

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*



DECEMBER 10TH, 2023 – SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

RECTORY AND PARISH OFFICE

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

Office Hours:

Monday -10:00 am – 4:00 pm
or by appointment

MAIL & DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS

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

Visit us: www.sacredheartmargaretville.org

Parish email: SHMargar@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 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 the Office

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

PRIEST: *Rev. Paul J Mijas*

TRUSTEES:

*Richard Colfer – (607) 435-0524
Todd Pascarella*

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR:

Joanne McLaughlin - (607) 437-4923

MUSIC MINISTRY: *Richard Tucker*

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

*Joseph Grieco - (845) 676-4640
Rita Peterson - (607) 326-4019
Lisa Friscia*

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS:

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

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

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Sunday 10:00am – Sacred Heart Church

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

Weekday Masses at Sacred Heart Chapel (Rectory)

Please look at Mass intentions for the day and time...

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.

SACRED HEART PARISH

Sacred Heart Church/Margaretville & St. Anne's Mission Church/Andes

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, and 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. Welcome!

MASSSES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, December 10, 2023

10:00 am — Mass: Sacred Heart Church

+ Nana & Joe Cromwell, Req. Cindy Cromwell

Monday, December 11, 2023

9:00 am — Mass: Sacred Heart Chapel

Tina & James Peters, Req. JMcL

Sunday, December 17, 2023

10:00 am — Mass: Sacred Heart Church

+ Norma Kittle, Req. The Kittle Family

Sunday, December 10, 2023

12:00 pm — Mass: St. Anne's

+ Edmund Brian Noonan

Sunday, December 17, 2023

12:00 pm — Mass: St. Anne's

+ Stephen Muzzonigro,
Req. Bunny Muzzonigro



Masses are available for intention requests,

so contact the Rectory with yours.

PRESENTATION OF BREAD & WINE

If you are having a Mass offered for your loved ones, please bring up the offertory gifts TO THE ALTAR.

Prayers for Lighting the Advent Wreath Candles



To use your Advent wreath, put it in a prominent place during the four weeks of Advent, light a new candle every Sunday, and pray the following prayers.

Second Week: (light two purple candles)

God of power and mercy, open our hearts in welcome. Remove the things that hinder us from receiving Christ with joy so that we may share His wisdom and become one with Him when He comes in glory, for He lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. ~AMEN.

PARISH SUPPORT (Dec. 3)



Margaretville: \$ 930.00

Andes: \$ 185.00

Thank you for your dedication
and service to our Parish!



If you would like to receive envelopes for your weekly contribution to our Parish please let us know: (845) 586-2665. Thank you!



LECTOR SCHEDULE

DATE	MARGARETVILLE	ANDES
Dec. 10	Bill Thompson	Bunny Muzzonigro
Dec. 17	Mary Mitchell	Joe Grieco

E.M. SCHEDULE

Dec. 10	Todd Pascarella
Dec. 17	Mary Colfer

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEKEND
IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO CLEAN THE CHURCH ON THE SCHEDULED DATE PLEASE FIND A SUBSTITUTE. THANK YOU.

Dec. 9/10 Lucy & Hollice Straut
Dec. 16/17 J. Mendoza, V. Sarabia & B. L. Romero

MASS ATTENDANCE FOR LAST SUNDAY

Margaretville: 83

Andes: 8

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Karolina Capasso, Dan Chesire, Paul Gadargian, Bob Motto

REMEMBERING LOVED ONES



The Sanctuary Candle (\$ 20.00) & Bread and Wine (\$ 15.00) at Sacred Heart & St. Anne's is available for dedication. Please contact the Rectory.



Readings for Next Sunday: Is 61:1-2A, 10-11 | Lk 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54 | 1 Thes 5:16-24 | Jn 1:6-8, 19-28

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

THE CONSEQUENCES OF ROE V. WADE

65,278,137

Total abortions since 1973

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SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Today, Dec. 10 — Christmas Flowers Offering

Next Sunday, Dec. 17 — HELP THE VICTIMS of fire on Friday, Dec. 1st in Stamford

*The BREAD & WINE
For the week of Dec. 10 thru Dec. 17*



In Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Req. Mrs. Mitchell

*The Living Flame of the Sanctuary Lamp
will burn for the week of Dec. 10 thru Dec. 17*

In Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Req. Mrs. Mitchell



The Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Church

Thank you to all who supported our efforts for the Community Food Pantry in October. Several bags were delivered mid-month as well as on Monday, Oct. 30th.

Our next "Food Pantry Sunday" will be **Dec. 17th**. Items suggested are: canned sweet or white potatoes, stuffing mix, or cubes, turkey or chicken gravy, canned meats... anything on the earlier list. Donations can be brought on any Sunday.

If you have questions, or would like to help transport, call Pat Tucker @ 607-326-4692.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE



Sunday, Dec. 24 (Christmas Eve):

8:00 am in Grand Gorge

11:00 am in Margaretville

NO 12 PM in Andes

4:00 pm in Margaretville (Spanish)

6:00 pm in Stamford

Monday, Dec. 25 (Christmas Day):

8:00 am in Grand Gorge

10:00 am in Margaretville

11:00 am in Stamford

12:00 pm in Andes

It is the second week of Advent!

During Advent... talk to your family about how you are doing in attending to your spiritual life as a family. Re-commit yourselves to praying daily, reading Scripture, and staying faithful to God's commandments. Pray together that through this Advent season your family will be more prepared to receive Jesus when He comes again. Advent has a twofold character:

- as a season to prepare for Christmas when Christ's first coming to us is remembered;
- as a season when that remembrance directs the mind and heart to await Christ's Second Coming at the end of time.

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