



# Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Children's Christian Formation Ages 3-Kindergarten

## “Where a child can fall in love with God”

**St. Francis Borgia will be offering Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) beginning in Fall of 2021!** CGS is a Montessori-based approach to the religious formation of children, rooted in Sacred Scripture, Liturgy, and respect for the child's rich relationship with God.

The catechists who train to work with the children will participate in nearly 100 hours of formation and will prepare a special environment for the children, which is called the Atrium. *Please join us in praying for the those who are called to this ministry.*

### Opportunities to learn more and get involved:

- † **Sunday, Feb. 14: Falling in Love with God** - *After the 10a.m. Mass, North Church Hall*  
The Office of Child and Family Formation will host a “Seed Planting” for parents, grandparents, potential catechists and all who are interested in learning more about this new ministry that will be established in our community.
  
- † **Saturday and Sunday, April 10 and 11: Divine Mercy for Children** - *After all Masses*  
The Office of Child and Family Formation will have a table in the gathering space after all weekend Masses. Come see some CGS “works”, pick up some information, and meet a catechist!
  
- † **Sunday, May 16: Atrium Open House** - *After the 10 a.m. Mass, North Church Hall, Good Shepherd Atrium* Please join us for an open house / tour of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium. Our catechists will be happy to share with you materials that will allow our young people to fall in love with Jesus and his Church.

To learn more about the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd at St. Francis Borgia, please contact Catie Weasler at [WeaslerC@SFBChurch.org](mailto:WeaslerC@SFBChurch.org) or visit [www.CGSUSA.org](http://www.CGSUSA.org).

