

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*



August 24, 2025 – Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

PASTOR: *Our Lord Jesus Christ*

PASTOR'S SERVANT: *Rev. Paul J. Mijas*

SECRETARY:

TRUSTEES:

*Mrs. Carole Trotta
Mr. Al Martel*

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR:

Mrs. Carleen Russell – carleenrussell3@gmail.com

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.

MUSIC MINISTRY:

FOOD PANTRY:

Mrs. Katie Ryerson - (910) 545 - 3324

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

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, August 23, 2025

4:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Carmen Cappiello, req. Maria Dianich

Sunday, August 24, 2025

8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church
Kelly Bauer, req. Family

Tuesday, August 26, 2025

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

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Skip Heath, req. Cynthia & Tony Sturniolo

Friday, August 29, 2025

12:00 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Steven Ercolino, req. Rosalie O'Connor

Saturday, August 30, 2024

4:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Carmen Cappiello, req. Michael & Mary LaConte

Sunday, August 31, 2025

8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church
† Serafine Salemi, req. Theresa Gier



PARISH SUPPORT

August 17, 2025

Stamford	\$ 1283.00
Aug 15, 2025	\$ 795.00
Grand Gorge	\$ 914.00
2nd Collection	\$

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: 85
Grand Gorge: 65



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.

Attention Parents:

Faith Formation Registration has begun! Faith Formation classes are a vital part of your child's spiritual journey, helping them grow in faith, understand God's love, and build a lasting relationship with Christ. Don't miss this opportunity to nurture their hearts and souls! Registration forms are in the back of the church.



DATE STAMFORD GRAND GORGE

Lectors

Aug 23rd & 24th	Hanway	Martel
Aug 30th & 31st	Wenner	Mesick

Eucharistic Ministers

Aug 23rd & 24th	Dengler	Clark
Aug 30th & 31st	Rich	Laban



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

Are available for dedication!



Women's Guild



The Women's Guild of our parish will hold a bake sale after the weekend Masses on September 13 and 14. You will want to remember your cash on those days to buy some decadent baked goods in support of this wonderful organization.

Readings for Next Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 | Ps 68:4-7, 10-11 | Heb 12:18-19, 22-24 | Lk 14:1, 7-14

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



Pray For Me

Bob Abarno
Annette Bevilacqua
Father Arul Carasala

Rose Fusco
Edward Gier
Marlies Kneis
Maria Lopane
Mike Manz
John & Jacob Markowski

Mary Nally
Brian Pare
Lisa Pfaff

Harvey Sandig
Joseph Schrom
Bill & Pat Svoboda
Catherine Wargo
Luke Wenner
Therese Wenner



Diocesan
Appeal

Our Parish + Goal for 2025 -2026

\$ 11,289

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 2026**.

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



We need your help!



Please bring pictures, past and present, of your special celebration at St Philip Neri, i.e., First Communion, Confirmation, Weddings, etc. Give your memorabilia to Theresa Gier or an usher, by September 21, 2025. Be sure to put your address label on the back of your photos. Invite people you know from years past who would love this walk down memory lane.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN OUR DIOCESE

- The Prophetic Path: August 29-31, 2025, at Rosa Mystica House of Prayer in Edmeston, NY. Learn practical ways to pray, grow in discipleship and spiritual authority, and receive both personal and spiritual direction.
- Auriesville Shrine: The Pilgrim, August 2025: Includes the latest happenings at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs in Auriesville.
- Slice for New Life Maternity Golf Tournament: September 6, 2025, at Sycamore Golf Course, Tompkins Rd., Ravena.
- Diocesan Jubilee Gathering: Pilgrims of Hope... Disciples on Mission – Saturday, September 20, 2025, 8:30am – 2pm, St. Matthew's Church, Voorheesville.
- Notre Dame Retreat House Weekend 2025 Retreats: 5151 Foster Rd, Canandaigua. It's located a few hours from Albany, giving all in our diocese another retreat option to consider.
- Notre Dame Retreat House Day Retreats & Events: 5151 Foster Rd, Canandaigua. It's located a few hours from Albany, giving all in our diocese another retreat option to consider.
- Unleashing Love Women's Conference: Save the Date: Saturday, October 18, 2025, at St. Edward the Confessor Church, 569 Clifton Park Center Rd., Clifton Park.

EXTRA EXTRA READ
ALL ABOUT...

St. Philip Neri Celebrates 100 Years!

Save the date: Sunday, October 12, 2025

We will celebrate with a Mass at 11:00, followed by a luncheon at the Grand Gorge Fire Hall. Bishop Scharfenberger will be the main celebrant! Sign-Ups Coming Soon!





Diocesan is proud to now be printing *Sacred Heart & St. Philip Neri's Sunday Bulletin*

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