

(For children ages 3-6)
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program, Level I (2026-27)
St. Francis Xavier Cathedral and St. John the Evangelist

Date:	Group Work: Done in Collective	
9/9/26	Introduction to the Atrium and the Prayer Corner / EPL	
9/16/26	Enthronement of the Bible / EPL	
9/23/26		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Altar</u>: Altar I, Altar II, Altar III - <u>Liturgy</u>: Liturgical Colors, Vestments, Liturgical Calendar - <u>Geography</u>: Globe & Raised Surface Map, Puzzle Map - <u>Good Shepherd</u>: The Good Shepherd, The Found Sheep - <u>Gestures</u>: Tour of Church, Sign of the Cross, Genuflection - <u>Gestures</u>: Preparation of Cruets, Preparation of Chalice
9/30/26		
10/7/26		
10/14/26	Globe & Raised Surface Map	
10/21/26		
10/28/26		
11/4/26	All Saints Dress Up	
11/11/26		
11/18/26		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Geography</u>: Globe & Raised Surface Map, Puzzle Map - <u>Prophecies</u>: Light, Names, Mother, Bethlehem, Star & Scepter - <u>Infancy Narratives</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Annunciation - Visitation - Nativity & Adoration of Shepherds - Adoration of the Magi - Presentation in the Temple
11/25/26	No Class - Thanksgiving	
12/2/26	Change Table - Prophecy of Light	
12/9/26		
12/16/26		
12/23/26	No Class- Christmas	
12/30/26	No Class- Christmas	
1/6/27	Change Table Nativity & Adoration of Shepherds	
1/13/27		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Parables</u>: Mustard Seed, Pearl, Leaven, Treasure, Grain - <u>Gestures</u>: (Cruets), (Chalice), Epiclesis, Offering, Lavabo - <u>GS</u>: The Good Shepherd, The Found Sheep - <u>EP</u>: The Eucharistic Presence I & II - Psalm 23 - The Cenacle, The City of Jerusalem
1/20/27		
1/27/27		
2/3/27	Bury Alleluias	
2/10/27	No Class - Ash Wednesday	
2/17/27	The Cenacle	
2/24/27	The City of Jerusalem	
3/3/27		
3/10/27		
3/17/27		
3/24/27		
3/31/27	No Class - Easter Break	
4/7/27	Liturgy of Light	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Baptism I, II, III - The Empty Tomb
4/14/27		
4/21/27		
4/28/27		

5/5/27		
5/12/27	Pentecost	- Last Class