



**GOOD SHEPHERD**  
*Catholic Community*

SECOND SUNDAY OF

# Easter

(OR OF DIVINE MERCY)

**APRIL 11, 2021**



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Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them,  
"Peace be with you."

John 20:19



**SERVE**

**SHARE**



**WELCOME**



**GROW**



**ENCOUNTER**



**BE DISCIPLES. MAKE DISCIPLES.**

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 [gsc.net/disciples](http://gsc.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 [gsc.net/register](http://gsc.net/register). To learn more about becoming Catholic, visit [gsc.net/becomingcatholic](http://gsc.net/becomingcatholic)

### Weekend Masses:

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

### Daily Masses:

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

Tues: 7:00am | Wed: 7:00pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Mon: 9:00am | Wed: 6:00pm | Thurs: 7:00pm

Sat: 3:30 - 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 [gsc.net](http://gsc.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 Tammy Sandoval: 817-442-4034

### Eucharistic Adoration:

Monday through Saturday: 9:00am - 12:00pm

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

## Contact Information & Pastoral Staff

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### Office Hours:

Mon - Thurs: 8:00am - 5:00pm | Fri: 8:00am - 2:00pm

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, April 12

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

### Tuesday, April 13

- A// Faith & Focus Men's Study 5:30am (Parish Hall)
- A// Men's Scripture Study 9:30 am (St. Maria Goretti & St. Elizabeth of Hungary)
- A// Women Growing in Faith 9:30am (via Zoom)
- A// Parish Choir Rehearsal 6:00pm (Church)
- A// Women's Choral Rehearsal 7:00pm (Church)
- A// Walking with Purpose 7:00pm (Online)
- A// Schola Cantorum Rehearsal 8:00pm (Church)

### Wednesday, April 14

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

### Thursday, April 15

- A// Modern Worship Rehearsal 3:00pm (Church)
- A// GriefShare 7:00pm (via Zoom)
- A// Experience SCC 7:00pm (via Zoom)
- A// Singles 40+ 7:00pm (via Zoom)

### Saturday, April 17

- P// Vocations Rosary 4:30pm (via Zoom)

Visit [gsc.net/bulletin](http://gsc.net/bulletin) to access an interactive version of this bulletin with live links to all web pages mentioned.

## Accessing Live-streams

If you would like to watch our Live-streamed Masses over the coming weeks, but don't have a Facebook account, simply follow the instructions below to access the videos.

- Visit [facebook.com/GoodShepherdCatholicCommunityColleyville/](https://www.facebook.com/GoodShepherdCatholicCommunityColleyville/)
- If you don't have a Facebook account, wait a few seconds and a screen will pop-up allowing you to bypass setting up an account to access the page. When this image pops up, simply click "Not Now" at the bottom.
- Scroll to the video section and then click on our latest video to view it either live or after production.
- Then, join us in prayer from your home!

## Parish E-Newsletter



Are you receiving our weekly e-newsletter? To receive updates on important info and events, visit [gsc.net](http://gsc.net) and scroll to the footer on any page to sign up!

Has your contact information or address changed?  
Email Bryan Trachier: [btrachier@gsc.net](mailto:btrachier@gsc.net)



## Weekly Reflection

Second Sunday of Easter | April 11



**DOUBT**  
The desire to be able to prove the existence of a divinity has troubled humanity since human consciousness first became aware of the divine. To this very day we are fond of saying that any number of

things—from sunsets to hot fudge sundaes—are “proof that there is a God.” We get so caught up in the story of “doubting Thomas” that we fail to notice that today’s Gospel gives us John’s account of Pentecost, the bestowing of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples following the Resurrection. Thomas, evidently, missed out not only on seeing the Risen Christ, but receiving the Holy Spirit as well. This is not to be taken lightly and, perhaps, makes Thomas’ disbelief a bit easier to comprehend. It also makes his professing that Jesus is his Lord and God—the only time the New Testament explicitly refers to Jesus Christ as “God”—more remarkable.

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## Now Hiring!



GSCC is now hiring a Director of Music. If you are interested in learning more and applying, please visit [gsc.net/employment](https://gsc.net/employment).

## Reminder Regarding In-Person Mass

At this time the faithful are still dispensed in charity from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. In addition to in-person Masses, weekend Masses will continue to be livestreamed on Facebook until all restrictions have been lifted. All attending Mass are asked to do so with patience and understanding. Please follow the directions given by the parish staff and liturgical disciples before and after Mass.

If you are planning to attend Mass at Good Shepherd Catholic Community, it is important to know the liturgical adaptations implemented on June 24. For a complete list of requirements, please visit [gsc.net/important-announcement](https://gsc.net/important-announcement).

Out of love and charity to our neighbors, please do not come to Mass if you are showing any symptoms of sickness. Pregnant women and those with pre-existing conditions are highly encouraged to stay at home during this Phase I of re-opening our parish community. Let us all continue to pray for those who have been afflicted by the COVID-19 pandemic through illness, economic hardship, or fear and anxiety.

## Mass Readings & Intentions: 4/12-4/18

**Mon** 8:30am Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8  
Dick & Ann Marie Mason by Gina Swenson

**Tues** 7:00am Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15  
8:30am +Ricardo Alegria by Lou Camungol  
+Albert Gaa by Alviz family

**Wed** 8:30am Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21  
7:00pm +Bill Sherlock by the Logsdon family  
+Scott Nicholson by the Nicholson family

**Thurs** 8:30am Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36  
+Vince Ashwill by Jim & Laura Spencer

**Fri** 8:30am Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15  
+Colleen Foshee by Wendy Redroad

**Sat** 8:30am Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21  
+Rose Marie Kempker by the Remke family

**SUNDAY**  
Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

**Sat** 5:00pm Living & Deceased of our Parish by the Pastor  
**Sun** 7:00am +Lorraine Hoffmann by Edie Yentes  
**Sun** 9:00am +Garey Ketcham by Women CRHP 12  
**Sun** 11:00am +Roberto Valez by Marie Valez  
**Sun** 4:00pm +Rusty Weldon by CRHP 19 Sisters

## Have you been affected by Covid-19?

Affected by Covid?

Please let us know!

Our Friars wish to help in any way they can!

Have you or your family been affected by COVID-19? Please let us know! Visit [gsc.net/affected-by-covid-19](https://gsc.net/affected-by-covid-19) and fill out the form to let our Friars know the impact COVID has had on you or your family. Our Friars wish to help in any way they can!

# 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.*

## Welcome Weekend Gathering



**Sunday, April 25 | 12:00 - 1:0pm | Rooms 2-5**

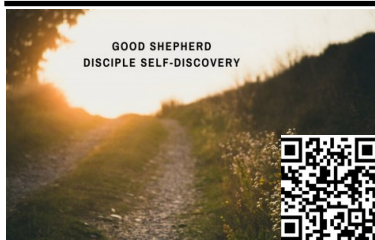
Are you new to Good Shepherd? Come join us as we "Welcome All" at our Welcome Weekend Gathering! You will meet our priests, staff members, and ministry leaders, as well as learn more about our parish and our mission. RSVP is required. You can RSVP here: <https://forms.gle/FtKf6iFiqYWBQBv78>. We hope to see you there! [gsc.net/welcomeweekend](https://gsc.net/welcomeweekend)

## Feed Our Friars



Do you like to cook? Our four friars love a homemade meal! Visit [gsc.net/FOF](https://gsc.net/FOF) to sign up or call Elly Lara: 817-421-1387.

## 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 [gsc.net/disciplesroadmap](https://gsc.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



**Friday, April 16  
12:00pm at Colleyville Library**

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

outdoors on the first Friday of each month at noon, depending on the weather. [gsc.net/socialseniors](https://gsc.net/socialseniors)

## Stewardship Reflection

*"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..." - Acts 4:32*

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your life, your talents and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with. We are called to be grateful and generous with all of our gifts for the benefit of others.

## 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 [gsc.net/prayerrequests](https://gsc.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 give thanks to God for blessings received.



## 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.  
*Be Disciples. Make Disciples.*

## ENCOUNTER



### Divine Mercy Sunday



**Sunday, April 11  
2:00pm in the Church**  
"I demand from you deeds of mercy, which are to arise out of love for Me." Jesus to St. Faustina (Notebook II Item 742)

Join us in the church for the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Holy Hour. For those who wish to join in the devotion of the Divine Mercy Novena preceding the Holy Hour, There will be Divine Mercy pamphlets available in the Narthex on Good Friday if you wish to pray the novena (supply limited to 500).

### Come Adore or Become an Adorer



Come spend an hour in prayer in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ, present in the Blessed Sacrament - Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. Hours of Eucharistic Adoration are Mondays through Saturdays: 9:00am - 12:00pm and Wednesdays & Sundays: 5:30 - 8:30pm. For more information and to sign up to become an adorer, visit [gsc.net/adoration](https://gsc.net/adoration).

### Weekly Faith Resources

Check out these featured videos on AscensionPress.com this week! For more resources, visit [gsc.net/resources](https://gsc.net/resources)



**Let Yourself Wrestle with God**  
Have you ever felt like God really wanted you to do something, but you just weren't ready for it? Maybe it's a big life change, a

relationship, or a vocation, but there's something holding you back from saying yes to God's call. People may be inclined to think that this is a bad thing, and might put themselves down, saying they aren't open to God's will in their lives. But what if this back-and-forth with God is the one thing we need to really say yes? When we wrestle with God, we're not only engaging in relationship with him, but we're being truly honest with him. He desires conversation with us, and it's in wrestling with what God wants for our lives that we conform our hearts to his. We may think we know God's vocation for us, or his plan for our life, and that may scare us. But the truth is, we will never really be sure what God wants us to do until he really shows us. We can project sometimes. Right now, all he wants us to do is be his: to dedicate ourselves and our lives to him and his works, and to live every day as an opportunity to reach holiness. Don't pick a fight with God, thinking we know what he may want us to do someday. But don't be afraid to wrestle with him today, because it can give us the strength and understanding needed to do his will. <https://media.ascensionpress.com/video/let-yourself-wrestle-with-god/>



#### We've All Forgotten How to Celebrate

We have a cause to celebrate. But we're really bad at celebrating. Today, Fr. Mark-Mary teaches us how we can celebrate the gift of Christ more each day. Celebrating can be defined as "the work of receiving the gift". Celebration is seen all throughout scripture, from the story of the Prodigal Son to the celebration of every Sabbath day. And it's in this celebration that we receive the gift of God's mercy and grace. Fr. Mark-Mary explains why we're not great at receiving the gift and how we can get better at it. <https://media.ascensionpress.com/video/weve-all-forgotten-how-to-celebrate/>



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**Archangel Moms**



**Archangel Moms Meeting**

**Friday, April 2  
10:00am-12:00pm  
at Leslie's House**

Join us as we pray and discuss chapter 9 of our Spring book, *The Story of a Soul*. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Archangel Moms Mass & Night Out**

**Wednesday, April 21,  
7:00pm-9:00pm**

Mass @ GSCC followed by dinner at Palio's Pizza Cafe in Colleyville (5712 Colleyville Blvd)

Let's celebrate Wednesday evening Mass together followed by some time to get to know each other better at dinner.

[gsc.net/archangelmoms](http://gsc.net/archangelmoms)

**Women Growing in Faith**



**Galatians: Set Free to Live  
April 6, 13, 20, 27, May 4,  
11, 18, 25**

**9:30am via Zoom**

Galatians: Set Free to Live speaks of the extraordinary gift of salvation Jesus has won for us and explains

how we can unite ourselves to Christ's redeeming sacrifice through faith and love. Presenter Jeff Cavins explains how Christ fulfilled the Law and set us free to live in the Spirit. Learn what "justification" means and how faith and works are an integral part of it. Discover how we become heirs to the promises and blessings of Christ through faith.

**Ephesians: Discover Your Inheritance**

**April 6, 13, 20, 27, May 4, 11, 18, 25**

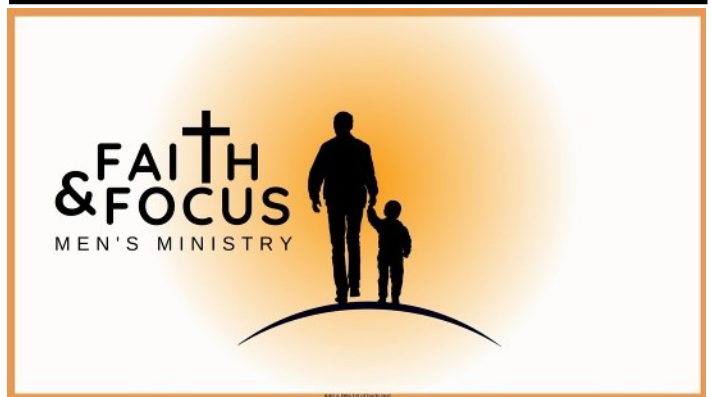
**9:30am via Zoom**

Ephesians: Discover Your Inheritance examines several themes that are of special concern to Christians in today's culture and society—the nature of marriage, the purpose and role of the Church, the preeminence of grace in God's plan, and the reality of spiritual warfare.

Presenter Jeff Cavins explores what Paul's letter to the Ephesians tells us about the nature of the Church—as a body, as a household, as a mystery, as a communion, as a bride, and as an army. Ephesians: Discover Your Inheritance shows the treasures that await us as adopted sons and daughters in the family of God.

Learn more and register: [gsc.net/scripturestudy](http://gsc.net/scripturestudy)

**Men's Faith & Focus**



**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.

[gsc.net/faithandfocus](http://gsc.net/faithandfocus)



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## Vacation Bible School Announcement



What do the letters V.B.S. stand for this year? **Virtual Bible School!** We have designed a 3-day VBS custom made for our families during the COVID19 shutdown. VBS will be June 7, 8, 9. This year's VBS will contain minimal preparation, easy to follow instructions, and a video that leads kids step-by-step through each day. After months of virtual learning, many kids are already experiencing screen-fatigue. With that in mind, we feel we have struck the perfect balance between video content and in-person games and activities. And best of all... It is so simple! You can register at [www.gsccl.net/vbs](http://www.gsccl.net/vbs). Registration will close on May 15. The cost is \$10 per student, with a \$30 maximum per family. This includes a full kit per student, which will contain all the supplies that you need to participate in this VBS. Crafts, games and snacks will be included. All you will need to do is click on the link as your time permits and follow along. The kit pickup date will be June 5 after 5:00pm Mass until 6:30pm and June 6 after 11:00am Mass until 1:00pm under the Port-a-Cochere after Mass clears out.

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## An Invitation to Renewal from Fr. Ron



Dear friend in Christ,

I greet you in the name of the Risen Christ.

Spring is all around us and we feel the energy of the season. We may also experience a call from our souls to begin, or even re-begin or renew, our spiritual journey.

We, at Good Shepherd Catholic Community, again respectfully invite you to walk with us and learn more about the Catholic faith and

perspective.

We continue to gather in person each Monday at 7:00pm in the parish center. We welcome your presence. Please call or write me at 817-421-1387 or [RMohnickey@gsccl.net](mailto:RMohnickey@gsccl.net). You can also contact Mary Z. at [volunteer@gsccl.net](mailto:volunteer@gsccl.net).

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Ron

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## Statement of Faith: Hannah Vinas



Growing up I never had solid roots at one church. We attended Sunday services very irregularly. I didn't know much about the faith that I professed to have. When I was in 2nd grade my family moved to Chicago and I started attending the Academy of the Sacred Heart. It was my first real educational experience with Christianity, and it was also my first experience with Catholicism. Part of the school's curriculum were weekly classes grounded in all things Catholic. I had a wonderful teacher who taught me so much about faith in general and was truly the person to set me on this path. When we moved home to Texas, my family really started to become religious and regular church goes. I still felt something was missing, I was just going through the motions and doubting whether I really believed in God. Then I started praying the rosary, a remnant from my Sacred Heart days. I was contemplating and reflecting on when I had last believed. I was drawn back to the Catholic faith and back to God. Over the 2019 holidays, I was visiting my great-aunt who had been raised in the Catholic Church and had attended when she was able. She hadn't said anything to convince me to join the Catholic Church, but the Holy Spirit had been working and I was moved right then and there. Roadblocks came up, but with the help of the Spirit, I overcame them and now I have come home. I have come home to spend the rest of my life in a church with the full truth of Christ, and to a community that has welcomed me with open arms.

*\*Hannah came into full communion with the Catholic church at the 4pm mass on Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020.*

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**Experience Small Church Communities**



Experience Small Church Communities is for people who are interested in registering to join a Small Church Community – in-person or virtually. In-person Small Church Communities will vary depending on the group preferences. [gsc.net/scc](http://gsc.net/scc)

Virtual Small Church Communities: Weekly on Thursdays  
April 8 – May 20  
7:00pm – 8:30pm via Zoom

- April 8: Episode 1—What Do You Seek?
- April 15: Episode 2—Who Are You?
- April 22: Episode 3—Why a God?
- April 29: Episode 4—What's Our Story?
- May 6: Episode 5—Who Is Jesus?
- May 13: Episode 6—Am I Saved?
- May 20: Episode 7—Why a Church?

**DivorceCare**



**Mondays,  
March 1 - May 24  
7:00pm via Zoom**

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.

[gsc.net/divorcecare](http://gsc.net/divorcecare)

**Young Catholic Professionals**



**Young Catholic Professionals Panel Discussion  
Thursday, 22 7:00pm**

**City Club of Fort Worth, 301 Commerce St, Fort Worth, TX 76102**

YCP Panel Discussion with Frontline Healthcare Workers. Panel Moderator: Aaron Munoz, President Emeritus of YCP Fort Worth. [facebook.com/ycpfortworth](https://facebook.com/ycpfortworth)

**GSCC Singles 40+**



**April 1, 15 (Gathering)  
April 9, 23 (Social)  
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](mailto:singleadultsfortyplus@gsc.net) or check out [gsc.net/singles](http://gsc.net/singles)



## 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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**SERVE**

## Local Mission: Adopt-A-Lawn Program

LOCAL MISSIONS



AND BEYOND



Mid-Cities Care Corps

# ADOPT-A-LAWN PROGRAM



As COVID continues to challenge us, we strive to keep our mission spirit alive. Jesus tells us "Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for ME"

Many seniors in our area need our help, love and compassion. After Parish Service Day, we will continue to be the hands and feet of Jesus. Join us as we participate in the Adopt-a Lawn program and maintain a senior's lawn in our area for the growing season.

Our group members will rotate weeks mowing or you could adopt a lawn by yourself so check your schedule and sign up at [gsc.net/missiontrips](http://gsc.net/missiontrips) or please contact Tere Martin [tmartin@gsc.net](mailto:tmartin@gsc.net) or 817-247-2381.

**No experience or equipment needed. Just a friendly face.**

**Calling all missionaries to JOIN our team to serve in our local missions.**

## Donation Drop-off Station



**Saturday, April 17  
8:30-11:30am Outside the  
Parish Hall**

Join us next Saturday for our next Donation Drop-off Station. This month we'll focus our collection on the

needs of St John's Baby World and Outreach: diapers, baby wipes, baby lotion, shampoo and soap

As always, we gratefully accept donations for our Outreach Partners at Catholic Charities; GRACE; Union Gospel Mission; St Johns Baby World and Outreach; Safe Haven; Mid Cities Care Corp; and Cassata Catholic High School.

For more details on how you can help during this Donation Drop-Off Station, please visit [gsc.net/donationstation](http://gsc.net/donationstation)

## Going Through a Difficult Time?



Stephen Ministry's motto is Christ Caring for People Through People. If you or someone you know is facing a crisis, large or small, and could benefit from the caring presence of a Stephen

Minister, visit [gsc.net/stephenministry](http://gsc.net/stephenministry) or talk to one of our Stephen Leaders, Jody or Keith at 817-975-5048

## Mission Trip: One Day Mission



**Saturday, April 24  
8:00am-2:00pm at St.  
George Catholic School**

Our parish mission team has put together a special outreach activity to assist St. George School on Sat,

April 24, 2021 from 8am-2pm. Our goal is to make their outdoor sports space more inviting and comfortable by replacing and improving their existing bleachers. We'll also be adding a much needed new coat of paint to classrooms making them more inviting for the children. This opportunity is open to all members of our parish - both families and individuals.

After completing our work, we will serve a ballpark lunch of hot dogs, chips and all the extras thanking St. George staff and students for the opportunity to serve them. We'll wrap up the day with a game of baseball with the kids. Please join us by signing up to volunteer for this special event. We look forward to seeing you as we strive to be God's hands and feet in the community! [gsc.net/missiontrips](http://gsc.net/missiontrips)

**SHARE**



### **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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### **Men's Club Meeting**



**Monday, April 19  
6:30pm Parish Hall & via Zoom**  
COME for FAITH, FELLOWSHIP & FUN!  
The Men's Club will be having their April 19th meeting in person in the

Great Hall and virtually on ZOOM.  
[gsc.net/mensclub](http://gsc.net/mensclub)

### **CRL Mother's Day Cards**



**Saturday, April 24 & 25  
After all Masses**

Looking for the perfect gift for Mother's Day? Make a donation to Catholic Respect Life Programs after Masses on April 24-25th, and receive a Mother's Day card to give to a special mother, telling her you made a gift in her honor. (For check donations, please make checks out to Good Shepherd with Respect Life in the Memo line.)

Contact Maria Upperman at [maria.upperman@gmail.com](mailto:maria.upperman@gmail.com) for more information.

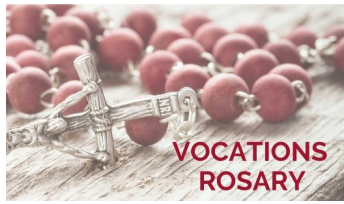
### **CRL Divine Mercy Reflection**



Each year, on the Second Sunday of Easter, the Church celebrates the Sunday of Divine Mercy. Mankind's need for the message of Divine Mercy took on dire urgency in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, when civilization began again to lose the understanding of the sanctity and inherent dignity of every human life. The action guide for the Sunday of Divine Mercy can be found here at the USCCB website for you and your family. <https://www.usccb.org/resources/divine-mercy-action-guide>

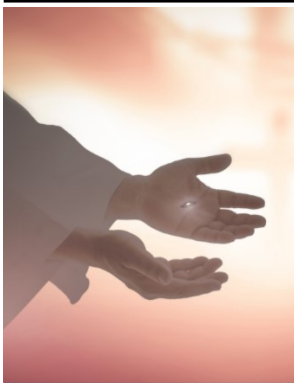
"The appropriate and incisive answer that God wanted to offer to the questions and expectations of human beings in our time, marked by terrible tragedies.... Divine Mercy! This is the Easter gift that the Church receives from the risen Christ and offers to humanity at the dawn of the third millennium." *Pope John Paul II, Divine Mercy Sunday 2001*

### **Vocations Rosary**



**Saturday, April 17  
4:30pm | via Zoom**  
Join us for a Vocations Rosary before the 5:00pm Mass. Email Kim at [kempker@aol.com](mailto:kempker@aol.com) for the Zoom link.  
[gsc.net/vocations](http://gsc.net/vocations)

### **Social Justice**



After the Resurrection and receiving the Holy Spirit, the Apostles were known for their prayer, community life, teaching, wonders and signs, and sharing with those in need. (Acts 2-5)

What are you known for?  
How is your life of prayer, community, and teaching?  
What wonders and signs do you perform?  
How do you share with those in need?

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

- 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](mailto:SocialJustice@gsc.net))!

### **CRL Monthly Meeting**



**Tuesday, April 20  
6:45pm in St. Louis of France**

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. If you have any questions or ideas to share with us please email Jan at [catholicrespectlife@gsc.net](mailto:catholicrespectlife@gsc.net)



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