

# Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

## Level I Training working with children 3 to 6 years old

### St. Patrick's Episcopal Church

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) training is a unique experience for the Adult. You arrive open to discover how to help the child build their relationship with God, though as a gift you yourself build a closer relationship with God through the child.

The Catechist through a retreat like experience enjoys the moments of the presentations, meditates on the essential message, and discusses the doctrines of presentations. Through the group writing of the Album pages the catechists has presentations to take back to their church which prepares them to work with the children.

CGS uses the Montessori method to present scripture and the sacraments to children. Through wondering questions and hands on material the children dive deep into the meanings of the scriptures and prayers. These presentations they can repeat on their own during their work time.

This method of faith formation was developed by Sofia Cavalletti a scripture scholar and Gianna Gobi a Montessorian in 1954.

**Formation Location:** St. Patrick's Episcopal Church,  
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**Dates and Times of Course to be offered :**

**Fridays 6 pm to 9 pm  
and Saturdays 9 am to 6 pm**

**2015:** September 11-12, October: 16-17, November 6-7, December 4-5

**2016:** January 8-9, February 5-6, March 17-18, April 15-16

This one weekend a month formate allows the catechist the experience of working with children while receiving



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