

"I thank my God every time I remember you."

Philippians 1:3



Every Sunday we remember our loved ones or celebrate a blessing. We would like to have you fill out this form, attach your check and put it in the plate or mail it into the office, attention Janet. Please print clearly and make your check *payable to Caroline Church*.

Altar Flowers		Sanctuary Candle
Oth	er areas you n	nay donate to are:
Remembrance	Organ	_ Fr. Jim's Fund
Churchyard	Building	_ Operating
The Sunday you would	l like it mentio	ned at the altar://
In loving memory of		In thanksgiving for
Given by:		
		family of the one you are remem- ll out the following:
Do	nation amoun	t: \$

"This church is a qualified section 501(c)(3) organization. All tithes, offerings, or donations of any kind are tax deductible under section 170(c)(2). Donations to the above funds constitutes your agreement to relinquish control in accordance with IRS regulations."

We would like to remember in prayer, those who are serving in the Armed Forces.

Michael Cardamone, Melanie Gonzalez, Don Gonzalez, Jessica Gonzalez, Andrew Gaebelein, Avel Ray Escamilla

May God protect them, bless them, and bring them home soon.



Announcements

December 10th, 2017

Advent 2

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		Calendar
This w	eek:	
Sun	12/10	ADVENT 2
		11:00am CYC meets in the 'Cave'
		11:15am Baptism: Ryan Michael Haufe
Mon	12/11	6:00pm Upper Room Bible Study Christmas Party
IVIOII	12/11	7:00pm Nominating Committee Meeting
Tues	12/12	3:30pm Mann Piano Studio in PH
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		3:30pm Soup Kitchen at CCUM
		7:00pm Adult Ed Advent Program in PH
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Wed	12/13	8:10-9:10am/3:30-8:30pm Mann Piano Studio in PH
Thurs	12/14	7:45am-8:45am/3:30-6:30pm Mann Piano Studio in PH
		10:00am Three Village Homemakers
		10:30am Pastoral Team to Woodhaven
		7:00pm Senior Choir rehearsal
Fri	12/15	DEADLINE FOR THE CARILLON
		6:00pm Christmas Pageant Rehearsal in Church
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Sun	12/17	ADVENT 3
		9:30am Christmas Pageant
		Gingerbread House making after pageant in MCS building
		6:00pm "Cookies & Cocoa with Santa" in MCS building
Tues	12/19	3:30-6:30pm Mann Piano Studio in PH
Wed	12/20	8:10-9:10am/3:30-8:30pm Mann Piano Studio in PH
		12:00pm Staff Christmas Luncheon
		7:00pm Vestry Meeting
Thurs	12/21	7:45am-8:45am/3:30-6:30pm Mann Piano Studio in PH
		10:30am Pastoral Team to PJ Health
		12:00pm H.E. & Healing Service
		7:00pm Senior Choir rehearsal
Fri	12/22	9:30am Collate the Carillon in kitchen of MCS building
Sat	12/23	9:30am Caregivers Support Group meets in PH
. — —	12/23	7.50am Caregivers Support Group meets in 111
Sun	12/24	ADVENT 4 / CHRISTMAS EVE
		10:00am Service with hymns
		11:00am Altar Guild to decorate the altar
Christ	mas Evo	e Services:
		5:00pm H.E. Children's Service
		8:00pm & 10:00pm H.E. with Adult choir
Mon	12/25	CHRISTMAS DAY
		10:00am Holy Eucharist with hymns
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Montessori School meets Mon-Fri, 9:00am-3:00pm in the MCS building. Please use door with buzzer or the kitchen door in the back to enter, not the double doors.

Please remember in prayer				
Parishioners:				
Adam Hurewitz Brian Groth Irene Gwinnett Barbara Wood Thelma Hall Christian Aversano Andrew Visconti Greta Holm Thomas Colleary	Pat Calone John Leibold Carole Harvey Caroline Ennis Robin Thomas Nancie Picinich Johnson Erik Johansen Mary Lilienthal Edwina Osmanski	Terry Russell Cheryl Bishop	Laurie Groth Betsy Pollert Kerri Bonesteel Edmunde Stewart	
Friends & Family:	Amanda Ruiz	Paige Capace	Norma Morris	
Patrick Donoghue Michael Morena Anna O'Connor Patrick Hudson B.J. Hatfield Ames Parsons Steve Weno Mark Simunek Dorothy Reinecke Elizabeth Kastanias Jennifer Pierno Anna Liscia Vera Lewis John Rampone Heather Magnotta Dennis O'Neill Brice Donnelly Glenn Thomas Nicholas Tommy Carroll Cathy Miller Patricia Bush Terry Terracciano Chet Bharat Donna Peter Panousis Benjamin Greenfield Maria Taliento Christopher Huckstadt Barbara Meyer Anthony Mennella Paula Richie Lauren Mullen	Tracey Janet Brown Tyler Bellissimo Lorraine Bytnar John Evans Betty Jennifer & Ryan Maryann Conti	Marcia Thomas Gloria John Leibold, Jr. Barbara Tuozzo AnnaLee Beredette Carbunel Richard Mills Amy Picinich Elizabeth T Cheryl T Maureen Daly Roger Abi Amato Lillian Spadaro Becky Provenza Kelly Farley Julie Remien Jennifer Hsieh Phil Coleona Tony Lagudi Jennifer Ryan Smith Karen Hagen Marcie Patricia Matula Pedro Lastra Bob Sands Marcia Siegelbaum Simon Petty Lisa Gorman Janice H. Sanders Brian Dwyer Lionel Butruch Simon Goldberg Lovey Bryson M/M Anthony B Helen Benz	Deborah Seckin Mary Nicholas Jim Mahon Keely Metz DeKoskie Patty Lastra Una Renauld Kerry Scanlon Eileen Huss Mary LoFaro Carolyn McKeenan Patty Louis Aiello Ben Madeleine Emily Stade Lorraine DeRosa Doris Huang Christopher Golino Lois Anderson Grace Elizabeth M. Ron Kate Jones Calone Jennifer Zahn	

Sanctuary Candle

Burns in honor of the Blessed Sacrament

Carriage Shed

In loving birthday remembrance of Charles Glaser Given by Eva Glaser

Building Fund

In thanksgiving for the birth of our grandson, Nicholas Marcello DeRosa Given by Bob & Eileen Clancy

Remembrance Fund

In loving birthday remembrance of Kimberly Lockerbie Given by Bruce & Lory Lockerbie

We thank those who minister at our service today:

8:00 a.m.

Eucharist Minister: Claire Mis

Usher/Reader: Steve Roggemann
Usher: Eileen Roggemann
Acolyte: Ethan Timm
Altar Guild: Barbara Russell

9:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister: Don Muffly Usher/Reader: Dan Johnson

Usher: Bud Kemp Altar Guild: Pat Calone 2nd Chalice: Chris Muffly Acolyte: Francis Buchet Crucifer: Henri Buchet

11:15 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister/Acolyte: Ginny Apmann

Reader: Mary Wueste Altar Guild: Bobbi Wimmel

Ushers: Bob Brown, Gary Mis

Coffee Hour: The Buchet Family
Prayer Ministry: Bev & Barbara Tyler, Claire Mis
Food Delivery: 12/10: Mary Wueste
Counters: Ginny Apmann, Barbara Tyler
Gift Cards: volunteer

Altar Guild Thursday 12/14: Valerie LaRosa

A Special Welcome to All:

God himself is with us! May the Holy Spirit fill your hearts to praise the Lord for all the blessings of his grace today.

If you are a visitor to Caroline Church, please sign our Guest Book in the Vestibule, including your address and telephone number. Hearing assisted devices & large print prayer books are available each Sunday on the table in the Vestibule. Please ask the ushers for assistance. We offer 'Gluten Free' Communion wafers to those who have allergies. If you would like to receive this at Communion time, please speak to one of the Clergy before the service begins. All are welcome to join us for Coffee Hour after the 9:30am Service, across the back parking lot in the MCS building. The Prayer Team members are available in the church after the 9:30am Service this morning. All requests for prayer are kept confidential.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(deadline for articles are Wednesday by 5:00 pm)

There are **ADVENT DEVOTIONALS** in the back of the church. Please take one on your way out to use each day, preparing yourself for remembering the birth of Our Lord, Jesus Christ.



We welcome Ryan Michael Haufe into our Christian Family today as he receives the Sacrament of Baptism. Let us uphold and guide him toward God's great love for him.

Upper Room Bible Study: We will have our Christmas Party on Monday, **December 11th** at 6:00pm at the home of Wayne & Dianne Johnson. Merry Christmas to all!

Advent Program: Christianity offers a wealth of spiritual practices to aid in our growth. Among these are various forms of individual and group spiritual direction. Please join us to learn about and practice group spiritual direction on **December 12th** at 7:00p.m. in the parish house of Caroline Church. We will have a brief introduction to the Shalem model and will then engage in group spiritual direction based on that model.

DEADLINE for the Carillon is Friday, **December 15th**. Please send all articles to: office@carolinechurch.net as soon as they are ready.

Cookies & Cocoa with Santa Community Event

Bring your friends and family to enjoy an evening of holiday fun!

- Holiday Themed Crafts and Games
- Story Time
- · Photos with Santa and Mrs. Claus
- Letter Writing to Santa
- Cookies and Cocoa



Sunday, December 17th, 6:00pm to 8:00pm in the MCS building.

Youth and adult helpers needed!

For further information please contact Lainey Cash at 631-428-0475.

We will be collating the Carillon on Friday, December 22nd at 9:30am in the kitchen of the MCS building. Many hands make light work!

Mitten Tree 'Box'



We are continuing having a Mitten Tree 'Box', instead of a 'Tree', which is placed in the MCS main room on weekends and in the hallway during the week, because of the school.

Please consider purchasing NEW hat, scarves and/or mittens to be placed into this box for adults or children. These items will be distributed to the Soup Kitchen patrons in January. Let's help keep someone warm during the winter months. Thank you.

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PSALM 8511-2, 8-13



11 Truth shall spring up from the earth, * and righteousness shall look / down from heaven.

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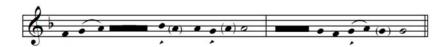
- 12 The LORD will indeed grant prosperity, * and our land will / yield its increase.
- 13 Righteousness shall go before him, * and peace shall be a / pathway for his feet.

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PSALM 8511-2, 8-13



- 1 You häve been gracious to your land, O LORD, * you have restored the good for/tune of Jäcob.
- 2 You have forgiven the iniquity of your people * and blotted / out all their sins.

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- 8 I will listen to what the LORD God is saying, * for he is speaking peace to his faithful people and to those who / turn their hearts to him.
- 9 Truly, his salvation is very near to those who féar him, * that his glory may / dwell in our land.

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10 Mercy and truth have mét togéther; * righteousness and peace have / kissed each öther.

Don't forget to send in your pledge card before the end of the year so that we may figure out next year's budget. There are blank cards on the table in the back of the church. Thank you.

Messiah Sing-Along

Staller Center Recital Hall TODAY at 3:00pm

Free Admission

Bring your own score, or purchase one at the door!
Featuring members of the University Orchestra with guest conductors, vocal soloists and the audience as chorus! For more info: www.stonybrook.edu/music

Caring for the Caregiver Support Group meets every second and fourth Saturday of the month from 9:30-11:00am in the Parish House. There is no cost for participating and the group being non-sectarian, non-denominational and not disease specific is open to all caregivers in our community. Our next meeting will be **December 23rd.**

DIMES FOR DIAPERS!

The Daughter of the King at Caroline Church have been saving their dimes.

Why?

To donate layettes to needy mothers of newborns at Stony Book University Hospital.

You may join with us by simply saving your extra loose change, dimes, nickels, quarters, pennies - any denomination will be gratefully accepted.

Future collections will be on the first Sunday of each month. A jar will be available to deposit your loose change as you enter church each first Sunday of the month.

And remember, you may also deposit your prayer request for us in our box in the vestibule!

Our mission is to serve and to pray!

If you have any questions, please feel free to speak to any of us: Chris Muffly, (631-689-8804), Claire Mis, Maritza Groth-Hurewitz, and Ginny Apmann.

Confirmation Class of 2018

The 2018 Youth Confirmation Exploration class had an initial orientation meeting. If you are a tenth-grader and interested in being Confirmed in the Church next year (October of 2018) but were not able to come to the first planning meeting, please call Cn. Richard in the office as soon as possible. We would love to have you part of this special class.

Don't Forget......Buy Gift Cards for Stop & Shop / Wild by Nature

During refreshments on Sunday or at the church office during the week!

Parishioners buy a \$ 50 gift card, spend \$50 @ store of choice Store gives CAROLINE \$\$\$\$



RAISE THE ROOF!

The Carriage Shed phase one of stabilization is completed, but, WE NEED A ROOF! So, fundraising continues. Irene Ruddock has provided some lovely notecards with different views of the Carriage Shed. They are available for purchase (\$20 for a box of 8 cards with envelopes) in the church vestibule. Please put your payment in the envelope provided near the cards. These make great Christmas or Host gifts.

	December Birthdays	H	12/21	Bill Hall Cecile Pfingston
12/04 12/05 12/06 12/07 12/08 12/09 12/10	Birthdays Diane Amato Lorilei Whitsit Tony Knapp Catherine Gristock Erin Frank Paula Engle Maggie Shimaitis Reanna Fulton Robin Thomas Charles Neuls, Jr. Otto Schleider Carol Fortner John Cierski Bobby Aiello Tyler Yarema Margaret Gilmore Taylor Schwab Jan Visconti Oliver Rhame	A P P Y B I R H	12/21 12/22 12/23 12/24 12/25 12/26 12/27 12/28	Cecile Pfingston Edward Vitale Karel Orlowski Ryan Worrell John Mastauskas Charlene Seymour Cathleen Esernio Jessica Gonzalez Craig Massie Tyler LaSorsa Francis Buchet Patricia Calone Annette Pollert Susan Rydzeski Salvatore Semler Nick Amato Garren Engel- DiBartolo Kurt Feldmann Irene Ruddock Helene Bredes
12/18 12/19	Jeffrey Morse Judith Wieland Christine Lopez Aaron Woreth Olivia Schmitt Charlette Freeman	D A Y	12/31	Mark Lukianchuk Daniel Klinzing Robert McCarroll Holly Griesel Laura Hengerle Adrian Gilmore



Coffee & Fellowship Hour Host/Hostess

Sign up for 2017-2018

Please feel free to sign up for this wonderful time of sharing. Open to families, organizations or individuals who would like to share their 'hostess' gifts. The sign up list is on the clip board on the slype. You may either just sign up on the list, call the parish office at 631-941-4245 or contact Len Calone at 631-928-2019.