

# 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 04, 2025 – Third 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](http://www.sacredheartstamford.org)

Parish email: SHStamfo@rcda.org

### 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*

### 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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 03, 2025**

**4:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church**  
† John Butler, req. Family of Christine Schaefer

**Sunday, May 04, 2025**

**8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church**  
† Robert Tauss, req. Family of Christine Schaefer

**Tuesday, May 06, 2025**

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

**Wednesday, May 07, 2025**

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

**Friday, May 09, 2025**

**12 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church**  
† Mark Russell, req. Leslie & Dan Jeffery

**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

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



**Are available for dedication!**



**Blessed Michael Giedroyc's Story C. 1425-May 4, 1485**

Michael lived a life of physical and mental torment, but that didn't prevent him from achieving holiness. Because of his disabilities his education was often interrupted, but he showed special skills in metal working. He created sacred vessels, including chalices. He joined the Augustinians in Krakow, Poland where he lived as a hermit. He spent his days in prayer and fasting. Though he knew suffering through his years, his rich spiritual life brought him consolation. Many people suffer discrimination due to physical handicaps. Let's asked Blessed Michael Giedroyc to pray for them.



## PARISH SUPPORT

**April 27**

<b>Stamford</b>	<b>\$1,457.00</b>
<b>2nd Collection</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Grand Gorge</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>2nd Collection</b>	<b>\$</b>

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: 87**  
**Grand Gorge:**



## ON-LINE GIVING

Electronically giving has been made easy! Donate today by going to our website at <https://sacredheartstamford.org/> and clicking "Donate", follow very simple instructions.

## 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

<b>May</b>	<b>03rd &amp; 04th</b>	<b>Cannon</b>	<b>DeJoy</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>10th &amp; 11th</b>	<b>Abarno</b>	<b>Svoboda</b>

## Eucharistic Ministers

<b>May</b>	<b>03rd &amp; 04th</b>	<b>Dengler</b>	<b>Laban</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>10th &amp; 11th</b>	<b>Carroll</b>	<b>Martel</b>

**Readings for Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52 | Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 | Rv 7:9, 14-17 | Jn 10:27-30**



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

## Prayer Requests

Annette Bevilacqua  
Bill & Pat Svoboda  
Bob Abarno  
Father Arul Carasala  
Rose Fusco  
Brian Pare  
Catherine Wargo  
Frank Leonardo  
Harvey Sandig  
Lisa Pfaff

Joseph Schrom  
Luke Wenner  
Maria Lopane  
Marlies Kneis  
Mary Nally  
Mike Manz  
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.

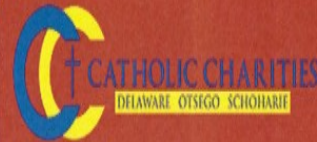
**Annual Mother's Day Baby Showers Collection:** On May 11th and 12th at the vestibules of both churches we will be collecting for needy mothers. Donations of money, bibs, hats, blankets, shampoos, body wash, and toothpaste are welcomed. The Respect for Life Community is the sponsor and donations are 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!***



## 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Pasta Dinner

MAY 15, 2025

WHEN/WHERE:  
5:00PM-7:00PM

Quality Inn  
5206 NY 23  
Oneonta, NY

Come to our annual fund-raising Pasta Dinner. It is our good fortune that those who need help feel comfortable coming to our door. It is also our good fortune to receive such terrific support from the community, so that we have the resources to help. The money raised at this Pasta Dinner continues to let us help the community in many ways.



To purchase tickets or for more information call one of our local offices:  
Cobleskill: 518-234-3581  
Oneonta: 607-432-0061  
Sidney: 607-604-4071

The mission of Catholic Charities Delaware Otsego Schoharie Counties is to serve and empower the most vulnerable members of the community and your gifts help us serve every person with dignity, justice and mercy.

**Tickets \$15**  
Children under 5 free  
Tickets available at the door if not sold out.

Cash Bar





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