

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd: Where we invite the smallest children into the greatest Love

“Help me come closer to God by myself” is the unspoken plea of every child. **The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** invites children from age three to discover and deepen that relationship - through Bible, liturgy and physical materials that invite contemplation.

In the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, we believe that the richest teachings should be given to the youngest. It is as if they are made for this and always hunger for more.

Events in Scripture and moments of liturgy are linked together with beautiful materials that are placed in the child’s hands. This method nurtures the loving bond between God and the child and helps develop a path for the child to walk through life in faith, understanding and hope!

What parents are saying...

...the Atrium [the room where this catechesis takes place] has been a perfect environment for my children to fall in love with God and all the wonders of the Church. For them it has been a living catechism.

...this program has been such a blessing for our family... we have seen the fruits, blessings and graces flow from our children in many ways - through words, actions, song and prayer!

From a pastor...

As a pastor in a parish which uses this, I can say that it has been a great blessing to our parish. The commitment of the facilitators and the depth of understanding by the students has been extraordinary.

For more information, check out: <http://www.cgsac.ca/> and <http://www.cgsusa.org/>



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Catechist Formation Program Level I

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
5488 Roblin Blvd., Winnipeg, MB**

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