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



March 9, 2025 – 1st Sunday of Lent

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 4:30pm.

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 4:00 pm. (except 1st Sat.) 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:

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:

Tuesday & Wednesday 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 3:30 pm

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. 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.



Saturday, March 8, 2025

4:30 pm — **Mass: Sacred Heart Church** † John Butler, req. J & J. Macaluso

Sunday, March 9, 2025

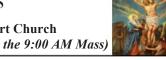
8:00 am — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church † Nancy Mattice, req. Mary & Felix Rijos

Tuesday, March 11, 2025

9:00 am — Mass: Sacred Heart Church † Karen Dunbar, req. Linda Notarnicola

Wednesday, March 12, 2025

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church (Stations of the Cross following the 9:00 AM Mass)



Friday, March 14, 2025

12:00 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church † Mark Russel req. Leslie & Dan Jeffrey

Saturday, March 15, 2025

4:30 pm — **Mass: Sacred Heart Church** † Karl Kneis, req. J. & J. Macaluso

Sunday, March 16, 2025

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

† Christopher Martin Tauss, req. Family of Christine Schaefer



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Lenten Rules Fasting & Abstinence

Catholics ages 18 to 59 are required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Consumption of one full meal and two smaller meals that don't add up to a full meal is permitted. However, snacking between meals is not. Those aged 14 + are required to abstain (no meat or poultry) from meat on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays during Lent.



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: 45 Grand Gorge: 39



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Sunday March, 9th 2025
Black, Native American
& Latin American Mission

Funds are contributed to the dioceses as grants to support evangelization by operating schools, parishes, and other missionary services

DATE STAMFORD GRAND GORGE

Lectors

March 8th & 9th Wenner DeJoy

March 15th & 16th Porter Ruehle

Eucharistic Ministers

March 8th & 9th Carroll Clark

March 15th & 16th Macaluso DeJoy

Readings for Next Sunday: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18 | Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14 | Philippians 3:17 – 4:1 | Luke 9:28b-36

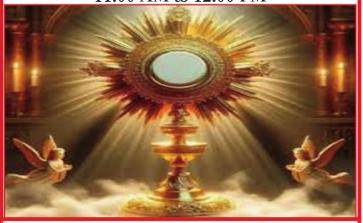
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Roger Weiss Jordan Wenner Luke Wenner Therese Wenner Catherine Wargo **Pope Francis**

Adoration Fridays Visit the Lord 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM





Sacred Heart Church

Donations of non-perishable food can be left in the church vestibule. The Food Pantry is open every other Thursday from 5:30-6:30 PM and Friday from 9:30-10:30 AM. For weather-related updates, please contact Katie Ryerson at 910-545-3324.



Our Parish Goal for 2024 -2025

\$ 23,759

The **Diocesan 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 boundaries of Sacred Heart and St. Philip Neri Mission Parish. Donations directly help our parish to pay its share of the important work of the Diocese. Please respond to the Appeal by making a pledge that you can pay to the end of June 2025.

Our Goal is 100% participation Not for equal gifts, but equal sacrifice!





March 4th is the feast day of St. Saint Casimir. He is a patron saint of Lithuania and Lithuanian youth.

He became known for his piety, devotion to God, and generosity towards the sick and poor. The three hands symbolize the saint's generosity and purity. The phrase "when vou give to someone in need, don't let your left hand know what your right hand is doing" is from the Bible, Matthew 6:3. There are more than 50 churches named after Casimir in Lithuania and Poland.



We are in a spiritual battle! How do we recognize the enemy? How do we win?

Come learn more at a social event for young adults (ages 18-39) and older generation (ages 65+)to discuss the topic of Battling Spiritual Warfare.

When: Wednesday, March 26 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM Christi Church Parish Where: Corpus 2001 Route 9. Round Lake

- Presenter: Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger
- Hors d'oeuvres, desserts, and refreshments will be served
- There is no cost for the event, but a "Free Will Offering" will be available

Our goal is to bridge the gap between older and younger generations via discussions about the faith and how we can help each other and the Church as a whole.

Generations of Faith is a collaboration between the Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany, Spa City Catholic, Twin Bridges Catholic, Goodwill Network, St. Clement's Church, Corpus Christi Church, and the Knights of Columbus.

Register Here:



For more information, please e-mail Trip

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