

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*



May 11, 2025 – Fourth Sunday Of Easter

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: www.sacredheartstamford.org

Parish email: SHStamfo@rcda.org

PRIEST:

Rev. Paul J. Mijas

SECRETARY:

TRUSTEES:

*Mrs. Carole Trotta
Mr. Al Martel*

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Mrs. Carleen Russell – carleenrussell3@gmail.com

MUSIC MINISTRY:

FOOD PANTRY:

Mrs. Katie Ryerson - (910) 545 - 3324

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Registration: Parents are asked to register at the Parish Office at least two months before the date of Baptism.

Ceremony: 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.

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, May 10, 2025

4:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
Molina Castillo, req. Delia Szypulski

Sunday, May 11, 2025

8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church
† Bob Gurley, req. Steve & Debbie Baker



Tuesday, May 13, 2025

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Josephine Donofrio, req. Estate

Wednesday, May 14, 2025

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Josephine Donofrio, req. Estate

Friday, May 16, 2025

12 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Jan Pasciak, req. Malgorzata & Zygmunt Pasciak

Saturday May 17, 2025

4:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† John Butler, req. Marlena & Lonnie Nickerson

Sunday, May 18, 2025

8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church
† Loretta Weredyk Gifford, req. Eddie Mesick

The Sanctuary Candle (\$20) & Bread and Wine (\$15) at Sacred Heart & St. Phillip Neri



Are available for dedication!



The Living Flame of the Sanctuary Lamp

at Sacred Heart Church
will burn this week

*In Loving Memory of
Guerrino Dianich*



Weekly
Offering

PARISH SUPPORT

May 04, 2025

Stamford \$1,572.00

April 27, 2025 \$1,457.00

Grand Gorge \$1,029.00

April 27, 2025 \$1,050.00



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: 79

Grand Gorge: 48



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2nd Collections for May 2025

May 18, 2025 2nd collection for Catholic Charities.

May 25, 2025 2nd collection to support the Church in Central and Eastern Europe.

May 29, 2025 2nd Collection for Ascension of the Lord Sunday

May 2025, Mother's Day Collection

DATE

STAMFORD

GRAND GORGE

Lectors

**May
May**

**10th & 11th
17th & 18th**

**Abarno
Porter**

**Svoboda
Ruehle**

Eucharistic Ministers

**May
May**

**10th & 11th
17th & 18th**

**Carroll
Rich**

**Martel
DeJoy**

Readings for Next Sunday: Acts 14:21-27 | Ps 145:8-13 | Rv 21:1-5 | Jn 13:31-33, 34-35

MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HAVE MERCY ON US...

Prayer Requests



Bob Abarno
Annette Bevilacqua
Father Arul Carasala
Rose Fusco
Marlies Kneis
Frank Leonardo
Maria Lopane
Mike Manz
John & Jacob Markowski
Mary Nally

Brian Pare
Lisa Pfaff
Harvey Sandig
Joseph Schrom
Bill & Pat Svoboda
Catherine Wargo
Luke Wenner
Sarah Wenner
Therese Wenner

Announcements AND News

US Bishops to End Collaboration with Federal Government on Refugee Services: The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) announced plans to discontinue certain cooperative agreements with the federal government related to children's services and refugee support. This decision responds to the government's suspension of refugee resettlement programs, prompting the bishops to seek alternative means to assist those in need.

Annual Mother's Day Baby Showers Collection: On May 11th and 12th at the vestibules of both churches we will be collecting for needy mothers. Donations of money, bibs, hats, blankets, shampoos, body wash, and toothpaste are welcomed. The Respect for Life Community is the sponsor and donations are for New Life Maternity, Inc. Hudson, NY. (questions see Paul Wenner or Theresa Grier)



Diocesan Appeal

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!*

A Mother's Day PRAYER

THINKING OF *You* ON MOTHER'S DAY
AND SAYING A *Special* PRAYER
THAT *God*, WHO KNOWS HOW DEAR YOU ARE
WILL KEEP YOU IN *His* CARE
THAT HE WILL *Bless* YOUR DAILY LIFE
WITH *Joys* OF EVERY KIND
WITH *Perfect* HEALTH AND HAPPINESS
AND *Peace* OF HEART AND MIND



Saint of the Day May 11

Saint Ignatius of Laconi's Story

December 17, 1701—May 11, 1781

He was the second of seven children of peasant parents in Sardinia. His path to the Franciscans was unusual. During a serious illness, Ignatius vowed to become a Capuchin if he recovered. He regained his health but ignored the promise. When he was 20, a riding accident prompted Ignatius to renew the pledge, which he acted on the second time. Ignatius's reputation for self-denial and charity led to his appointment as the official beggar for the friars in Cagliari. He fulfilled that task for 40 years, despite being blind for the last two years.

While on his rounds, Ignatius would instruct the children, visit the sick, and urge sinners to repent. The people of Cagliari were inspired by his kindness and his faithfulness to his work. Ignatius was canonized in 1951



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