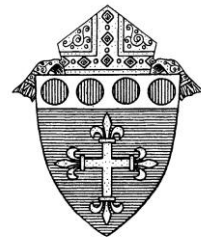


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**Level 1 Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Day of Discovery**  
*for Catechists, Assistants, Teachers, Clergy, Principals and more*

Sat. Nov. 1, 2025 from 9 AM – 1 PM  
Our Lady of the Lake  
1400 Main Street, Leominster, MA 01453  
Cost: \$25 (includes the book *Joyful Journey*)

Our Day of Discovery will include:

- discussion on how Catechesis of the Good Shepherd helps the very young child (ages 3,4, 5) enter into a personal relationship with Jesus.
- an opportunity to explore a ‘working’ atrium where children gather to learn about Jesus through Scriptures and the Sacraments.
- time to work and explore materials used in the Atrium.
- exploration of the role of the catechist as ‘servant.’
- discussion about the Montessori method of education as the mode for religious development.



Please register using this link:

<https://worcesterdiocese.org/cgs-day-of-discoverynovember12025>

If you have any questions, please contact Mary Pat Heelan at  
mheelan@worcesterdiocese.org. or call 508-929-4302.

*The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed, which a man took and sowed in his field; and this is smaller than all other seeds, but when it is full grown, it is larger than the garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and nest in its branches. Matthew 13:31-32*