SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



Sacred Heart Church 27 Harper Street Stamford, NY 12167



St. Philip Neri Mission Church 60676 NY-30, Grand Gorge, NY 12474



DECEMBER 29, 2024 - THE HOLY FAMILY SUNDAY

RECTORY AND PARISH OFFICE

27 Harper Street Stamford, NY 12167 (607) 652 – 7170

Office Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Visit us: <u>www.sacredheartstamford.org</u> Parish email: SHStamfo@rcda.org

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

<u>Registration:</u> Parents are asked to register at the Parish Office at least two months before the date of Baptism. <u>Ceremony:</u> Baptisms are celebrated on Saturdays at 4:30 pm.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Arrangements for weddings should be made at least six months prior to the marriage.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please call the Rectory - (607) 652 – 7170

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SHC in Stamford – Before or after Masses on Tu. & Wed., Fri. at 11:00 am & Sat. at 3:30 pm. SPN in Grand Gorge - before Sunday Mass. Anytime by appointment.

PRIEST:

Rev. Paul J. Mijas

SECRETARY:

TRUSTEES:

Mrs. Carole Trotta Mr. Al Martel

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR:

Mrs. Carleen Russell – carleenrussell3@gmail.com

MUSIC MINISTRY:

Mrs. Edie Mesick / SPN - ediemesick@aol.com Mrs. Marlena Nickerson / SPN - marlena.nickerson@yahoo.com

FOOD PANTRY:

Mrs. Katie Ryerson - (910) 545-3324

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:30 pm – Sacred Heart Church Sunday 8:00 am – St. Philip Neri Mission Church

Weekday Masses at Sacred Heart Church:

Tu. & Wed. at 9:00 am, Friday at 12:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Fridays at 11:00 am & First Saturday of the month at 9:00 am

SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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.

SACRED HEART PARISH

Sacred Heart Church/Stamford & St. Philip Neri Church/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!



Saturday, December 28, 2024

4:30 pm — **Mass: Sacred Heart Church** † Marianne Raso, req. Family of Marianne Raso

Sunday, December 29, 2024

8:00 am — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church

† Josephine Donofrio, req. Estate

Tuesday, December 31, 2024

9:00 am — Mass: Sacred Heart Church Healing of Elizabeth McPhail, req. Maria Dianich

Wednesday, January 1, 2025 - HAPPY NEW YEAR!

5:00 pm — Mass: Sacred Heart Church

God's blessings upon Fr. Paul Mijas in the New Year, req. Maria Dianich

Friday, January 3, 2025 - FIRST FRIDAY 12:00 pm — Mass: Sacred Heart Church † Darlene Kreager, req. Mary Sanna



Saturday, January 4, 2025 - FIRST SATURDAY

4:30 pm — **Mass: Sacred Heart Church** † Jeanette Sonner Enderby, req. Bob Abarno



Sunday, January 5, 2025

8:00 am — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church

† Josephine Donofrio, req. Estate





The names on our prayer list get updated and removed from time to time. If you would like someone added, removed, or even kept on for a longer period, please contact the office.



If you would like to receive envelopes for your weekly contribution to our parish please let us know. (607) 652-7170.

MASS ATTENDANCE FOR LAST SUNDAY

Stamford: TBD Grand Gorge: TBD



ON-LINE GIVING

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START GIVING ON-LINE TODAY, THANK YOU!

DATE	STAMFORD	GRAND GORGE
LECTOR SCHEDULE		
Dec. 28/29	Abarno	Mesick
Jan. 4 / 5	Wenner	Svoboda
EM SCHEDULE		
Dec. 28/29	Macaluso	Svoboda
Jan. 4 / 5	Dengler	Laban

Readings for Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4,6-7 | Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 | Acts 10:34-38 | Lk 3:15-16,21-22

HAPPY NEW YEAR!



Annette Bevilacqua
Mike Manz
John & Jacob Markowski
Mary Nally
Brian Pare
Harvey Sandig
Joseph Schrom
Bill & Pat Svoboda
Roger Weiss
Jordan Wenner
Luke Wenner

Therese Wenner



The Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Church

Donations of any non-perishable food are greatly appreciated and can be left in the vestibule of the church.

The Food Pantry will be open on Thursday, Dec. 19, 2024 from 5:30—6:30 pm and again on Friday, Dec. 20, 2024 from 9:30—10:30 am. Please call if the weather is inclement to confirm that we will be there. Katie (910)545-3324.



Our Parish Goal for 2024 - 2025

\$ 23,759.00

A reminder about the **Diocesan Appeal:** This Appeal supports all of the vital ministries and programs throughout the Diocese of Albany. It is our one time opportunity during the year to reach out in support of all the people of God beyond the boundary of Sacred Heart and St. Philip Neri Mission Parish.

Please respond to the Appeal by making a pledge that you can pay to the **end of June 2025.** Your gift directly helps our parish to pay its share of the important work of the Diocese.

Let us strive for 100% participation: not equal gifts, but equal sacrifice!



ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Please consider joining the Parish Women's Guild! The Women's Guild offers good Christian fellowship as they journey together in faith. They will meet on Monday, January 10, 2025, 11:00 am—2:00 pm in the Parish Hall at SHC.

Did you know that the parking spots along the side Sacred Heart are Handicap Parking spots?



That's right!

From the corner to the parking lot, and several spots *in the* parking lot have been designated for people who are having mobility issues.

There is also seating up front, within the church for these individuals.

Please keep these parking spots and seating free if that is not your situation.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Volunteers needed!

If you are still looking for a way to step up and participate at our parish life, please call the Rectory.

There is plenty of room for additional volunteers. Counters typically work in pairs on a Tuesday morning. Ushers work at each Mass they attend, if needed.

Eucharistic Ministers are needed for the homebound.

Lectors read on a rotating schedule.

Your time is so valued by our parish.

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