## SACRED HEART PARISH

#### **RECTORY AND PARISH OFFICE**

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#### MAIL and DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS

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> <u>Parish Email</u> shcatholicchurch@icloud.com



**ST. ANNE'S MISSION CHURCH**375 Main Street, Andes, NY 13731
All Correspondence: Sacred Heart Parish, Margaretville NY



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

#### **WEEKEND MASSES**

Sunday 10:00 a.m. .... Sacred Heart Church Sunday 12 p.m. ... St Anne's; Mission Church

#### **SACRAMENTAL RECONCILIATION**

Confessions in Margaretville, Grand Gorge & Andes before Sunday Masses
Confessions in Stamford & Margaretville before weekday Masses & 3:30 pm on Sat. in Stamford or Any time 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 1, 2022: THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

#### **Priest**

Rev. Paul J. Mijas (838)-910-9889

#### **Trustees**

Doris Warner (845) 586-2484 Todd Pascarella

#### Secretary

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

#### **Hospitality**

Dick & Mary Colfer (845) 586-3049

#### **Community Life Team**

Bunnie Muzzonigro (845) 676-3586

Ellie Aulino (845) 586-4028

Francisco Duque (845) 586-6248

Todd Pascarella

#### Outreach

Frank Canavan (845) 586-3992

#### **Buildings and Grounds**

Sacred Heart Church: Francisco Duque (845) 586-6248

St. Anne's Church: Richard Powers

#### **Finance Committee**

Joseph Grieco Rita Peterson

Lisa Friscia

#### **Pastoral Council**

Ellie Aulino (845) 586-4028

Bunnie Muzzonigro (845) 676-3586

Francisco Duque (845) 586-6248

#### **Music Ministry**

Richard Tucker and Cindy Korb

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
10:00 am	ТВА	
12:00 pm	TBA	
MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
10:00 am	TBA	
12:00 am	ТВА	

#### **WEEKLY SCHEDULING**

MARGARETVILLE WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDUEL	
Tuesday 12 noon Mass	May 3
Wednesday 9 am Mass	May 4
First Saturday Devotion & Mass 9am	May 7
Tuesday 12 noon Mass	May 10
Wednesday 9 am Mass	May 11
MARGARETVILLE SUNDAY 10:00 AM MASS	
Rita Peterson (L),	May 1
Laura Sanford (EM)	
Dick Colfer (L),	May 8
Rita Peterson (EM)	

ANDES SUNDAY 12:00 PM MASS		
Bunny Muzzonigro (L) May		
Angela Davila Maxwell (EM)		
Doris Warner (L)	Doris Warner (L) May 8	
Angela Davila Maxwell (EM)		

MOUNTAINSIDE MINISTER	
TBA	May 1
TBA	May 8

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEER	
Dick Colfer	May 1
Jim Muller & Ronnie Jordan	May 8

STEWARDSHIP FOR LAST SUNDAY				
Sacred Heart Church Saint Anne's Church	1,622 449			
PARISH OFFERING  AVG. WEEKLY EXPENSE	\$2,071 \$1,700			

Note that the average weekly expenses do not include the cost of a resident pastor. Thank you for your generous gifts.

#### **Office Hours**

12:30pm to 3:30pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Subject to change in the future.

#### PLEASE NOTE CHANGES IN SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Stamford: 4:30 pm Vigil Mass Saturday

Grand Gorge: 8:00 am Sunday Margaretville: 10:00 am Sunday

Andes: 12:00 am Sunday

#### **Weekday Mass Schedule for Margaretville**

12 pm Tuesday & 9 am Wednesday at Sacred Heart in Margaretville.

\*Frist Saturday devotion & Mass of each month, at 9 am at Sacred Heart Church in Margaretville.

#### **Weekday Mass Schedule for Stamford**

12 pm Thursday & 9 am Friday at Sacred Heart in Stamford \*First Friday devotion & Mass of each month, at 9am at Sacred Heart in Stamford

**Offering Envelops:** The envelops have arrived and are in the back of the church with your name written on the top of box. Thank you for your patience.

#### My Dear Parishioners:

Could it be that God's image has become so soiled and distorted that it is hard for us to see it? Our self-serving agendas have done a great job twisting God's image into what profits us. We want our agenda to be God's agenda and use prayer as the convincing leverage we need. Worse still, our success and egocentric agenda often erases God's image completely, replacing it with our own. St. Oscar Romero instructs us that the Son of Man "dies on the cross to cleanse God's image, which is soiled in today's humanity, a humanity so enslaved, so selfish, so sinful." Striving to preserve control of our destinies at all costs, we fail to see the risen suffering servant, the Christ, standing right beside us.

Jesus, who suffered and died on a cross and was raised from the dead, corrects our soiled image of God. He shows us God as God is, not who we want to make God to be. God is the God of the poor, the weak, and the marginalized. He is the God who tenderly caresses us when we are suffering and hurting, assuring us that all will be safe and well. He is the God of equity, peace, justice, and compassion who wants happiness for each of His children, desiring their wellbeing and success. God goes where men and women are afraid to go, sitting with the lost, the broken, and the sorrowing. St. Oscar Romero challenges us to illuminate with "Christ's light ... even the most hideous caverns of the human person: torture, jail, plunder, want, chronic illness. The oppressed must be saved." The resurrection calls us to be God's microphone, a messenger, and a prophet (St. Oscar Romero).

Using eyes that see beyond the limited constructs and desires of our world, we can see the true and real Jesus standing before us, calling us to transformation and change. Asking us more than once, "do you love me?" We are beckoned to give an answer. Answering in the affirmative, it is now our task to feed the sheep and the lambs who belong to God. In short, equipped with the power of the resurrection and a corrected image of God our task is to make things better, brighter, holier, more lifegiving, and just for all of God's children. Considering our choices, our interactions, our philosophies, and aspirations, how can we do this?

**Prayers:** The favor of your prayers is requested for Paul Bopp, Edmund Brandon, Dolores Burnett, Pasquale Capasso, Mary Chesire, Christine Cinelli, Alice Curley, Anthony Curley, Frank Dinelli, Bill & Mary Drew, Thomas Dunn, Hank Farrak, Chris & Mary Ferris, Laura Hacker, CrystalHolmes, Joseph Grieco, Frank Gallagher, Roy George, Dorothy Mackey, Deacon Mark Leonard, Frank Martizello, Kathy Miller, Jacqueline Mirandi, Timothy Murphy, Bunny Muzzonigro, Stephen Muzzonigro, Carolyn Noonan, Christina Noonan, Edmund Noonan, Peggy Prostler, Barbara Randazzo, Charles Shea, Sisters of St. Joseph, James Russell Smith, Regina Sass, Dorothy Sokol, Walter Straut, Bill Thompson, Marguerite Usher, Eric and Sally Van Benschoten, Reese Marie Van Benschoten, Maureen and Max Viola, Debbie Weaver, Patrick Weaver, 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

#### If you have any needs

Please call the office during office hours or our priest Rev. Paul J. Mijas (838)-910-9889



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