# SACRED HEART PARISH

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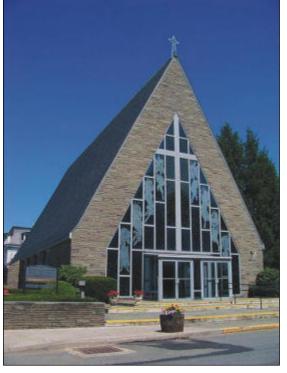
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**SACRED HEART CHURCH** 543 Main Street, Margaretville, NY 12455

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m. ... Sacred Heart Church Sunday 9:00 a.m. .... Sacred Heart Church Sunday 11:30 a.m. ... Sacred Heart Church

**Note:** There are no Weekend Masses at St Anne's until further notice

## SACRAMENTAL RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00 - 4 p.m. Sacred Heart Church Anytime by Appointment

### SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The people of Sacred Heart Parish are members of The Body of Christ. We accept our baptismal call: to provide a warm and welcoming place for all to freely worship, to minister to all, especially the ill and the needy, to offer a program of faith formation for all ages of our ethnically diverse parish community and to witness the Gospel by the way we live our daily lives.

# MAY 2, 2021: FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

#### Interim Team

Rev. Gregory Weider (518) 915-1748 Deacon Joe Cechnicki (518) 673-2807-Administrator

#### **Trustees**

Doris Warner (845) 586-2484 Todd Pascarella (845) 254-6599

<u>Secretary</u> Lenny Telesca (845) 586-2665

Faith Formation Doris Warner (845) 586-2484

#### **Liturgical Committee**

Rita Peterson (607 326-4019 Joseph Grieco (845) 676-4640 **Spanish Apostolate** Joaquina Mendoza (845) 254-6414

#### **Community Life Team**

Bunnie Muzzonigro (845) 676-3586 Ellie Aulino (845) 586-4028 Francisco Duque (845) 586-6248 Todd Pascarella (845) 254-6599

#### **Outreach**

Frank Canavan (845) 586-3992 B<u>uildings and Grounds</u> Sacred Heart Church: Francisco Duque (845) 586-6248 St. Anne's Church: Richard Powers

#### Finance Committee

Joseph Grieco Rita Peterson

**Pastoral Council** 

Laura Sanford (845) 586-6255 Ellie Aulino (845) 586-4028 Bunnie Muzzonigro (845) 676-3586 Francisco Duque (845) 586-6248

#### **Music Ministry**

Cindy Korb and Richard Tucker

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
5:30 pm	Maurice, Margaret & Ed Berthiaume	
	by Chris Clancy	
9:00 am	Jo Anne Kittle Sitler	
11:30 am	Anthony Tercasio (8 <sup>th</sup> anniversary)	
	by Karen Tercasio	
MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
5:30 pm	All to be remembered for Easter Flowers	
9:00 am	Maurice, Margaret & Ed Berthiaume	
	by Chris Clancy	
11:30 am	All Members of the Parish	

#### WEEKLY SCHEDULING

MARGARETVILLE 5:30 SATURDAY VIGIL MASS	
Todd Pascarella (L)	May 1
Julie Hernandez (EM)	
Rita Peterson (L)	May 8
Todd Pascarella (EM)	
MARGARETVILLE SUNDAY 9:00 AM MASS	
Mary Colfer (L), Bob Barrack (EM)	May 2
Dick Colfer & Francisco Duque (L),	May 9
Ernie Steiglehner (EM)	

MARGARETVILLE SUNDAY 11:30 AM MASS	
Marianne Gohrig (L)	May 2
Kelly Kilpatrick & Doris Warner (EM)	
Bunny Muzzonigro (L)	May 9
Laura Sanford & Marianne Gohrig (EM)	

MOUNTAINSIDE MINISTER	
ТВА	May 2
ТВА	May 9

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEER	
Joaquina Mendoza & Veronica Sarabia	May 2
& Briceyda Luis Romero	
Francisco & Maria Duque	May 9

STEWARDSHIP FOR LAST SUNDAY				
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Note that the average weekly expenses do not include the cost of a resident pastor.

#### **Our New Secretary**

Welcome to our family of service, Lenny Telesca. We are happy to have you join us in re-opening our rectory to the need of our parishioners, to help with the bulletin, answer questions I provide for the giving of Mass Cards during the week. This week Lenny will be here beginning at 12:30pm on Monday and Tuesday until 3:30pm. Regular hours will be forthcoming. Welcome Lenny Telesca!

#### My dear friends

These are difficult times. Because of the Corona virus our government have forbidden us from attending Mass. Then they said we could attend Mass up to 30% capacity as long as we stay six feet apart. So going inside a church has seemed to become dangerous. So many have not attended during the past year. Now that we have received the corvid vaccine we hope that our church buildings will reopen to capacity, so that people may come back and feel comfortable worshipping together once more. Some have watched the Mass on TV, many have not. But we all need to be at one in worshipping the God who created us and has spared those of us who remain in this life here, and Jesus who sacrificed His life by laying it down for the restoration of all.

My uncle Joe entered into the service of our country in the army and became a paratrooper at the age of eighteen, then was killed in the Battle of the Bulge on January 7<sup>th</sup>, 1945. He visited us in the summer of 1944 before he went to England preparing to enter combat in Europe. After he visited us, he visited my cousins and told them that he knew he would not be coming home from the war, that this was the last time they would see each other. He spared us from this direct encounter because I am sure he knew it would be too difficult for us.

Knowing that he was about to die in combat he proceeded to England and then to his death Allemagne France. He was literally laying down his life for us. At the bequest of His Father, Jesus did the same for us.

He told us, "This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father." A picture is worth a thousand words. The crucifix of the crucified Christ above our altar speaks eloquently of Christ's love for us and ultimately why He has come among us.

He speaks to us again every time we come to Holy Mass. It is difficult to know Him unless we are together at Mass. Pray that, that day will come quickly so that we all may hear His voice again.

#### Father Greg

**The Parish Council** will meet next on Monday, May 12 at 12:30 in the Church. On the agenda will be the replacing the lighting in front of the church. Please attend if you wish to have input into its solution.

**Prayers:** The favor of your prayers is requested for Edmund Brandon, Dolores Burnett, Pasquale Capasso, Mary Chesire, Christine Cinelli, Alice Curley, Anthony Curley, Frank Dinelli, Thomas Dunn, Chris & Mary Ferris, Laura Hacker, Crystal Holmes, Frank Gallagher, Roy George, Dorothy Mackey, Frank Martizello, Mary McNamee, Kathy Miller, Jacqueline Mirandi, Timothy Murphy, Carolyn Noonan, Christina Noonan, Edmund Noonan, Peggy Prostler, Barbara Randazzo, Charles Shea, Sisters of St. Joseph, James Russell Smith, Regina Sass, Walter Strout, Bill Thompson, Marguerite Usher, Eric and Sally Van Benschoten, Maureen and Max Viola, Joseph Weider, and for all who are ill or suffering at this time and for their doctors, nurses and caregivers. Thank you.

Food Pantries – Our Food Pantries are grateful for your generous giving of non-perishable food. There is a great need for food in our area. Our local food pantries: Margaretville: 4283 State Highway 28, Suite 3 Hours: Monday 10am to noon; Friday 4 – 6 pm Family Table: Catskill Mtn. Christian Center, 629 Main Street in Margaretville. Hours: 10 am to 4 pm Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri, Saturday and Wednesday 10 am to 6 pm Andes: Andes Train Depot, Depot Road Hours: Fridays 3 pm to 7 pm Please leave your gifts of non-perishable food at the entrance to our churches. They will be gratefully distributed to our Food Pantries in Margaretville and Andes

#### Prayer for Vocations for Priesthood and Religious Life

Grant Lord, that those whom you call to enter priesthood or religious life may have the generosity to answer your call, so that those who need your help may always find it. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

**Thank you especially** for all who clean our church each weekend, for those who open and sanitize our church during this difficult time. Without you we could not be here to celebrate.

#### If you have any needs

Please call the office during office hours or Father Weider whose phone number is on the top of page 2 in the bulletin. I will be at the rectory on weekends.

Thank you, Father Greg.

