*Louis Clemente*

*My wife Ruth Wakuluk*

*Allen & Dorothy Jimmerson*

*Loved ones*

*Bob & Irma Kaempf*

*Bill Davison*

*William J. Telesky*

*Loved ones*

*Gerda Weber*

*Harry Obst*

*Irma and Bob Kaempf*

*Doris Oelschlager*

*Loved Ones*

*John Fernéz*

*Charles Henshaw*

*Bob & Diane Kaempf*

*Carol Clemente*

*William Wakuluk*

*Joan Pirrone*

*Cora Sarver*

*Karen & Norm Irving*

*Sue Ellen Coyle*

*Mary Ann Dodd*

*Eleanor Haslett*

*Carol Clemente, Dorothy Criscuolo, Sue & Vinnie Masciello, Joan Pirrone, Cora & Don Sarver, Catherine Ruzika, Jerry Esposito Christel & Paul Hild, Marilyn Sobel, Don Roth, The Tripodi Family, Kerry & Glenn Kaplan Louise Sasso, Sharon & Steve Sarelson, The Stegman Family, Lisa Crowley, Pauline Feltkamp Muriel Roth, Debra Roth*

*Dorothy Criscuolo, Joan Pirrone Carol Clemente*

*Brian, Christine, Joanne & Noah*

*Dot and Vito Richetti, Cora Sarver, Dorothy Criscuolo, Joan Pirrone, Vinnie & Susan Masciello, Carol Clemente*

*Walter F. Wright Jr.*

*Dorothy Criscuolo, Joan Pirrone, Cora Saver*

*Dorothy Criscuolo*