

# SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



*Sacred Heart Church  
543 Main Street  
Margaretville,  
NY 12455*



*St. Anne's Mission Church  
375 Main Street,  
Andes,  
NY 13731*



## OCTOBER 23<sup>RD</sup>, 2022 – 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### RECTORY AND PARISH OFFICE

38 Academy Street  
Margaretville, NY 12455  
(845) 586 – 2665

#### Office Hours:

Tuesday-1:00pm – 4:00pm  
Thursday-9:15am – 3:00pm

### MAIL & DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS

**Letters/Envelopes:** PO BOX 909, Margaretville, NY 12455  
**Packages/Boxes:** 38 Academy Street, Margaretville, NY 12455

Visit us: [www.sacredheartmargaretville.org](http://www.sacredheartmargaretville.org)  
Parish email: [shcatholicchurch@icloud.com](mailto:shcatholicchurch@icloud.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 Sundays at 2:00 pm.

### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Arrangements for weddings should be made at least six months prior to the marriage.

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please call Fr. Paul - (838) 910-9889

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Margaretville & Andes before Sunday Mass  
Margaretville also before weekday Masses  
or by appointment

**PRIEST:** Rev. Paul J Mijas - (838) 910-9889

**OPERATIONS MANAGER:** John Russell - (516) 455-4959

**SECRETARY:** Usha Tagliaferro - (845) 586-2665

#### TRUSTEES:

Doris Warner - (845) 586 - 2484

Todd Pascarella

#### FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR:

Joanne McLaughlin - (607) 437-4923

**MUSIC MINISTRY:** Richard Tucker

#### PARISH COUNCIL:

Ellie Aulino - (845) 586-4028

Bunnie Muzzonigro - (845) 676-3586

Francisco Duque - (845) 586-6248

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Joseph Grieco - (845) 676-4640

Rita Peterson - (607) 326-4019

Lisa Friscia

#### BUILDINGS & GROUNDS:

Sacred Heart Church - Bob Barrack

St. Anne's Church - Richard Powers - (845) 676-4055

#### LITURGICAL COMMITTEE:

Rita Peterson - (607) 326-4019

Joseph Grieco - (845) 676-4640

**HOSPITALITY:** Dick & Mary Colfer - (845) 586-3049

**OUTREACH:** Frank Canavan - (845) 586-3992

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Weekend Masses:

Sunday 10:00am – Sacred Heart Church

Sunday 12:00pm – St. Anne's Mission Church

#### Weekday Masses at Sacred Heart Church:

Tuesday 12:00pm & Wednesday 9:00am

\*First Saturday 9:00am – Sacred Heart Church

(Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary followed by Mass)

### 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.

**MASS INTENTIONS IN MARGARETVILLE, 10 AM**

Sunday, Oct. 23 + Jenner Kittle  
by Family  
Tuesday, Oct. 25 No intention  
Wed. Oct. 26 No intention  
Sunday, Oct. 30 + Mary Chesire  
by Daniel Chesire

**MASS INTENTIONS IN ANDES, 12 PM**

Sunday, Oct. 23 No intention  
Sunday, Oct. 30 No intention

**MARGARETVILLE, SUNDAY 10:00 AM**

Mary Mitchel (L) OCT. 23  
Todd Pascarella (EM)

Bill Thompson (L) OCT. 30  
Mary Colfer (EM)

**ANDES, SUNDAY 12:00 PM**

Doris (L) Oct. 23

Kelly (L) Oct. 30

**CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEER**

Lucy & Hollice Straut Oct. 23

Joaquina Mendoza & Veronica Sarabia Oct. 30

**STEWARDSHIP FOR LAST SUNDAY**

Sacred Heart Church \$ 963.00

Saint Anne's Church \$ 353.00

**PARISH OFFERING** \$ 1,316.00

"One thing I ask of you: Never be afraid of giving. There is a deep joy in giving, since what we receive is much more than what we give." St. Mother Teresa

# THANK YOU FOR GIVING!

Please remember our church in your Last Will.

**DIOCESAN APPEAL 2022-23**

[www.thediocesanappeal.org/](http://www.thediocesanappeal.org/)

**Our goal: \$14,330.00**

Our Parish ID: 1090DA

**PRESENTATION OF BREAD & WINE**

IF YOU ARE HAVING A MASS OFFERED FOR YOUR LOVED ONES ON THE WEEKEND, PLEASE BRING UP THE OFFERTORY GIFTS TO THE ALTAR.

**HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK**

Please call the Rectory if you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion but are unable to attend Mass due to a long term illness. I would be happy to visit the sick & elderly on Wednesday before first Friday of each month.

*Fr. Paul*

**Be the Lord's 'Witnesses' in prayer and support this World Mission Sunday**

Today, World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis reminds us that in Baptism we are all called by the Lord to be His missionaries: "You shall be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). Joining Catholics worldwide this Sunday, we offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to the Pope's missions.

Your prayers are most treasured, and they, along with financial help offered today, answer Christ's call to be His witnesses. Thank you!

**Prayers:**

If you want to request prayers for the sick, contact the Rectory, so their names could be added to the list for the month. 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.



*As often as you did it for one of my least brothers, you did it for me.*

**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.

## HOW TO MAKE A GOOD CONFESSION

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### EXAMINATION OF CONSCIENCE

In order to make a good Confession, you need to make an examination of conscience first. Recall the sins you have committed since your Baptism or your last Confession, whichever is most recent.

#### Have I violated the Ten Commandments?

1. I AM the Lord your GOD; you shall not have other gods before ME.

Do I love with all my heart the Lord who loves me and cares for me? Do I seek His presence, pray daily, and trust in Him, or have I failed to place Him first, or even betrayed Him through occult practices?

2. You shall not take the name of the Lord your GOD in vain.

Do I revere God's name, or have I taken it lightly, carelessly, or blasphemously, even wishing evil on others? Have I receive Him worthily in Holy Communion, or did I receive Him in a state of mortal sin? (Mortal sin: grave matter, full knowledge, and full consent of the will)

3. Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day.

Do I worship the Lord by taking part in Mass on Sunday and Holy Days, or have I been indifferent to the Eucharist, to Christ's redeeming love, preferring earthly goods for my family and self by deliberately missing Mass on a Sunday or Holy Days of Obligation? Is Sunday my day of rest?

4. Honor your father and your mother.

Have I loved, respected, and obeyed my parents who gave me life? Do I care for them when they are in need or in old age? Do I forgive them when they are at fault? In difficulties, am I patient with them?

5. You shall not kill.

Have I loved my neighbor, or have I physically harmed or hastened the death of another through violence, abortion, euthanasia, drugs, hatred, the morning-after pill, or abuse? Have I practiced ways of life that are harmful to my family and self – spiritually and physically? Do I eat or drink immoderately?

6. and 9. You shall not commit adultery; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife.

Have I been pure and holy in thoughts, words, and actions, or have I been unfaithful to my spouse or desirous on another? Have I been sexually active outside of marriage, or with another of the same sex? Have I indulged in pornography, masturbation, contraception, and other sexual sins? Have I acted against my conscience and led others into sexual sin?

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Classes are held on Sundays after 10:00 am Mass – for more information call Joanne McLaughlin (607) 437-4923.



### *The Courage to Speak and to Act Against Abortion*

The mother's womb should be the very safest place for a child. Tragically, it has become the most dangerous location- more dangerous than any battlefield or terrorist target. In some cities, about 40 percent of pregnancies end in abortion.

To defend these innocent children and to speak and act on their behalf takes courage. Perhaps family and friends may not like our pro-life stance. Perhaps we may lose business. We all know people who have had an abortion so perhaps we do not want to offend a relative or loved one. It is all too easy to make excuses or make calculations in our minds and hearts, which often results in paralyzed inaction and apathy.

We are always told of reasons why we cannot speak up against abortion. If the priest speaks in Church, he will be rebuked by some who will try to argue it's too political; if we speak in the political arena, we are told it's too religious. If we speak in the media, we are told it's too disturbing; in our schools and colleges, it's too disruptive. On the public streets, it's too distressing for children; in the business world it's too 'controversial', in the family it's too divisive, and in social settings, it's too impolite or politically incorrect.

So, if abortion is plainly wrong and inhumane (which it most definitely is), how do we do what is right and where do we go to say so? The unambiguous answer is that we must stop looking for a risk-free place to fight abortion, and have the courage to speak up in all these arenas!

Let's stop counting the cost to ourselves if we speak up and start counting the cost to the innocent children, if we remain silent.





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