



## Report of the President

With the end of my second year serving as your president of Columbia Typographical Union 101-12 (CTU), I would like to thank everyone for their understanding and patience while the current officers were working on resolving issues left over from the prior administration.

Moving forward, our September 17, 2022, Union meeting was the Local's first attempt at providing the membership the opportunity to join the meeting using Zoom. Several members took advantage of this opportunity and the Local would encourage members who are not able to attend the meetings in person to join us on Zoom. Members wanting to attend the meeting using Zoom will need to send an e-mail from their personal e-mail account, to the Local 2 to 3 days prior to the meeting date with their request.

I would also like to say thanks to Mary O'Brien and Mary Stanfield for taking the time to set up our first Zoom meeting. Without their assistance the Zoom meeting would not have taken place. Again, thanks to both of you.

### Retirees Dues Notice

As we approach the end of 2022, there is still time for our retired members to send their 2022 dues payment to the Local. Members who are uncertain if their dues have been sent, should contact the Local by calling or sending the Local an e-mail to check on their due's status for 2022.

### Union Bulletins

I would also like to remind the membership they can request to have the *Bulletin*

sent to them at their e-mail account. Members choosing to receive the *Bulletin* by e-mail will need to notify the Local of their request. Members will need to use their personal e-mail account when requesting to receive the *Bulletin* by e-mail rather than having it mailed to them.

### CTU 101-12 Web Site

For the past couple of months, Larry Sibiski and Mary O'Brien, both working at the Government Publishing Office, have been working on setting up the Local's Web site. The Web site is still a work in progress, but it is now available to the membership at <https://cwad2-13.org/14200>. We encourage members to visit the site and relay their suggestions on how we can make the site better going forward.

*The officers of CTU 101-12 wish you and your family a very Happy Holiday season and a peaceful and prosperous New Year.*

Fraternally,

*Michael M. Maher*

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President

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Regular Union Meeting—Saturday, November 19, 9 a.m.  
Graphic Communications International Union Local 285  
6210 N. Capitol Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20011

## Vice President's Report

Wishing all members and their families a joyous and healthful Thanksgiving.

This will be a brief report for this month.

I am asking the working members to please step up to the plate and get involved in "your" Union. We retired members will not be here forever. You are in the trenches of the goings-on in the workplace. Learn about the labor movement. Learn about Unions, your Union. From the very first day as an apprentice in the job shops, I got involved with our Union's apprentice association. On becoming a journeyman printer, I stayed in the job shops a little while longer until going to the Washington Post. I was approach by the dayside chairman and asked if I would consider being one of the assist chairmen to which I agreed. I also agreed to serve on the third shift as well. I have served on many committees, chairman on the Hill and chairman on second shift in GPO proof room before retiring in 2013. I must say the second shift was the most active in Union affairs. We have had numerous members who attended the AFL-CIO's George Meany Center for Labor Studies in Maryland at their own expense to learn as much as they could about Unions and the labor movement. Not only attending that school but taking whatever courses our Union and the AFL-CIO offered. There are some who feel Unions cannot do anything for them. Take a look on what is going on in the country now. Amazon and Starbucks are beginning to unionize because of deplorable working conditions which have been documented on many news programs. Employees of those establishments saw a Union would greatly benefit them no matter how they may have been intimidated by their employer to not vote "Union."

Just know this, without the Union working conditions can drastically change, and not for the better. Please get involved.

Fraternity,

*John Mogavero, Vice President*

## Secretary-Treasurer Report

### A REQUEST FROM HEADQUARTERS

***Best wishes for a wonderful festive season and a happy 2023.***

Often, we receive hand written e-mail addresses and phone numbers that are not legible.

Please e-mail the office at [LocalCTU10112@gmail.com](mailto:LocalCTU10112@gmail.com) with your e-mail address and if you would be interested in receiving future *Bulletins* by e-mail.

Please include your place of employment or if retired, please state from where you retired.

We certainly would appreciate your assistance with this.

In solidarity,

*Deborah Lord*

*Deborah Lord, Secretary-Treasurer*

# Contributions to the General Fund since last Bulletin

Ronald Bailey .....	\$ 8.00	Stanley Kozichousky .....	13.00	Jim Pratt .....	8.00
Edward Blackwell.....	30.00	Freddie Lawrence .....	12.00	Kenneth Puzey.....	26.00
Pat Bridges.....	50.00	James Lawrence.....	300.00	James Shirlen.....	50.00
<i>In memory of Jeff Bridges</i>		McKinley Margaret.....	100.00	Daniel Stamboni .....	76.00
Bernard Cauchon.....	8.00	<i>In appreciation of Michael</i>		Paul Swartz.....	8.00
Fausto Falcone.....	38.00	<i>Cullen's dedication to the</i>		Richard Threlfall.....	38.00
David Flockhart .....	1.00	<i>Union</i>		Andrew Trilli .....	8.00
Ken Holland .....	38.00	Sherry Michaels.....	6.00	Dell Trilli.....	88.00
John Jacobs.....	8.00	Mund William .....	8.00	Margaret Williams .....	20.00
Richard Jedlicka.....	8.00	Joseph Neri .....	50.00	Ellsworth Wolff.....	18.00
James Jones.....	20.00	<i>In memory of the</i>			
Gerald King .....	6.00	<i>Boys from Scranton</i>			

## Union Meetings Now on



CTU 101-12 Union meetings are now available to the membership using Zoom. Members wishing to join the Zoom meeting will need to e-mail the Local at [localctu10112@gmail.com](mailto:localctu10112@gmail.com) and provide their full name and a non-business e-mail address. The Local will send a response containing the invitation link to join the next meeting. The first **Zoom** access was successfully launched during the September 2022 meeting. Local meetings are held four times per year (January, May, September, and November), at 9 a.m. on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.

## CTU 101-12 Web Site Update

The Union Web site has been updated and streamlined. Members can check out the new site at <https://cwad2-13.org/14200>. Feedback on the new site is welcome and can be sent to the Local at: [localctu10112@gmail.com](mailto:localctu10112@gmail.com).

## REMINDER

Please report the death of any member immediately to Headquarters (202) 362-9413 so that timely visits and last respects can be made by the members.

## CONTINUOUS UNION MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATES

In years past, the Baltimore Local 101-12 Union Printers Retiree's Club would host their annual Union awards luncheon at the Baltimore Museum of Industry. At the luncheon, members would receive a certificate along with a lapel pin indicating their years of continuous membership in the Union.

The Local has recently received inquiries asking if the awards luncheon would be held this year. Unfortunately, the luncheon will not be held in September 2022.

However, the Local would like to award members with 25, 40, 50, 60, 70, or more years of continuous Union membership their certificates. To speed up the process of issuing members their certificates, members should send their Union membership information to the Local. The Local would like to request this information be sent by U.S. mail or by e-mail.

## Union Shops & Chapel Chairmen

BCP Digital Printing	SyDar Printing of D.C., LLC
Chadick & Kimball	—————
Chesapeake Typesetting	Government Publishing Office
Chuck's Printing and Blueline Services	Chairman of Chairman's Chapel Lawrence Sibiski
Creative Print Group	Secretary of Chairman's Chapel
CWA Print Shop	Reggie Scott
Doyle Printing Co.	Capitol Hill
Evans Design	(Vacant)
Free State Printing	EPD Keyboard I: Kevin McGill
GO! Creative	EPD Keyboard II: Gwen Prailow
Kenefick Communications	EPD Keyboard III: Debra Hill
Lord Industries	EPD Proof I: Shawn Moore
Precision Printing & Embroidery, LLC	EPD Proof II: Nate Sample EPD Proof III: Latoya Foster

## New Member

Stacey C. Fitzgerald  
*Government Publishing Office*

## OFFICIAL BULLETIN

OF

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Office Hours—11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Regular Union Meetings: 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, 9 a.m.

January, May, September, November

## *Attention Retirees ...*

### It's time for your 2023 Union dues

Every year the Local has the tedious task of collecting Union dues from our retired members in order to keep their membership in good standing. Every retiree is required to pay Union dues in order to remain a member in good standing. Upon retirement, a member must select between maintaining a full CWA membership or a Local/Sector membership. Retirees are not permitted to change their membership status after their initial selection. Depending on what type of membership you selected at retirement, your 2023 Union dues are:

\$12.00-----Local Membership

or

\$24.00-----Full CWA Membership

Please detach the below form and mail with  
your check payable to:

Columbia Typographical Union 101-12 or CTU 101-12

4626 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W., Suite 200

Washington, D.C. 20016-4625

All voluntary contributions will be listed in the Local  
Bulletin each month.

If you desire not to be listed please let us know.

Telephone: (202) 362-9413

<input type="checkbox"/> \$12.00 Local Membership .....	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> \$24.00 Full CWA Membership .....	\$
<b><u>Additional Contributions</u></b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> General Fund.....	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation (Building Fund) .....	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Donation.....	\$
<b>Total.....</b>	\$
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