

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*



October 04, 2026 – 27th 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

PASTOR: *Our Lord Jesus Christ*

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

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT & SECRETARY:

Mrs. Kelly Bauer – (845) 853-3001

TRUSTEES:

Mr. Al Martel

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR:

Mrs. Carleen Russell – carleenrussell13@gmail.com

MUSIC MINISTRY:

Mr. Christopher Cerosaletti

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 Sundays at 12:30pm.

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 – After Sunday Mass or Before or After Mass on Monday or by Appointment
SPN in Grand Gorge - Before Sunday Mass or by Appointment.

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Sunday 11:00 am – St. Philip Neri Mission Church

Sunday 12:30 pm – Sacred Heart Church

Weekday Masses at Sacred Heart Church:

Monday at 9:00 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

First Monday of the month followed by 9 am Mass

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.



Sunday, October 04, 2026

12:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† James Nelson, req. Bob and Lynn Abarno

Monday, October 05, 2026

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Ronald D'Amico, req. Carmen Garcia

Sunday, October 11, 2026

12:30 PM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Dennis Remski, req. Paul and Janet Wenner

Sunday, October 04, 2026

11:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri
† Marianne Raso, req. Family

Sunday, October 11, 2026

11:00 AM — Mass: St. Philip Neri
† Helen C. Powell, req. Larry A. Powell

The Sanctuary Candle (\$20) & Bread and Wine (\$15)
at Sacred Heart & St. Phillip Neri
Are available for dedication!
Please contact the rectory.

☕ COFFEE HOUR AFTER MASS!

Please join us for fellowship and a warm cup of coffee after Mass at St. Philip Neri on Sunday, October 04, 2026. All are welcome. Come enjoy community, conversation, and a little parish cheer!

Mums' The Word! Help Our Parish Bloom This Autumn
Help us bring the beauty of God's creation into our church this fall! Donations toward of Autumn Flowers will help fill our sanctuary with the warmth and beauty of the season.
Every gift helps our parish bloom!

"The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord." Psalms 33:5



PARISH SUPPORT

September 27, 2026

Stamford	\$ 906.00
2nd Collection	\$ 262.00
Grand Gorge	\$ 450.00
2nd Collection	\$ 250.00

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: 62
Grand Gorge: 36



ON-LINE GIVING

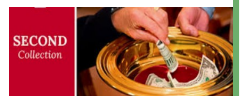
Electronically giving has been made easy! Donate today by going to our website at <https://sacredheartstamford.org/> and clicking "Donate", follow the very simple instructions.

Collection Counters Needed!

Monday mornings after 9 am Mass. Counting will take approximately 1 hour. Please contact Jackie Lampert at 607-287-6589 if you are interested in this important ministry.

October Second Collections:

October 18, 2026: Mission Sunday



DATE	STAMFORD	GRAND GORGE
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Lectors

October 04	DeJoy	Whiteside
October 11	Martel	Abarno

Eucharistic Ministers

October 04
October 11

Readings for Next Sunday: Ez 18:25-28 | Ps 25:4-9 | Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5 | Mt 21:28-32

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



Pray For Me

Billy Boyle
Dorothy Donofrio
Edward Gier
Linda Many

Connie Ruehle
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.



The Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Church

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

Sacred Heart Food Pantry: Here are some food items that are needed in the coming weeks:

Canned Vegetables: Corn, Green Beans, Carrot, Mixed Vegetable and Diced Tomatoes

Canned Fruits: Applesauce and Peaches

Other Items: Pancake Mix, Tomato Sauce, Canned Ravioli, and Instant Mashed Potatoes

All items can be dropped off at the back of either church.

Thank you for your generosity!

Attention all Gardeners: Any extra produce from your garden is welcome at the food pantry in the coming months.

Please drop it off on the following Thursdays outside the parish hall:

July 9th and 23rd, August 6th and 20th, Sept 10th and 24th, October 8th and 22nd

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. among us.

We also need volunteers! If you would like to volunteer please contact: Katie Ryerson at (910) 545-3324

Food Pantry operates every 2 weeks on Thursday evenings from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm & Friday mornings from 9:30 am to 10:30 am.



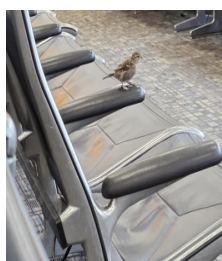
Diocesan Appeal

Our Parish + Goal for 2025 -2026 \$ 6,764.00

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!
TOTAL RAISED: \$

Thoughts on Prayer
from the DRCC
www.dslcn.org



I had quite the travel adventure this week with storms disrupting my flights multiple times. In the midst was a reminder that whenever things are uncertain or chaotic,

it is important to keep your eyes open for God's presence in the middle of it all. As I found a quiet corner to wait out the delays, I found a sparrow fluttering around the area. The sparrow was calm and I was calm...and we simply spent some time together. I remembered the passage that says if God so cares for the sparrow, how much more does God care for you? I knew in my heart that whatever happened with my travels that day, God was with me.

May you, in moments of uncertainty, have the ability to open your eyes and notice the "sparrow" God is sending to reassure you!

Be well and be at peace!

~Sr. Sue



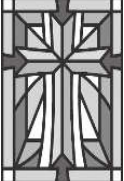
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