

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



April 12, 2026 – Sunday of Divine Mercy

RECTORY AND PARISH OFFICE

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

Call the Parish Office for an 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 Fr. Paul - (607) 652 – 7170

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

PASTOR: Our Lord Jesus Christ

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

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Kelly Bauer – (845) 586-2665

TRUSTEES:

Richard Colfer – (607) 435-0524

Laura Sanford – (845) 586-6255

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR:

Kelly Bauer – (845) 853-3001

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Joseph Grieco - (845) 676-4640

Rita Peterson - (607) 326-4019

Lisa Friscia

Todd Pascarella

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS:

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

HOSPITALITY:

Dick & Mary Colfer - (845) 586-3049

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend:

Sunday 10:00 am – Sacred Heart Church

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

Weekday Mass at Sacred Heart Chapel (Rectory):

Monday 9:00 am

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 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. Our church activities are regularly publicized in our bulletin and posted in our church. We all have unique and valuable gifts and talents with which we can serve God and each other. Welcome!



Sunday, April 12, 2026

10:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Halina & Jan Witkowski, req. Family

Monday, April 13, 2026

9:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Rectory
† Thomas Peterson, req. Peterson Family

Sunday, April 19, 2026

10:00 AM — Mass: Sacred Heart Church
† Thompson Family, req. Bill Thompson

Sunday, April 12, 2026

12:00 PM — Mass: St. Anne's Church
† Ed Klan, req. Kelly Bauer

Sunday, April 19, 2026

12:00 PM — Mass: St. Anne's Church
No Intention

Please contact us:

Masses are available for intention request



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



Church Cleaning

April 10—11 Joaquina & Veronica
April 17—18 Dick & Bernie

Many thanks for keeping our church so beautiful.

We need more volunteers to clean our church. If you would like to offer this sacrifice up to our Lord please call 845-586-2665 and you will be put on the list.

If you are unable to clean the church on the scheduled date, please find a substitute.



Weekly Offering



PARISH SUPPORT

March 05, 2026

Margaretville	\$ 1,223.00
2nd Collection	\$
Andes	\$ 454.00
2nd Collection	\$

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

MASS ATTENDANCE FOR LAST SUNDAY

Margaretville: 111
Andes: 42 + 5



ON-LINE GIVING



*"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*

Electronically giving has been made easy! Donate today by going to our website at <https://sacredheartmargaretville.org> and clicking "Donate", follow very simple instructions.
START GIVING ON-LINE TODAY. THANK YOU!

2nd Collection for April 2026

April 12, 2026: Bulletin



DATE	MARGARETVILLE	ANDES
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LECTOR SCHEDULE

April 12, 2026	Bill Thompson	Barbara Ballo
April 19, 2026	Laura Sanford	Joe Grieco

EM SCHEDULE

April 12, 2026	Mary Colfer
April 19, 2026	Pat Gonzalez

Readings for Next Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33 | Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11 | 1 Pt 1:17-21 | Lk 24:13-35

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



Pray For Me

Albert Brancaccio
Marianne Gohrig

Lucy Straut

Michaela Valkavich

ADORATION

Every Friday in Stamford
At 11am with Mass to follow.
Come, share some private time with your
Lord!

Join us for the Rosary at 9:30 before 10 am Mass, Sundays.

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.



If you would like to put an announcement in the bulletin, please contact Kelly Bauer at the church rectory one week prior to when the announcement needs to be announced. The bulletin is sent in for printing a week in advance. Thank you.



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WHAT CHRISTIANS
BELIEVE
UNDERSTANDING THE NICENE CREED



BISHOP ROBERT BARRON
Foreword by Matthew Lescing

Join Us!

SACRED HEART PARISH
BOOK & FILM CLUB
MONDAY, APRIL 20 @ 5:30PM
LOCATION: MARGARETVILLE RECTORY

Join us to discuss the Nicene Creed, recited at every Catholic mass. Read the book, watch the video series, and/or research on your own. Free books available in the lobby of Sacred Heart church.

Request to join the email list:
tanya@pulvercap.com



ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

The Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Church “Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for Him” - Luke 3:4

We invite you to help bring light and hope to families in need this Winter season.

Donations of non-perishable food 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.

Community Pantry: Fridays 4pm-6pm and Saturdays 10am-12pm
42838 Rt 28 Arkville, NY 12406 P.O. Box 702, Margaretville, NY 12544
(845) 586-2233



Diocesan Appeal

Sacred Heart Assessment is
\$11,093.00.

Sacred Heart Parish 2025/2026

Please give!

Some of you have already received
your
donation requests from the Diocese.
You have to mail it directly to Albany using special Diocesan Appeal envelope.

Total Raised: \$8,226.94

Thank you!

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO HAVE DONATED TO OUR WEEKLY BULLETIN FUND.

Thoughts on Prayer
from the DRCC
www.dslcny.org



Thoughts on Prayer from the DRCC

With all this crazy weather going from warm to cold and back again, there is quite a bit of mud. Mud is kind of a blessing and a curse. Babies and little ones love to play in it. Some animals live in it. Others of us work on not slipping on it or getting a vehicle stuck in it.

So we pray for the mud lovers:

- ~ For the children who entertain themselves with the fascinating medium
- ~ For potters who use mud like clay to create things of use and beauty
- ~ For toads, newts, salamanders, water birds and other animals who find their food and homes in mud like areas

And for those who find mud difficult (actually or figuratively):

- ~ For those who are stuck in the mud and need assistance
- ~ For those who have been slip sliding on the mud, and need a little clean up or medical attention
- ~ For those whose thoughts or memories are muddy

God give us the grace to enjoy the mud, appreciate the mud, or simply accept the mud.

Be well and be at peace!

This reflection is also posted on our website dslcny.org



Our weekly bulletin helps keep our parish family informed and united in faith. We're seeking donations to help cover the printing costs. If you would like to contribute, please mark your gift "Bulletin Support" and drop it in the collection or bring it to the parish office.

Our Goal: \$3,640.00

We have Collected: \$795.00

Balance: \$2,845.00

As of this Bulletin we have used \$839.08. We will have a special collection this week for the bulletin. Please be generous so we can continue to keep you all informed.

Faith and Reason Revival Shroud Presentation

Presentation
is PG 13



Collaboration with Othonia, Rome

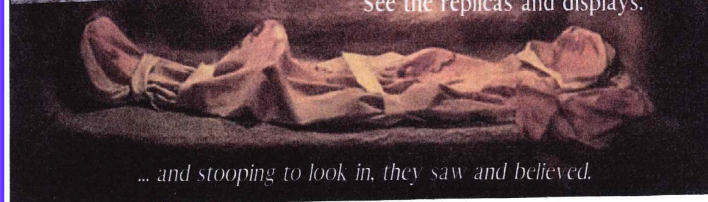
Presenter: Bill Lauto

Shroud Scientist certified by the Pontifical University of Science and Faith, Rome Italy

2000 years ago Jesus' last miracle was for us to see today with our modern technology. The scientific facts all started with Jesus Leaving us a photograph of himself!



Come with your family & friends to learn the TRUTH about the Shroud of Turin. See the replicas and displays.



... and stooping to look in, they saw and believed.

Saturday, April 25 8:30am – 3:30pm

Lunch will be provided and Mass celebrated at 4:00pm

Sacred Heart Church

15 Liberty Street

Sidney, N.Y.

\$5 Registration fee

RSVP by April 11: 607-563-7066,

formingfaith@gmail.com or QR code



As an organization, we at LifeFirst believe that the defense of innocent human life from conception until natural death is the moral and civic issue of our time.