

THIRD SORROWFUL MYSTERY

The Crowning with Thorns

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

March 12, 2023

Sacred Heart Parish

Sacred Heart Church, Stamford - St. Philip Neri Church, Grand Gorge
♥ of Catskills



Rectory/Parish Office

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Office Hours

Tues-Friday, 9am – 3pm

Priest

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Director, Joanne McLaughlin - 607-437-4923

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Carol Hogan - 607-326-4073

Parish Mission

Our mission is to become an evangelizing community of Christian disciples by growing in our personal relationship with Jesus, by deepening our understanding, enthusiasm and love for the Catholic faith, by increasing our confidence and courage to share the faith with others, and by faithfully living the Gospel in the world.

Parish Trustee

Carole Trotta
Patrick Wenner

Operations Manager

John Russell
john.russell@rcda.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil:	4:30 pm/SHC
Sunday:	8:00 am/SPN
Friday:	12:00 pm/SHC

*Holy Days and Daily Mass Schedule
are listed in the bulletin and on our web site.*

Baptism

*Active Parishioners please contact the
Parish Office at least one month prior to desired
date. All others, should contact the Parish Office at
least 3 months prior to desired date.*

Marriage

*Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months
prior to wedding date and BEFORE booking
the reception.*

Anointing of the Sick

*Please contact the parish
office when the need arises.*

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30-4:15 pm/SHC
Sundays 7:30-8:00 am/SPN

SACRED HEART PARISH
Sacred Heart Church/Stamford & St. Philip Neri/Grand Gorge

Welcome To Our Parish

We are happy that you have joined us today and want you to know that you are always welcome here. If you're new to the area either as a permanent, seasonal, or weekend resident, or even just visiting, we invite you to participate in any of our parish activities or ministries. There is a ministry booklet on our website, and activities are regularly publicized in our bulletin and posted in our churches. We all have unique and valuable gifts and talents with which we can serve God and each other. Welcome!

MASSSES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, March 11, 2023

4:30 pm — Vigil Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Mike Hogan, Req. by Rosalie O'Connor
Guerrino Dianich, Req. Connie Ruehle

Sunday, March 12, 2023

8:00 am — Mass: St. Philip Neri

Thursday, March 16, 2023

12:00 pm — Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Mark Russell, Req. by Leslie Jeffery

Friday, March 17, 2023

12:00 pm — Mass: Sacred Heart Church

In honor of the 100th Birthday of Dorothy Donofrio,
Req. by Edie Mesick

Saturday, March 18, 2023

4:30 pm — Vigil Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Mike Hogan, Req. by Connie Ruehle
Lyle Chastain, Req. by Maria Dianich

Sunday, March 19, 2023

8:00 am — Mass: St. Philip Neri

Danielle Catherine Tricamo,
Req. by John Marinaccio

**Masses are available for intention requests,
so contact the rectory with yours.**



The next meeting for the Knights of Columbus will be Tuesday, March 14th, 6pm at Sacred Heart Parish Hall. If you're curious about what the Knights are all about, stop in, or call **Tom Slavinski (607-214-4313)**

The Women 's Guild
is meeting in SHC Parish Hall
on Monday, March 13th at 12pm.

We'd love to have you come.
Join the sisterhood of Christian women as we strengthen our
sense of "community" in our parish.
Come at noon to socialize; meeting begins at 12:30.
If you have any questions, please call *Marlena* at 607-652-6304.



PARISH SUPPORT
February 25-26, 2023



Regular Collection:	\$	1809-SHC/\$	487-SPN
Black, Native & Latin American:	\$	304-SHC/\$	196-SPN
Ash Wednesday:	\$	75-SHC/\$	20-SPN
Catholic Relief:	\$	5-SHC/\$	0-SPN

Budget #s to be provided by Accountant

**Please remember Sacred Heart Church in your Last Will.
Thank you for your dedication and service to our Parish!**

Annual Divine Mercy Consecration

Bishop Scharfenberger is inviting everyone in the diocese to join him in a 33-day preparation period with the book, *33 Days to Merciful Love*, beginning Tue. March 14, 2023 to Consecrate/Renew our Consecration to Jesus's merciful love. The preparation will culminate with the consecration at Bishop Ed's diocesan mass, Divine Mercy Sunday, on April 16, 2023, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Please join the livestream from home or tune into a recording of the event at the Diocesan YouTube account at your convenience. More information: rcda.org/divinemercyconsecration



**Diocesan
Appeal**

Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany

We received the statement for our 2023 appeal.
Our parish assessment is \$23,442.00.
We are hoping to raise enough funds by June.
Please consider the very best you can do,
and give accordingly.



THE GABRIEL PROJECT
will be holding their next meeting
On **Sat. March 18th at 10am**
at SHC Parish Hall.
All are welcome.
Paul Wenner (607-779-8803).

Readings for Next Week: 1Sam. 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a (31A) | Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 | Eph. 5:8-14 | Jn. 9:1-41

**MARCH 12, 2023
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Liturgy Schedule

Lector/Body

March 18– Saturday

SHC 4:30 PM P. Wenner Macaluso

March 19 – Sunday

SPN 8:00 AM Martel Svoboda

WILL YOU PRAY FOR VOCATIONS ?

Our Church desperately needs more priests and religious. Join thousands of Catholics by pledging to pray daily or weekly at <https://invisiblemonastery.com>

Prayer for Vocations

God, our father, who wills that all men be saved and come to the knowledge of your truth:

We beg you to send laborers into your harvest.

And grant them grace to speak your Word, with all boldness; so that your Word may spread and be glorified.

And all nations may know you, The only God, and Him whom you have sent, Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord.

Amen.

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Bob Acosta
Fr. Jay Atherton
Evelyn Bellotti
Carmen (Carrie) Cappiello
Marge Cooper
Lou DeSimone
The Dianich Family
The Eighmie Family
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Andrew Flach
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Jack Moran
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The Perzan Family
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Larry Powell
Anthony Ramos
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Alicia Salerno-Beisler
Beatrice Sarter
Joseph Schrom
Bill Svoboda
Anthony James Tagliaferro
Miriam Vedder
Louise VonBrockdorff
John Weldon

DEAR PARISHIONER

Would you like to participate in our Spring Parish Retreat?
Please fill out this little box, cut it out, and place it in the next collection basket.
This is just to know how many of you plan to be a part of the retreat. Thank You!

Name.....Phone #.....

The **Alzheimer's Support Group** meets monthly.
The next meeting is :

Monday, March13, 2023

at the Methodist Church in Delhi, 2:00 pm

The support group is not only for caregivers and Family members, but anyone who wants to get educated about interactions with those suffering with Alzheimer's. The support group also provides information and direction to resources available for anyone starting this journey.

For more information:

Local Facilitator, Marcella Gonzalez: 607-538-9331

Program Mgr., Ann Thayer: 607-206-4514

24hr Support: 800-272-3900

Virtual Groups are available: 607-206-4514

TOGETHER - LET US PRAY ...

Every Monday at 7pm Men's Prayer Group—SHC

Sacred Heart Cemetery Update

Over the last 2 ½ years, all the data regarding plots in the Sacred Heart Cemetery have been entered into a computerized management system entitled Cemetery Information Management System (CIMS). There are currently over 1100 plots that have been included. In reviewing cemetery records and doing field checks, it was clear the data was incomplete and that multiple inaccuracies existed. An effort is underway to obtain additional data and correct those inaccuracies. This can only be done if plot owners are willing to assist. It will be beneficial to undertake this effort now and not wait until a family burial is imminent. Thus, if you are interested in verifying information regarding plots you own please contact Dan Palm at 607-538-1305.

***This week's sanctuary candle
at Sacred Heart is dedicated to
Dennis Moore, Req. by Joan Moore***



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