

**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, Holy Cross  
Level II, 2023-2024 (Sunday, 10:50am-12:30pm)**

Date:	Group Work: Done in Collective	Left Bold = Collective; Right Bold = 1 <sup>st</sup> Sacraments
9/17/24	<b>Intro to Atrium &amp; Prayer Corner)</b> CGS Session 1	
9/24/23	<b>Enthronement of the Bible</b> CGS Session 2	
10/1/23	<b>Geography &amp; Gestures</b> CGS Session 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Prayer</u>: Prayer Cards, <b>Our Father</b>, Comunal, candle lighting</li> <li>• <u>Nomenclature</u>: Altar Cards, booklet, collage, liturgical calendar</li> <li>• <u>History of KG</u>: Blue Strip, History of the Gifts, 3 Moments chart</li> <li>• <u>Good Shepherd</u>: <b>Good Shepherd</b>, <b>EP national</b>, PS 23</li> <li>• <u>Moral Life</u>: <b>Found Sheep</b>, Found Coin, <b>Maxims</b></li> <li>• <u>Gestures</u>: Personal Gestures, Level I expanded</li> <li>• <u>Geography</u>: Globe/Map, Puzzle Map, Pin Maps, Booklets, Packets</li> </ul>
10/8/23	<b>No Class - Hospitality</b>	
10/15/23	<b>La Fettuccia Meditation</b> CGS Session 4	
10/22/23	<b>No Class - MEA</b>	
10/29/23	<b>La Fettuccia</b> CGS Session 5	
11/5/23	<b>Blue Strip</b> CGS Session 6	
11/12/23	<b>Parables</b> CGS Session 7	
11/19/23	CGS Session 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Prophecies</u>: Star/Scepter, Hills/Valleys, Shoot, Peaceable Kingdom</li> <li>• <u>Infancy Narratives</u>: Annunciation, Visitation, Nativity/Shepherds, Magi, Flight to Egypt</li> <li>• <u>Holy Bible</u>: BoB Med., Materials, Charts, How to Use, Calligraphy               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Bible Study</u>: Good Shepherd, True Vine, Found Sheep/Coin</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <u>Moral Life</u>: <b>Summary of the Law</b></li> <li>• <u>1<sup>st</sup> Sacraments</u>: <b>Signs/Gestures of Baptism, Cenacle, Synthesis of the Eucharist</b></li> </ul>
11/26/23	<b>No Class - Thanksgiving</b>	
12/3/23	<b>Prophecies &amp; Infancy Narratives</b> CGS Session 9	
12/10/23	<b>Prophecies &amp; Infancy Narratives</b> CGS Session 10	
Wed 12/13	First Communicants ONLY	
12/17/23	<b>No Class - Hospitality</b>	
12/24/24	<b>No Class - Christmas Break</b>	
12/31/24	<b>No Class - Christmas Break</b>	
1/7/24	<b>Synthesis of Infancy Narratives</b> CGS Session 11	
1/14/24	<b>Good Shepherd &amp; Parables</b> CGS Session 12	
Wed 1/17	First Communicants ONLY	
1/21/24	No Class - Hospitality	
1/28/24	<b>Good Shepherd &amp; Parables</b> CGS Session 13	
2/4/24	<b>Bury Alleluias</b> CGS Session 14	
2/11/24	<b>No Class - Hospitality</b>	
2/18/24	<b>Eucharistic Presence of Good Shepherd</b> CGS Session 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Mystery of KG</u>: Growing Seed, Synthesis, Mustard Seed, Pearl</li> <li>• <u>Good Shepherd</u>: Wolf/Hireling, <b>EP international</b>, PS 23</li> <li>• <u>Moral Life</u>: Sower, Good Samaritan, Pharisee/Tax Collector, Insistent Friend, 10 Bridesmaids</li> <li>• <u>Gestures</u>: Level I expanded, Peace/Breaking of Bread, Mystery of</li> </ul>
2/25/24	<b>Eucharistic Presence of Good Shepherd (International)</b>	

	CGS Session 16	<b>Faith, Missal</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Paschal Mystery:</b> Mystery of Life/Death, City of Jerusalem, Passion Narratives</li> <li>• <b>Sacramental Prep:</b> <b>True Vine I, II, Twin Parables of Mercy, Loving Father, Centurion's Servant, Rite of Reconciliation, Act of Contrition, Retreat</b></li> <li>• Signs/Gestures of Baptism, Cards, Rite of Baptism</li> <li>• The Empty Tomb</li> <li>• Pentecost Meditation (Acts/Isaiah)</li> </ul>
3/3/24	<b>Mystery of Life and Death</b>	
	CGS Session 17	
3/10/24	<b>No Class - Hospitality</b>	
Wed 3/13	<b>First Communicants ONLY</b>	
3/17/24	<b>Cenacle (Last Supper)</b>	
	CGS Session 18	
3/24/24	<b>The Origin of the Eucharist</b>	
	CGS Session 19	
3/31/24	<b>No Class - Easter Sunday!</b>	
4/7/24	<b>Baptism</b>	
	CGS Session 20	
4/14/24	<b>Liturgy of Light</b>	
	CGS Session 21	
4/21/24	<b>No CGS - Hospitality</b>	
4/28/24	<b>Empty Tomb</b>	
	CGS Session 22	
5/5/24	<b>Gifts Strip</b>	
	CGS Session 23	
5/12/24	<b>No Class</b>	
5/19/24	<b>Pentecost Celebration</b>	
	CGS Session 24	
	End of Year Mass & Social	

<b>Hospitality hosted by Faith Formation 10:40am-12:30pm</b>
September 17th
October 8th
December 17th
January 21st
February 11th
March 10th
April 21st

<b>Parent Gatherings</b>
Social - Sunday, September 24, 2023
Formation - Sunday, October 29, 2023
Social - Sunday, December 10, 2023
Social - Sunday, January 28, 2024
Formation - Sunday, February 25, 2024
Social - Sunday, March 17, 2024
Formation - Sunday, April 14, 2024

<b>Important First Communion Dates</b>
First Confessions - Saturday February 24 <sup>th</sup> 10am
Communion Retreat - Saturday April 20th 9:00am-4:30pm
First Communion - Sunday April 28th at 9:30am Mass