



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 a.m.
Sunday Spanish Mass 11:30 a.m.

PARISH DIRECTORY

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PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Adoration of Eucharist

First Fridays from 8:15 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday 11:00 a.m.

Saturday 3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

or by appointment – please call Parish Office.

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.

RCLIA

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.

Parish Prayer

• **Five –Minute Prayer:** is available on the St. Joseph side of the church immediately following all the weekend Masses.

• **Our Lady of Prompt Succor Prayer Chain:** if you're in need of prayer or wish to add someone to the prayer chain, please contact the parish office or Wanda Laslie (wanda.laslie@gmail.com). At your request, prayer intentions may be confidential or may be shared with our prayer team via email.

St. Vincent De Paul Society
P.O. Box 571, 40602
502-227-8037

Bulletin Deadline
Monday, 12:00 Noon
gsc@gssfrankfort.org

Parish Life Center - Rental Information
Call Kevin in the Parish Office.

PARISH STAFF AND CHAIRPERSONS:

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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."

Monday	Saint Anthony 1 Sm 15:16-23/ Ps50: 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/ Mk 2: 18-22
5:30	Word and Communion
Tuesday	1 Sm 16: 1-13/ Mk 2: 23-28
8:15 a.m.	Philomenia Angelina Manuel +
Wednesday	1 Sm 17: 32-33, 37, 40-51/ Mk 3: 1-6 Webster
5:30 p.m.	Griffin+
Thursday	1 Sm 18: 6-9; 19: 1-7/ Mk 3: 7-12
8:15	Charles Thompson +
Friday	Saint Agnes 1 Sm 24: 3-21/ Mk 3: 13-19
Noon	Living/Deceased of Noel and Wood Family
Saturday	2 Sm 1: 1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/ Mk 3: 20-21 Susie
4:00 p.m.	Ballard +
Sunday	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Neh 8: 2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/1 Cor 12: 12-30 / Lk 1: 1-4; 4: 14-21
9:30 a.m.	Justin Malena+
11:30 a.m.	Mass in Spanish

SPANISH MASS: the Mass in Spanish will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Sundays, not 4:00 p.m. as in the past.

HOLIDAY: The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 17 in observance of the Martin Luther King holiday.

WE'D LIKE TO KEEP IN CONTACT WITH YOU.....It's a new year and we'd like to be sure we have any new info for you in our parish records. Have you had a change of address, phone, or email address in the last year? Have you had a baby, gotten married, had an older child move out on their own? Please call or email Stephanie at the office to let us know any changes in your household, so we can make sure our parishioner files are current. If you're not sure if we have all your correct info, we'll be glad to check for you, just get in touch.

GALA: The 18th Annual Green and Gold Gala event to benefit Good Shepherd School has begun! This year's event will mostly be virtual but still exciting as we all come together to help support the students and teachers at GSCS. There are several ways for you to participate; contact Stephanie in the parish office if you would like more info.

- Purchase a raffle ticket to win a bottle of Pappy 20 plus \$500! Only 500 will be sold, so get your tickets **NOW** at the parish and school offices or online at <http://bidpal.net/pappy20pluscashraffle>
- Be a sponsor! You or your business can partner with us at the Gold level for \$1000 or the Green level for \$500.
- Donate an item and/or bid on items in our online auction. The auction will open on Feb. 1 and there will be some fantastic packages up for bid!
- Join us for a fun Trivia Night and a chance to check out all the auction items in person on Friday, Feb. 11.

**Offertory Budget \$ 850,000 Avg.
Weekly Offertory Needed \$16,350
Debt Balance - \$2,180,266**

	1/1 to 1-10-2022	Cumulative
Offertory	14,925	287,311
EFT - Weekly	1,824	25,686
EFT - Monthly		81,908
E-giving Weekly/Monthly	1,994	53,253
E-giving Christmas		130
Holy Day	1,415	3,260
Christmas	215	10,799
Offertory – Actual	20,373	462,347
Offertory Budget	16,350	457,800
	4,023	4,547
Our Parish In Progress	8,667	236,523
OPP EFT		84,455
E- giving (Weekly)	418	31,961
	9,085	352,939
Diocesan Collections	320	36,979

FLOWERS: The flowers in the sanctuary were donated by **Joan and Martin Luther** in memory of Joan's parents, **Ben and Kitty Barlow**. Thank you for your kind tribute honoring your parents.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS: The flower memorials, in the sanctuary for 2022, are filling up fast! There is one weekend available before Lent; several openings throughout the rest of the year, but the office is receiving many calls. If you wish to order flowers for a memorial or a special occasion, please call the office as soon as possible.

Our Parish in Progress debt-reduction campaign has been a success in its first year. Thank you to all who have contributed prayers and pledges/donations of money for this important parish effort. This is a three year campaign and it is not too late to participate! We need support from every parishioner.

Gifts to this campaign help us pay the monthly mortgage on our buildings and also help us fund maintenance and improvements on our campus. In this last year, we have not only made our mortgage payments but also been able to repair the HVAC in the gym, repair a leak in the geothermal system at the school, repair leaky windows in the church, switch many of our lights to more energy and cost efficient LED bulbs, and upgrade our campus access system.

If you would like to learn more, check your pledge balance, or make a pledge or donation, please contact Stephanie at the parish office.



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SAVE THE DATES: Saturday, January 22nd, is a day of fasting and prayer to commemorate the Supreme Court decision legalizing abortion in 1973. The US Council of Catholic Bishops encourage us to fast as we would on a Friday in Lent that day and to spend some time in prayer to end abortion .

Sunday, January 30th, **Jason Hall**, Executive Director of the Catholic Conference of Kentucky, will speak in the Banquet Hall after the 9:30 mass about the Human Life Amendment that will be before Kentucky voters later this year.

ANNUAL TUITION ASSISTANCE COLLECTION: will be held at all the Masses the weekend of January 29 and 30. There will be baskets marked for this collection. Proceeds from the collection help parents who cannot fully afford the cost of tuition, giving them the opportunity to have their children their children receive a Catholic education at Good Shepherd. Please be generous as your means permit.

GSCC MUSICIAN: Frequent GSCC Gospel Keyboard Artist, **Charles F. Little, Jr.**, will be performing at the MLK Unity Breakfast in Lexington, which will be broadcast on MeTV at 8:00 AM on Monday, January 17th, and again at 11:00 AM on WLEX-TV, and after that can be found at LEX18.COM. He is also performing at the main King Celebration: Noon on Monday. YouTube. Search: Lexington MLK Holiday 2022 - The guest speaker is United States Senator Raphael Warnock, pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta, GA.

MASS SETTINGS: Beginning with this weekend, Jan. 16-17, we will be using "Mass of a Joyful Heart", which can be found in the Worship Aids in the Sanctuary, including the "Lord, Have Mercy", and Memorial Acclamation A (We Proclaim Your Death, O Lord).

HELP AND HOPE FOR STRUGGLING MARRIAGES: Do you have little or no communication in your marriage? Are you thinking of separation, divorce, or are you already separated or divorced, but want to try again? Retrouvaille, a peer ministry for hurting marriages, consists of a weekend experience and six additional, four-hour-long post weekend sessions. For information call 800-470-2230. Information can also be found online at www.helpourmarriage.com Confidentiality is assured.

PLEASE DON'T WATER THE PLANTS: The parish is fortunate to have a very involved Spiritual Life/ Environments Committee for the church. Part of their responsibilities is to water and maintain the plants in the church and Gathering Area. We are thankful for the volunteers and for those who think "the plants look thirsty", but to keep a consistent schedule for watering, we ask that you leave the watering skills to the Environments Committee. Thanks!

COMMUNION CALLS AND HOSPITAL VISITS: We do our best to visit people when they are homebound or in the hospital.

If you are, or know of someone who is in the hospital, it is always best to have a family member contact Kevin in the Parish Office. Hospitals do not automatically notify the parish due to privacy restrictions.

We want to serve you; do not assume we know there is a need...give us a call.... we'll be happy to help.

We Celebrate the Saints

Saint Agnes of Rome

January 21st

Agnes—whose name means “lamb”—suffered martyrdom during the persecutions of the Emperor Diocletian. According to ancient and reliable traditions, she was around 12 years of age when she died and she is one of the most celebrated Roman martyrs. Reflecting on her death, Saint Ambrose wrote, “*she went to the place of execution, more cheerfully than others go to their wedding.*” Her feast has been celebrated by the Church since around the year 350 and her name is included in the Roman Canon (the “First Eucharistic Prayer”) . . . Aletea, Daily Prayer, January 21st.

THE CREED, a study from Word On Fire Begins, Thursday, January 20th!Meets every-other-Thursday, from January 20th through Lent!

Group 1: 9:30-11:30 am, In-person at Mary's home

Group 2: 12:00-1:00 pm, Via Zoom

Group 3: 7:30-8:30 pm, Via Zoom

Contact Mary, at Mary@skillwork.org

Faith Formation This Week . . .

Sunday, January 16th

RCIA, Rite of Welcoming (for the baptized), 9:30 Mass*

Monday, January 17th

Faith Formation Council, 4:00-4:30, Zoom

Ms. Laura's K's, 6:30-7:00, Zoom

Tuesday, January 18thMs. Lola's 1st Graders, 6:30-7:15, ZoomWednesday, January 19thMs. Lola's 1st Graders, 6:30-7:15, Zoom

Ms. Cindy's First Communion Prep, 6:30-7:15, PLC*

Ms. Laura's Saints, 6:45-7:30, Zoom

Thursday, January 20th*The Creed* begins, 9:30, Noon, or 7:30pm, (see ad)*

RCIA, 6:00-7:15, Zoom

Sunday, January 23rd - Word of God Sunday

RCIA, Rite of Acceptance (for the un-baptized), 9:30 Mass*

BAPTISMS - Infant, Child, or Adult* NEW REQUIREMENTS

- Most families and godparents are required to participate in a preparation session, together or via Zoom.
- Children over the age of 7 years and all adults, please see the RCIA information.
- The Catholic parent/s and godparents must provide a sealed proof of registration with a Catholic parish.
- A Sacramental Record, with the seal from the parish of the godparents' baptisms, is required.
- Baptisms are subject to pandemic directives.

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

2022 Annual Publications Available

St. Joseph Sunday Missal - \$5 - Available on the Faith Formation Kiosk in the Gathering Area or the Parish Office during weekday hours. The \$5 cost is used to cover the price, shipping & handling of the Missals, and to support various other Faith Formation ministries.

We prepare for WORD OF GOD SUNDAY, January 23rd, 2022,
Always the Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Does everyone in your home have a Bible? Are they age-appropriate and accessible? Are family members encouraged to make notes in their Bibles, and to read the Word of God daily?

Our Faith Formation Office can help you find the perfect Bible appropriate for each family member.

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CHRIST IN MY HOME:

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DISCERNING YOUR FAITH? WHERE TO BEGIN? *

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)
is a JOURNEY in the conversion of heart,
and everyone's journey is unique!

We all have different backgrounds, experiences, hope
towards our goals, futures, eternal life.

RCIA is not a three, six, or nine month journey.

The RCIA journey is individually growing
within a faith community in Jesus Christ
as revealed through the Roman Catholic Church.

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



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Deacon Mike Lynch at MLynch@cdlex.org, or
Father John Lijana at JLijana@cdlex.org

*All programming is subject to change in response to COVID-19 directives and mandates.



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