

# Angels We Have Heard On High!

Our Lady Queen of Martyrs partnered with the Harborfields High School TRI-M Music Honor Society for the fifth consecutive year to bring cheer, friendship, and joy to our senior parishioners and others in our community.

On a snowy and blustery December day, under the direction of Allison Scila, a joyful group of about 30 students visited our senior friends and generously shared their musical gifts. They delighted everyone with beloved carols and timeless Christmas classics. Despite the winter weather, nothing could hold back the warmth, smiles, and enthusiasm of these teens. It was truly heartwarming to hear the festive tunes of yesterday performed so beautifully by the youth of today.

These treasured moments brought back fond and nostalgic memories of Christmases past—of gathering with loved ones to enjoy music, love, and peace. Some seniors sang along outside, while others listened happily from their front windows or even protected from the cold in their garage. Several of the grateful recipients were in their 90s and one just 100 years young!. The students also visited a few additional homes, brought cheer to children who are sick, and stopped at Paumanack Village, where we assist many senior citizens. This beautiful and cheerful display of faith, generosity, and love lifted spirits everywhere they went and truly reflected the joy and true spirit of Christmas.

What a true blessing of time, kindness, and love given by this special group of young people and their amazing leader. Not only did the students perform, but they also brought a thoughtful gift to each recipient!



The best way to spread Christmas cheer, is singing and playing aloud for all to hear, spreading the joy of the season and love!