



GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: Word and Communion	5:30 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday	8:15 a.m.
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.
Friday	12:00 Noon
Saturday Vigil	4:00 p.m.
Sunday	9:30 am
Sunday Spanish Mass	4:00 p.m.
Holy Days	7:00 p.m.

With only one priest serving our parish, when a parish funeral is arranged and the Mass of Christian Burial is to be celebrated on a weekday, the regular scheduled Mass or Word and Communion will NOT be celebrated that day. A parish email blast will be sent to parishioners who have signed up to receive these notifications. To register on this list, please call Kevin in the Parish Office.

PARISH DIRECTORY

Church Address:	72 Shepherd Way, Frankfort, KY 40601
Office:	70 Shepherd Way, Frankfort, KY 40601
Hours:	Mon-Fri 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Phone:	502-227-4511
Fax:	502-875-9854
Email:	gsc@gssfrankfort.org
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Parish School:	75 Shepherd Way, Frankfort, KY 40601
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PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Adoration of Eucharist

First Fridays from 8:00a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday 11:15 a.m. before daily Mass;

Saturday 3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Or by appointment – Please contact Fr. Charles

Baptism

Please contact Laura Hack. Parents are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Session.

Anointing of the Sick

Call the office day or night, in the event of an emergency. Please notify us if you are ill, shut-in or entering the hospital.

RCIA

This process is open to all interested in the Catholic Faith. Contact Laura Hack for further information.

Marriage

Couples planning to be married at Good Shepherd are to contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. Engaged Encounter or Pre-Cana is a must.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

St. Vincent De Paul Society

P.O. Box 571, 40602

502-227-8037

Wednesday and Saturday 10:00 – Noon

Bulletin Deadline

Monday, 12:00 Noon

gsc@gssfrankfort.org

Parish Life Center - Rental Information

Call Kevin in the Parish Office.

PARISH STAFF AND CHAIRPERSONS:

Pastor.....	Fr. Charles Howell, #2005	chowell@cdlex.org
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Deacon	Tom Kaldy, 330-8419	tkaldy@cdlex.org
Deacon	Mike Lynch, 229-3433	mlynch@cdlex.org
Deacon	Bob Amato, 502-229-2682	ramato@cdlex.org
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School Council.....	Brad Reid	bareida84@gmail.com
Youth Life Coordinator.....	Katharine Coleman	kcoleman@cdlex.org
Business Manager	Norma Miller, #2007	nmiller@cdlex.org

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

A parishioner of Good Shepherd Parish is one who is Baptized, registered, and actively participates in our Parish Liturgical Life, and assists in the growth of our parish by gifts of Time, Talent and Treasure. Please contact Kevin in the Parish Office to fill out a membership card. We ask the membership to advise us of any changes in their registration information.

MISSION STATEMENT OF GOOD SHEPHERD ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

Good Shepherd Catholic Church is a multicultural faith community whose mission is to live the teachings of Jesus Christ. "Love God, Love Neighbor and Make Disciples."

December 28- January 3

Monday **Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs**

1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Mt 2:13-18

5:30 p.m. **Word and Communion****Tuesday** **Saint Thomas Becket**

1 Jn 2:3-11; Lk 2:22-35

8:15 a.m. **Word and Communion****Wednesday** 1 Jn 2:12-17; Lk 2:36-40**5:30 p.m.** **Word and Communion****Thursday** **Saint Sylvester I, Pope**

1 Jn 2:18-21; Jn 1:1-18

6:30 p.m. **Holy Day Vigil - Joe Wimpsett +****Friday** **Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God**

Nm 6:22-27; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21

9:00 a.m. **Holy Day - People of the Parish****Saturday** **Saints Basil the Great and Gregory****Nazianzen,**

1 Jn 2:22-28; Jn 1:19-28

4:00 p.m. **Deacon Joe Alessio and Jimmy Alessio+****Sunday** **The Epiphany of the Lord**

Is 60:1-6; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

9:00 a.m. **Alberta Ernst+****4:00 p.m.** **Georgina Urban + Mass in Spanish**

Offertory Budget 2020-2021 \$800,000
Needed Weekly \$15,385 to Make Budget

	DEC 20	Cumulative
Offertory	18,457	263,506
EFT - Weekly	987	25,575
EFT - Monthly		69,975
E-giving Weekly/Monthly	1,357	39,208
Holy Days	280	4,351

Offertory – Actual	24,746	406,190
Offertory Budget	15,385	384,625
	9,361	21,565

Reduce, Renew, Reach Out	5,160	1,539,094
RRR EFT		537,653
E- giving (Weekly)	190	12,179
Total	5,350	2,088,926
Diocesan Collections	395	6,467

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: The Parish Staff will work on a reduced schedule during the remainder of the year. Please call the office before arriving to assure that someone is available to assist you.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS WILL NOT BE HELD DUE TO THE ALL NIGHT ADORATION ON DECEMBER 31 THRU JANUARY 1.

January 4-10

Monday **Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton**

1 Jn 3:22—4:6; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

5:30 p.m. **Word and Communion****Tuesday** **Saint John Neumann**

1 Jn 4:7-10; Mk 6:34-44

8:15 a.m. **Mike Butler****Wednesday** **Saint André Bessette**

1 Jn 4:11-18; Mk 6:45-52

5:30 p.m. **Pia Syquia +****Thursday** **Saint Raymond of Penyafort**

1 Jn 4:19—5:4; Lk 4:14-22a

8:15 a.m. **The Ralph Wilkerson Family (Not Dec)****Friday** 1 Jn 5:5-13; Lk 5:12-16**Noon** **Ronnie Gallahue+****Saturday** 1 Jn 5:14-21; Jn 3:22-30**4:00 p.m.** **Martin Wood +****Sunday** **The Baptism of the Lord**

Is 55:1-11; 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

9:00 a.m. **Milicent Reid+****4:00 pm.** **The Jerry Mattingly Family (Not Dec)****BEGIN 2021 WITH PRAYER**

All Night Adoration at Good Shepherd
 From 7:30 pm (after Vigil Mass) Thursday, December 31
 Until 9:00 am Friday, January 1 (Mass of of Mary, Mother
 of God)

Come for a few minutes or pray all night.

All are welcome!

Shared prayer (varies between rosary, chaplet,
 intercessions, Liturgy of the Hours) for about 15 minutes
 on each hour, silent individual prayer remaining time.

GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL: Our parish school is **still enrolling**. We have space for your child in grades PK-6. GSCS will resume in-person classroom instruction 5 days a week again on January 4. Parishioners receive a tuition discount and you may also qualify for a 50% off tuition discount. Contact Principal, Dr. Michele Ulrich, for more info about our academic program and how we are putting Christ at the Heart of it All. (502-223-5041 or mulrich@gssfrankfort.org)





CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Listed below are the names of those we honored at Christmas with the beautiful flowers donated in their names. We appreciate the kindness of so many of our parishioners who provided the wonderful Christmas display for all us to enjoy, as it enhanced our Christmas worship. Many thanks to all of you....and to the decorating committee for the extra effort and combined talents to prepare our church for the celebration of our Savior's birth.

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IN HONOR OF:

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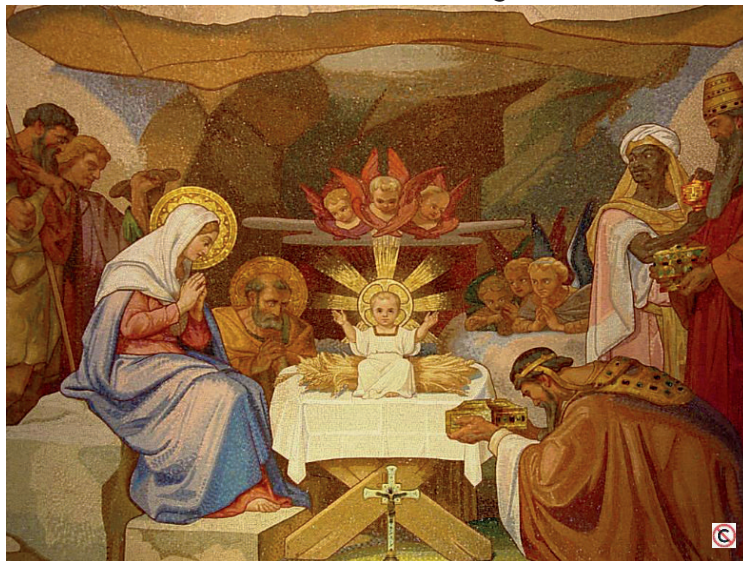
FLOWER DONATIONS:

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Faith Formation

FrankfortGoodShepherd.org

*Faith Formation offers prayers for
good health and holiness for your loved ones through the
Christmas Season and beyond !*



So many wonderful things to come! Did you know Pope Francis has declared 2021 as "The Year of St. Joseph"? We have started a webpage with lots of resources!

<https://frankfortgoodshepherd.org/year-of-st-joseph>



Need help registering for a free Zoom account?

Want to learn how to host a Zoom meeting?

We have a small team waiting to help you either in a small virtual group or one-on-one!

Contact Laura at 502-227-4511 x1349 or LHack@cdlex.org

Safe Environment

Including Online/Virtual Contact

Safe Environment Certification is MANDATORY for all who work with minors or vulnerable adults, especially during this time of virtual learning.

Contact Laura at 502-227-4511 or LHack@cdlex.org.

Baptisms



Please contact the Formation Office at least four weeks before scheduling a baptism. Baptisms are subject to pandemic directives.

Contact Laura at 502-227-4511, LHack@cdlex.org



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*Discerning your faith?
Where to begin?*

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION
FOR ADULTS (RCIA) - RCIA
programming is for . . .

- ◆ Unbaptized individuals who have discerned to become Roman Catholic
- ◆ Christians baptized in other faith traditions
- ◆ Children and youth who have discerned to become Roman Catholic (adapted program)
- ◆ Baptized Roman Catholic youth and adults who have not received First Holy Communion and Confirmation

Contact Laura at LHack@cdlex.org or 502-227-4511.

RCIA
Christian Formation Process



MERRY CHRISTMAS – On behalf of the Parish Staff, we would like to thank you for the many hours of service you provide to our parish and

for the continued financial support of the parish needs.

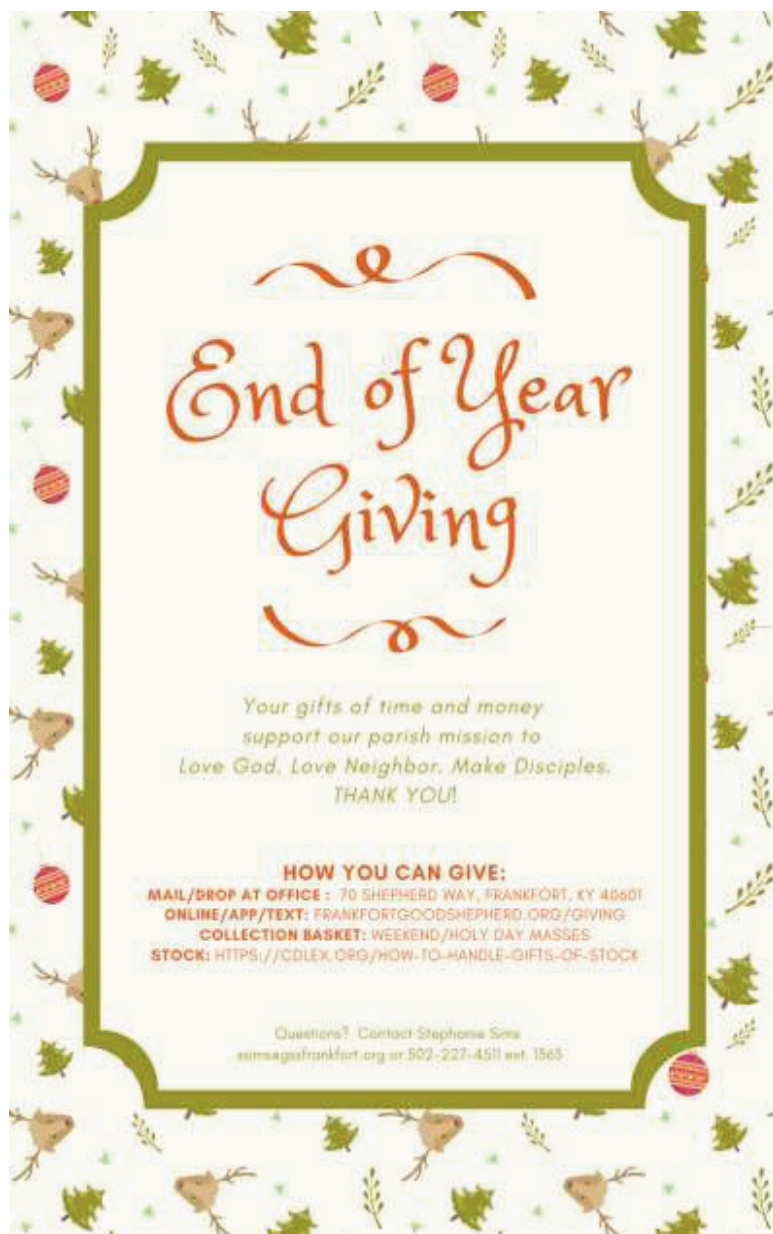
2020 --- This has been a trying year for all of us. We appreciate your patience as we have managed to endure the challenges that the pandemic has offered our parish. You have shown the love of Christ Jesus in your kindness, friendship and overall willingness to support our parish's efforts as we continue to bring His love into your heart and homes.

We are grateful for the warm holiday greetings, Christmas remembrances, and delicious goodies.

May the blessings of the Christ Child fill your lives with joy and peace. Merry Christmas to you, your families and our visitors to Good Shepherd. Blessings to you and good health in the New Year.

Fr. Charles, Dcn. Tom Snyder, Dcn Tom Kaldy, Dcn. Mike Lynch, Dcn. Bob Amato, Dr. Michele Ulrich, Katharine, Laura, Lloyd, Stephanie, Tim and Kevin.

THE VIRTUAL GIVING TREE: sponsored by Society of Saint Vincent DePaul, was a new concept this year but was well received by providing 74 families with 608 gifts to help these families celebrate Christmas. We are very thankful to our parishioners who were **VERY GENEROUS** in buying gifts or in providing money to purchase gifts. We are thankful for Stephanie Sims who set up and maintained the first Virtual Giving Tree and the nice display in the gathering area as a reminder to parishioners who attended Mass. Thanks to Linda LaFontaine who organized this Christmas event, bought gifts and wrapped gifts, as well as to Elaine Sims and Chris Sims, Phyllis Bruning, who purchased gifts with donated money and to Carol Forbes and Bobby Brenan who wrapped these gifts. Further, we would like to thank many other helpful hands that assisted in the initial sign-up in November, helped with sorting the gifts for pick-up, gave the gifts out to the families and fielded multiple phone calls in the parish office and thrift store. Thanks to all. God Bless!



SCHOOL NEWS: Kudos to our young parishioners recently recognized in the Central KY Youth Salute for their academic achievement and leadership. **Elizabeth Valladares-Valles**, one of the youth recognized, is currently serving as the youth representative on our Parish Pastoral Council. Other GS youth honored: **Taylor Banta, Sidney Wix, Ejemen Unuakhalu, Gabrielle Johnson, Abigail Grimes, and Olivia Onodu!**





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