



GOOD SHEPHERD

Catholic Community

The people were astonished at Jesus' teaching,
for he taught them as one having authority.

MARK 1:22

FOURTH *Sunday* *in* ORDINARY TIME

January 31, 2021

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IN WELCOMING ALL, WE FORM DISCIPLES WHO KNOW, LOVE, AND SERVE GOD AND NEIGHBOR.

Welcome! We're so glad you're here.

At Good Shepherd, we seek to foster a lifestyle of discipleship focused on the five characteristics of a disciple: **welcome**, **encounter**, **grow**, **serve**, and **share**. Learn more at gssc.net/disciples

If you are visiting, we hope you will stop by our Welcome Desk in the Narthex for a gift! If you'd like to become a member, visit gssc.net/register. To learn more about becoming Catholic, visit gssc.net/becomingcatholic

Weekend Masses:

Sat: 5:00pm | Sun: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, & 4:00pm

Daily Masses:

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat: 8:30am

Tues: 7:00am | Thurs: 7:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Mon: 9:00am | Thurs: 6:00pm

Sat: 3:00 - 4:30pm

By appointment: 817-421-1387

Sacrament of Anointing: Please see a priest after Mass or contact the parish office: 817-421-1387

Sacrament of Baptism: To register for Pre-Baptism Class, visit gssc.net

Sacrament of Matrimony: Before scheduling your wedding, contact the parish office to begin preparing for the Sacrament at least eight months prior.

Marriage Validations: To have your marriage validated as a sacrament by the Church, contact Tammy Sandoval: 817-421-1387

Funeral Rites: Before making arrangements with the funeral director, contact Brian Bacon: 817-421-1387

Eucharistic Adoration:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Thursday, Sunday: 5:30-8:30pm

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Sat: 9:00am - 5:00pm | Sun: 8:00am - 5:00pm

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This Week at a Glance

A = Adults | Y = Youth | P = Parish-Wide (varied ages)

Monday, February 1

- A// RCIA 7:00pm (Rooms St. Maria Goretti & St. Elizabeth of Hungary)

Tuesday, February 2

- A// That Man is You 5:30am (Parish Hall Center)
- A// Women Growing in Faith: Acts 9:30am (Online)
- A// Women Growing in Faith: Wisdom 9:30am (Online)
- A// Men's Scripture Study: Acts 9:30am (Online)
- A// Parish Choir Rehearsal 6:00pm (Church)
- A// Women's Choral Rehearsal 7:00pm (Church)
- A// Mending the Heart 7:00pm (via Zoom)
- A// Schola Cantorum Rehearsal 8:00pm (Church)

Wednesday, February 3

- Y// Renovate 6:30pm (Shepherd Center)

Thursday, February 4

- A// Modern Worship Rehearsal 3:00pm (Church)
- A// GriefShare 7:00pm (via Zoom)

Saturday, February 6

- P// Super Casino Night 7:00pm (Online)

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Now Hiring!



GSSC is now hiring a Bookkeeper. If you are interested in learning more and applying, please visit gssc.net/employment.

Last Weekend's Mass Attendance

In Person Masses

5:00pm: 319 | 7:00am: 97 | 9:00am: 369 | 11:00am: 423 | 4:00pm: 277
Total: 1,485

Virtual Live-Stream Masses

5:00pm: 84 | 9:00am: 148 | 11:00am: 60 | 4:00pm: 30
Total: 322

All Time Views of Virtual Live-Stream Masses

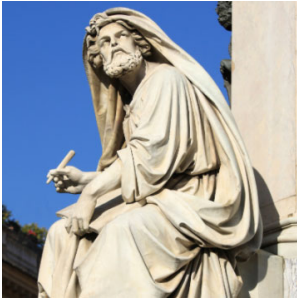
5:00pm: 695 | 9:00am: 859 | 11:00am: 556 | 4:00pm: 358
Total: 2,468

Has your contact information or address changed?

Email Bryan Trachier: btrachier@gssc.net

Weekly Reflection

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time | January 31



FALSE PROPHETS, TRUE PROPHETS

In Deuteronomy today we hear that God's very words will fill the mouth of a true prophet, but a false prophet will, in a manner of speaking, put mere mortal words into God's mouth. In Mark's Gospel, we see Jesus teaching and healing as a true prophet, one filled with the

authority of God's own voice, the Holy One of God.

The whole history of our church is filled with both true and false prophets. But in today's Gospel we learn that Jesus' fame spread because he taught with authority; he wasn't an authority because he was popular or famous. We also learn from him, in his desert temptation confrontations with Satan, that anyone can quote scripture, even against God's purposes. And today we hear that his authority was not like that of the scribes, who held the official positions of religious authority in his day. Our work is to do our best to discern the true prophets in our midst, and to be true prophets as well. The psalmist tells us how to do this: by not hardening our hearts when God speaks. If we truly listen to God, it will be God's very words filling our mouths.

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Special Collection

Share YOUR Faith

Support the Collection for the Church in Latin America



Thank you for your generous support last week of the Collection for the Church in Latin America. As a parish, we collected \$1,270.00, which will be used to share the faith with our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean so they in turn can share the Good News with others. If you missed the collection, there is still time to give

by making an online donation at
bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections.

Mass Readings & Intentions: 2/1 - 2/7

Mon 8:30am	Heb 11:32-40; Mk 5:1-20 +Stephen Miller by Harold & Concepcion Miller
Tues 7:00am 8:30am	Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 +Stephen Miller by the Miller family +Joyce Sample by Maria Upperman
Wed 8:30am	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Mk 6:1-6 +Felino Encarnado by the Tubera family
Thurs 4:00pm	Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Mk 6:7-13 Susan Guzman by Rosemary Bianco
Fri 10:00am	Heb 13:1-8; Mk 6:14-29 +David Prunte by the Prunte family
Sat 8:30am	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Mk 6:30-34 For families of miscarried babies by Respect Life

SUNDAY

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

Sat 5:00pm	+Leslie Kane by the Clarke family
Sun 7:00am	Living & Deceased of our Parish by the Pastor
Sun 9:00am	+Brett Deyo by Nancy Wesley
Sun 11:00am	+Augustine Osih by the Ogboje family
Sun 4:00pm	+James Farley by Kathleen Farley

New Liturgy Schedule

As of February 1, 2021, the following liturgical schedule will be implemented:

Weekend Masses:

5:00pm Vigil Mass on Saturdays
7:00am (no music), 9:00am, 11:00am, and 4:00pm on Sundays

Daily Mass:

8:30am on Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., & Sat.
7:00am on Tuesdays
7:00pm on Wednesdays

Reconciliation:

9:am on Mondays
6:00pm on Wednesdays
7:00pm on Thursdays
3:30-4:30pm on Saturdays

Adoration (in the Chapel):

9:00am-12:00pm on Mon., Tues., Thurs., & Fri.
5:30-8:30pm on Wednesdays & Sundays

WELCOME



A disciple WELCOMES God's people.

As a community of faith, we welcome all who come through our doors as Jesus Christ, and we challenge each member of Good Shepherd to practice radical hospitality by actively seeking out and inviting others to Good Shepherd.

Be Disciples. Make Disciples.

Vocations Corner

Third Order Regular: Franciscan Rule and Life Chapter IV: The Life of Chastity for the Sake of the Kingdom

14. Let the brothers and the sisters keep in mind how great a dignity the Lord God has given them because He created them and formed them in the image of His beloved Son according to the flesh and in His own likeness according to the Spirit. Since they are created through Christ and in Christ, they have chosen this form of life which is founded on the words and deeds of our Redeemer.

15. Professing chastity for the sake of the kingdom of heaven, they are to care for the things of the Lord and they have nothing else to do except to follow the will of the Lord and to please Him. In all of their works the love of God and all people should shine forth.

16. They are to remember that they have been called by a special gift of grace to manifest in their lives that wonderful mystery by which the Church is joined to Christ her spouse.

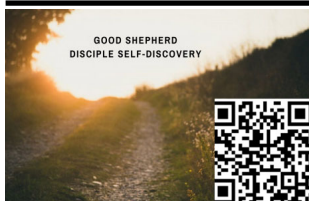
17. Let the brothers and sisters keep the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God and of our Lord Jesus Christ, ever before their eyes. Let them do this according to the exhortation of St. Francis who held Holy Mary, Lady and Queen, in highest veneration since she is the virgin made church. Let them also remember that the immaculate Virgin Mary, whose example they are to follow, called herself the handmaid of the Lord.

Parish E-Newsletter



Are you receiving our weekly e-newsletter? To receive updates on important info and events, visit **gssc.net** and scroll to the footer on any page to sign up!

New OR Longtime Parishioner? Start Here!



Good Shepherd exists to call each of our members, wherever they are, to a lifestyle of discipleship that involves WELCOMING God's people, ENCOUNTERING Jesus Christ, GROWING in Jesus

Christ, SERVING God's people, and SHARING the Gospel. As we seek to live out these five characteristics of a disciple, we may find that we are a new, growing, or missionary disciple. Visit **gssc.net/disciplesroadmap** to take our Disciple Self-Discovery to see where YOU are on your journey as a disciple of Jesus. Your results will offer practical suggestions for taking the next step forward as a disciple.

Upcoming Gathering



Social Seniors

**Friday, February 5
12:00pm**

Colleyville Library

This is a ministry for senior aged parishioners. Join us to meet up with old friends and make some new ones!

We hope to renew our monthly lunch dates in the Spring. We have been meeting outdoors on the first Friday of each month at noon, depending on the weather. **gssc.net/socialseniors**

Stewardship Reflection

"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties." - 1 CORINTHIANS 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then pray for things instead of worrying about them.

Offer Prayers & Receive Prayers



Would you like prayers for a loved one? And/or, would you like to pray for others? Please visit our webpage at **gssc.net/prayerrequests** to submit a prayer request, and we will send out a prayer

request email to those who have signed up to pray for your loved one. You can also visit this web page to sign up to receive prayer emails so that we can intercede for our brothers and sisters in Christ. Do you have prayers of thanksgiving? Visit the web page above so that we can

Feed Our Friars



Do you like to cook? Our four friars love a homemade meal! Visit **gssc.net/FOF** to sign up or call Elly Lara: 817-421-1387.

A disciple ENCOUNTERS Jesus Christ.

We desire that parishioners, seekers, and guests experience the love of God the Father through a transformative encounter with Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit, leading them to commit their lives to Jesus as disciples.

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Feast of St. Blaise



**Wednesday, Feb. 3
7:00pm**
Mass with Blessing of the Throat

Stations of the Cross



**Fridays during Lent
(Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19)
6:00pm in the Church**
Join us as our Deacons lead us in "Everyone's Way of the Cross" by Clarence Enzler and published

by Ave Maria Press. Booklets will not be available, but all will participate by using the screens in the Church.

Sacraments Workshops

In an abundance of caution we are going to offer the Reconciliation and First Communion workshops as an at-home workshop or an on-site workshop.

There will be no cost for the at-home workshop. You will receive an emailed packet for your child to complete, as well as a video to watch together.

If you would like to attend the on-site option, we will be offering a single workshop for both sacraments. The workshop will be from 9:00am to 12:00 noon.

The first workshop will be held on March 27 from 9:00am to 12:00pm. The cost for this workshop will be \$20 to cover the supplies.

Please visit <https://gsc.net/sacraments-rites/first-communion/> to register and choose your preference of at home or on-site workshops. Once you select your option, you will receive a follow up email with further instructions. Thank you for your patience as we continue to navigate through these uncharted times.



Ash Wednesday Services

Ash Wednesday



**Wednesday, February 17
6:30am, 8:30am, 5:00pm,
and 7:00pm - Masses with
Distribution of Ashes
12:00pm - Distribution of
Ashes Service (no Mass)**

Ash Wednesday is not a

Holy Day of Obligation, but a humble way and reminder to begin your Lenten journey.

Lent: A Time of Spiritual Renewal



Wednesdays during Lent

7:30pm in the Church

Join Fr. Mike on Wednesday evenings during Lent, following the 7:00pm Mass, as he discusses the Five Elements of Franciscan Spirituality and how they are pillars for your spiritual renewal during this special season of Lent.

Feb 24 - Prayer

March 3 - Mercy

March 10 - Penance

March 17 - Mary

March 24 - Our Father

Holy Hour of Power

HOLY HOUR OF POWER

*Praise & Worship Music,
Incense, and Adoration*



**Friday, February 5
7:00pm in the Church or
Live-streamed on our
Facebook Page**

Join us for Adoration, praise and worship music, as well as incense as we gather

together to open our hearts to Jesus Christ. Deacon Rick Wright will be giving a reflection for meditation. If you can't join us in person, join us on our live-stream at

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GROW

A disciple **GROWS** in Jesus Christ.

We accompany all who have made a commitment to follow Christ as intentional disciples, walking with them and encouraging them to grow in divine intimacy with God.

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Statement of Faith - Joshua W



Faith and a Christ-centered life has always been part of my identity. I grew up in a home where knowing Jesus and having a personal relationship was encouraged. My parents were both heavily involved in our local Baptist church and I was involved with every children's pageant, youth retreat, usher ministry and children's choir activity you could think of. As I grew older, I began to question, "How is God real to me?" There was never a doubt that he was real, but I had to admit I hadn't explicitly heard his voice or felt his touch and it challenged the authenticity of my beliefs for a while. However, through my life I've begun to see God in unique ways and found his word to be an anchor to my soul.

When I was in high school, I took a hermeneutics and exegesis class (understanding how to interpret the bible) with my church youth group. This class helped me deepen my scholar understanding of doctrine and influenced my choosing a Christian school for undergrad. However, I still had moments of doubt and wanting more "realness" of God.

Attending Abilene Christian University was a great experience for meeting others who grew up in various faith backgrounds and who saw and felt things like I did. It helped foster a more devotional understanding of the Holy Spirit in my life. During college, I worked as a camp counselor for Pine Cove Christian camps and began to experience Christ's nearness in a unique way. I will never forget the moment of feeling an overwhelming peace while sitting out on the camp deck watching the sunset just in awe of creation. It would be the first of many times God would bring me back towards him

through his creation. Psalms 19:1 says, "The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands." While in college and onward, I was dating my now wife, Sarah, who grew up in the Catholic faith. I had always found the reverence for the sacraments and early Church history inspiring and fascinating but my upbringing in Protestant traditions made me question some of the tenets of the Catholic faith. But in my time getting to know Sarah and her family, I saw far more similarities between Catholic teachings and my understanding of being a Christ follower. As we attended Mass together and shared our reflections about following Jesus' example, the word "joy" became a recurring theme prompted by the Holy Spirit. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 reads: "Rejoice always. Pray continuously, give thanks in all situations. For this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." This verse has changed my life in many ways and has helped draw me back to God, even in my seasons of doubt. Working in the healthcare field, there have been several moments where God's presence is harder to recognize. However, when He did speak into our situations, He spoke with so much clarity that our only response was to trust God above all things.

As I come into full communion with the Catholic church, I recognize that I have so much to learn and be grateful for in pursuing Christ. How amazing is His grace to use us as imperfect as we are to be part of His story, and to be made in His image. The reality of who God is to me is celebrated with the sacraments of the Church but also is in seeing and hearing the stories of His people around the world. This journey thus far has shown that faith is not a passive process. It looks different for everyone but in all situations, God is the same.

**Joshua came into full communion with the Catholic church at the 4pm mass on Sunday, December 13th, 2020.*

Got Life Questions?



Bring your questions and join us for **Inquiry**, an 11-week "no obligation" dip into the basics of Spirituality. All ages are welcome! You can jump in anytime since the standalone topics repeat every 11

weeks. We gather Monday evenings at 7:00pm in the St. Louis of France room (enter through the West parking lot door - masks required). If you choose, you can then continue on an in-depth journey into Catholic beliefs through our Catholic education study group which also meets Monday evenings. For more details, visit <https://gsc.net/sacraments-rites/rcia> or contact Father Ronald 817-421-1387 / rmohnickey@gsc.net

Pre-Baptism Class



**Saturday, February 6
9:30am - 12:00pm**

Rooms 2-5

Learn more and register:

gsc.net/prebaptismclass
Parents must attend a Baptism Preparation class

within 2 years prior to the baptism. Baptism Classes are held once a month on Saturdays from 9:30am – 12pm at the parish. During this time, we are limited to only 10 participants per class. Please register to secure your spot. When you arrive, check in at the Parish Office Reception desk for classroom assignment.

DivorceCare

DIVORCED? SEPARATED? WE CAN HELP

DivorceCare is a weekly seminar/support group that will help you heal from the hurt. It's a warm, caring environment led by people who understand what you are going through. Gain hope for your future!

Contact us today for more information

Deborah Petasky, 817-421-1387
dpetasky@gsc.net
Register at
www.divorcecare.org/groups/129957
Begins March 1 at 7 PM
via Zoom Invite

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Experience Healing

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GSCC Singles 40+



**Thursday, January 29,
February 4, 12, 18, 26
7:00 - 9:00pm**

Single Adults 40+ will meet via Zoom on the first and third Thursdays at 7:00pm to discuss the Readings for the upcoming Sunday

Mass. On the second and fourth Fridays will be social get-togethers via Zoom at 7:00 p.m. with the option of meeting at a restaurant with an outdoor patio or open space. For details, email Claudia or Kate at singleadultsfortyplus@gsc.net or check out gsc.net/singles

Mending the Heart



**Tuesdays from February 2 - March 9
7:00pm via Zoom**

"The label 'divorced' does not define a person. It's an event that happened, but in no way is the sum total of who a person is." Lisa Duffy, author

Have you experienced or are you experiencing the pain of divorce and find yourself seeking answers to the annulment process? Know the difference

between myths, misconceptions and what the Catholic Church really teaches about marriage, divorce and annulments? Have you experienced a divorce and civilly remarried and now desire to have your marriage validated by the Church. Hope to remarry someday in the Church? This is a must read! Beginning February 2nd join our weekly online chapter discussion that will help you discover ways to move forward in finding hope and healing. Learn more and sign up at gsc.net/strita.

All Disciples Need a GROWth Spurt!



**Women Growing in Faith
Tuesdays, January 12 -
March 2
9:15 - 11:15am
Topic: *Wisdom: God's
Vision for Life***

Wednesday Evening Scripture Study

February 17 - March 24

7:00pm via Zoom

Topic: The Desert Journey of Lent

Instructor: Gene Giuliano

Thursday Morning Scripture Study

February 18 - March 25

10:00am via Zoom

Topic: Prophets of the Old Testament

Instructor: Jim McGill

Registration is open now! gsc.net/scripturestudy

Archangel Moms



**Archangel Moms Playdate
Monday, February 1 at
10:00am**

Join us for some outdoor fun at Parr Park in Grapevine. We would love to see friends that haven't

been able to join us in awhile and new friends, too, as we enjoy some fellowship while the little ones get out some energy. We will meet at 10am and stay as long as we can. Please feel free to pack your own lunch or snacks.

Archangel Moms Meeting

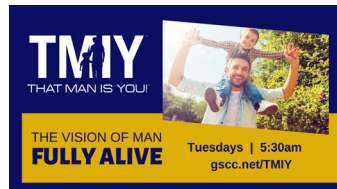
Monday, February 8 at 7:30pm

Leslie's Backyard

Join us for prayer and a discussion of Chapter 4 of our Spring book, The Story of a Soul. We're having a blast learning so much more about The Little Flower. Please remember to dress warmly and bring a blanket as we will be sitting outside in order to socially distance.

gsc.net/archangelmoms

That Man is You!



**Tuesdays, Jan. 19 - May 18
5:30am in the Parish Hall
Topic: The Bible and the
Virgin Mary. Written by Dr.
Scott Hahn**

Matthew Leonard captivates your attention. Scott Hahn yanks at your heartstrings

with his perfectly spoken scripture readings. This week's lesson is called "The Handmaid of the Lord". We hear about the power of devotion to prayer. Also, why we are called the Apostles Church. You will see all the miraculous births throughout salvation history and why Jesus' birth is called the last and the greatest!

gsc.net/tmiy



A disciple SERVES God's people.

We give our grateful response to God's gifts through a life of service to God and neighbor by daily personal prayer, by generously supporting the needs of the Church, and by participating in parish ministries and initiatives.

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Stephen Ministry

EXHAUSTED BY THE PANDEMIC?

YOU DON'T HAVE TO FACE IT ALONE.

A Stephen Minister can walk alongside you or a loved one to offer support and care—and it's free and confidential.

To learn more, please contact Keith or Jody Taylor at stephenministry@gsc.net



Prayer Shawls for Comfort & Support



Who Needs a Prayer Shawl?

This ministry is a wonderful way to demonstrate God's love, comfort, and mercy to people experiencing difficult times.

Members meet to knit and/or crochet as a group and pray over the shawls and lap blankets. If you prefer to knit or crochet on your own and then bring shawls to our ministry to pray over, simply bring your creations to the Parish Office and complete a donation card. As well, donations of regular worsted yarn are appreciated! You do not need to be a parishioner to receive a prayer shawl or blanket.

Visit gsc.net/prayershawlministry to learn more or contact prayershawl@gsc.net to request a prayer shawl.

Knights of Columbus Council #15789



First Monday of the Month 7:15pm | via Zoom

Seeking men interested in serving the parish & community!

American Heritage Girls (Ages 5 - 18)



Join American Heritage Girls, a premier character development program for girls ages 5 - 18, from Kindergarten to Grade 12! Learn more by visiting gsc.net/ahg

Have You Lost a Loved One?



Thursdays, Feb. 4 - April 29

7:00pm via Zoom

Are you struggling with the loss of someone you love? Receive help and encouragement after the

death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend. Through the use of video seminars, group discussion, and your personal workbook, you can move through the grieving process from mourning to peace. You may join us at any time, any week of the series. Learn more & register: gsc.net/griefshare

New Usher Training



**Sunday, January 31
12:30pm in the Sanctuary**

The Usher Ministry is in need of more ushers at all Masses. Please consider being part of this important

ministry. You must be 14 years or older to serve (or you can usher with a parent if younger). Formal training will be held Sunday, January 31 at 12:30pm; however, you can also train at a Mass with one of the lead ushers. Questions? Contact ushers@gsc.net.

Knitting Hats on a Loom



**Friday, February 12
9:30am via Zoom**

The Good Shepherd Baby Looms Ministry is seeking knitters to help knit baby hats on a loom. These hats are

given to babies served by Baylor Hospital, Mid-Cities Pregnancy Center, Mercy House, and other charitable organizations, and are a great support of pro-life efforts. No knitting experience or supplies are required. Just join us at our monthly meeting and you can learn how to make the distinctive loom-knitted hats! We meet the second Friday of every month from 9:30 - 11:00am. We are currently meeting via Zoom. **WANT TO MAKE HATS ON YOUR OWN?**

The Baby Looms Ministry happily accepts baby hats you make on your own and will deliver them to various charitable partners. For more information about getting involved in the Baby Looms Ministry, please contact Donna Campbell at dcampbell@gsc.net gsc.net/babylooms

A disciple SHARES the Gospel.

We are empowered as Spirit-filled missionary disciples to share the Good News of the saving victory of Jesus Christ in our families, places of work, friendships, and neighborhoods.
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Women's Group Meeting



**Monday, February 8, 2021
6:30pm via Zoom**

Love is in the air! Join us via Zoom as we celebrate Christ's love for us all. Register in advance for this meeting. After registering,

you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Our goal is to develop and maintain an active women's group at Good Shepherd, where all women feel comfortable coming to the parish for support and fellowship, where all women of the parish will find a place to share their many gifts and talents, where all women will come with a spirit of charity and outreach while supporting each other, strengthening our families, and our Catholic faith. Please join us as we gather and give thanks for our community.

Register online at gsc.net/womensgroup

Are you on FACEBOOK? So are we! Search: GSCC Women's Group and then request to join! We'll take care of it from there!

Social Justice



What would God want you to sacrifice for Lent? Read Isaiah 58:6-7:

"Is this not, rather, the fast that I choose: releasing those bound unjustly, untying the thongs of the yoke; Setting free the oppressed, breaking off

every yoke? Is it not sharing your bread with the hungry, bringing the afflicted and the homeless into your house; clothing the naked when you see them, and not turning your back on your own flesh?"

Using Jesus as a model of compassion and agape love (unconditional, selfless, active), how can you change your way of living and fast in the way that God wants?

Contact GSCC Outreach, GRACE, or CCFW for help!

If you perform works of charity and mercy now, what more can you do?

- Help support our Bishops' advocacy for human life, dignity, and justice!
- Help resolve root causes of injustice, e.g., a living wage for all!
- Help Shelter 1 homeless family!
- Join the Social Justice Ministry
(Robert at SocialJustice@gsc.net)!

Lenten Fish Dinners



The Men's Club Lenten Fish Dinners are back! Join us every Friday in Lent and pick up your fish dinner either before Stations of the Cross or after. Pick up times are 5:00-

6:00pm and 6:30pm-7:00pm. We encourage pre-ordering and paying through <https://gscnow.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/704357>.

- Food will be prepared under strict COVID-19 guidelines
- Food is for take-out only, no dining in the great hall
- Food can be ordered outside at an order station.
- Men's Club will distribute food directly to cars
- Food may be consumed in the parking lot in cars

Adults \$8.00 – includes choice of catfish or tilapia, French fries, and 2 sides – coleslaw, and green beans

Children \$5.00 – includes choice of catfish or tilapia, French fries, and 1 side - mac and cheese

CRL Monthly Meeting



**Tuesday, February 16
6:45pm in St. Louis of
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The mission of The Respect Life Ministry of Good Shepherd Catholic Community is to support the Diocese of Fort Worth in

encouraging all people to respect life from conception to natural death. We meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 6:45 pm to come together as a parish community to further the work of Christ's Gospel through our outreach to our larger community for all LIFE issues. We partner with local entities to respect life through programs and events throughout the year. "Every basic human right draws its authoritative force from the natural law, which confers it and attaches to it its respective duty. Hence, to claim one's rights and ignore one's duties, or only half fulfill them, is like building a house with one hand and tearing it down with the other." — Pope John XXIII
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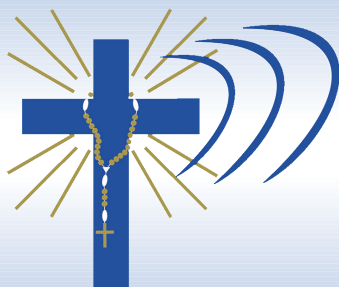
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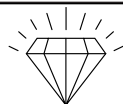
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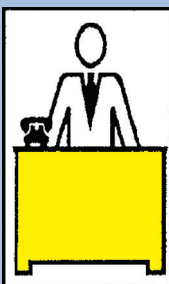
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