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 12434

February 08, 2026 – The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

RECTORY AND PARISH OFFICE
27 Harper Street
Stamford, NY 12167
(607) 652 – 7170

Office Hours:
Tuesday & Thursday
9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Visit us: www.sacredheartstamford.org
Parish email: SHStamfo@rcda.org

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 4:00pm.

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.

PASTOR: *Our Lord Jesus Christ*
PASTOR'S SERVANT: *Rev. Paul J. Mijas*

SECRETARY:
Mrs. Kelly Bauer

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

Weekday Masses at Sacred Heart Church:

Tuesday 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, February 07, 2026

4:00 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Josephine Donofrio, req. Estate

Sunday, February 08, 2026

8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church
† Gloria Warrington, req. Edie Mesick

Tuesday, February 10, 2026

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
All Parishioners

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

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

Friday, February 13, 2026

12:00 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Marcello Dianich, req. Maria Dianich

Saturday, February 14, 2026

4:00 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Richard Tyler, req. Howard Riley

Sunday, February 15, 2026

8:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri Church
† Frank D'Antoni, req. Al Martel

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

Are available for dedication!

February 22, 2026: Black, Native American & Latin American Mission

PARISH SUPPORT

February 01, 2026

Stamford	**$ 1,975.00**
2nd Collection	**$**
Grand Gorge	**$ 451.00**
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: 74
Grand Gorge: 24

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.

The Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Church

"Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for Him" - Luke 3:4

The Sacred Heart Church Food Pantry invites you to help bring light and hope to families in need this Winter season.
Donations of non-perishable food, toiletries or monetary gifts help us fill empty shelves—and hearts—with the joy of Christ's presence.
May our giving be a reflection of His greatest gift—love made flesh.

DATE	STAMFORD	GRAND GORGE
Lectors		
Feb 7th & 8th	Abarno	Svoboda
Feb 14th & 15th	Hanway	Ruehle
Eucharistic Ministers		
Feb 7th & 8th	Carroll	Martel
Feb 14th & 15th	Rich	DeJoy

Readings for Next Sunday: Sir 15:15-20 | Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 | 1 Cor 2:6-10 | Mt 5:17-37

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

Billy Boyle Edward Gier Nancy Haney Maria Lopane	Joe Stock Roseanne Sutton

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.

GUEST SPEAKER:
Gail O'Brien

Gail was born and raised in the Poughkeepsie area. After graduating college, she moved to Long Island where she worked for Grumman, the company that built the Lunar Module. She later moved to Stamford, CT, and recently, to the Albany area.

Having been raised Protestant, she is a convert to the Catholic faith. Gail has been an active member of three Magnificat chapters: The Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapter in the Diocese of Rockville Center on Long Island, The Triumphant Heart of Mary Chapter in the Bridgeport Diocese in CT and the Gentle Woman of Praise Chapter here in the Albany Diocese.

Gail is a lifelong musician. She plays the flute, the guitar, and sings with Joyful Heart Music Ministry, and leads worship for prayer meetings and retreats both here in the Albany area and in CT.

Gail loves God's great outdoors and enjoys hiking with her husband, Mark, and 2 border collies, Lem and Thacher.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus." - Phil 4:6-7

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Gentle Woman of Praise Chapter Meal

Saturday, March 14, 2026
9:00 am to 12:00 pm
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Cost: Adult **$33** by mail/postmark by **2/27/26**
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(please call after 6 PM)

Gentle Woman of Praise Service Team

Diane Bigos, Coordinator	518-810-1310
Nancy Hooley, Assistant Coordinator	518-783-3411
Denise Fraioli, Secretary	518-312-5738
Kelly Stiffen, Treasurer	518-937-8202
Bonnie Hause, Historian	602-291-2130

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!

~ The Women's Guild invites you to join them at their meetings, which are on the 2nd Monday of each month at the Parish Hall. Come meet your fellow lady parishioners!

COFFEE HOUR AFTER MASS!

Please join us for fellowship and a warm cup of coffee after Mass at St. Philip Neri Sundays, February 8th and February 22! All are welcome. Come enjoy community, conversation, and a little parish cheer!

The Gabriel Project® is a confidential and compassionate parish-based program offering assistance to pregnant women and families in difficult situations with spiritual, material, and emotional support.

If you are interested in helping with this ministry in our parish, please let us know by calling: Paul Wenner at 607-779-8803 or you can email the Gabriel Project at: **gabrielprojectstamford@gmail.com**.

If you or someone you know are in need of help, please call 1-833-CARE-273 or 1-833-227-3273. Above all, we need prayers for our volunteers and the women and men they are helping.

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