

Formation Leaders:

Marty O'Brien

Marty O'Brien began her formation in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd with Sofia Cavalletti in 1983 and has been conducting adult formations at Levels I, II and III throughout the United States since 1991. A retired speech and language pathologist, Marty holds a Master of Arts degree in Pastoral Studies with an emphasis on the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd from Aquinas Institute of Theology. Currently, she works with children in Toddler, Level II and III atria in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Phoenix. She and her husband have four adult sons.

Required Texts:

All are available at the National Assoc. of CGS: www.cgsusa.org or (708) 386-8032 or LTP.org

The Religious Potential of the Child
6 to 12 Years Old
by Sofia Cavalletti

The History of the Kingdom of God,
Part 1: From Creation to Parousia
by Sofia Cavalletti

The History of the Kingdom of God,
Part 2: Liturgy and the Building of the
Kingdom
by Sofia Cavalletti

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd



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Level II Adult Formation Course

Participants must have a LI certificate.

2020:

July 23-26

August 20-23

September 17-20

October 8-11

Nazareth

House of Catechesis
of the Good Shepherd

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church
866 N Socora, Wichita, KS, 67212

*A Catholic faith formation course for adults
working with young children ages 6-9 in a
parish, school, or private setting*

Course Objectives:

- To present the guiding principles and method of the CGS for the 6-9 year-old age child;
- To explore the religious nature and the vital religious needs of the 6-9 year-old child;
- To offer the adult time for prayerful reflection and to consider the Biblical and liturgical themes presented to the 6-9 year-old child as given by Sofia Cavalletti and Gianna Gobbi. This also includes, in Part 2 of the course, the Scripture meditations for sacramental preparation.
- To further the adult's ability to observe and learn from elementary age children and nurture their spirituality;
- To cultivate the capacity to listen deeply to and enjoy the Word of God with elementary-aged children;
- To offer guidelines and assistance in preparing the Level II atrium space, making the catechist's album, and making materials for the atrium.

Dates:

Four Weekends in 2020

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Thursday 9:00a-4:00p

Friday 9:00a-4:00p

Saturday 9:00a-4:00p, 6:00p-8:00p

Sunday 9:00a-4:00p

Level II Course Tuition-

\$250.00 St. Francis Parishioners

\$500.00 Non-parishioners

*Financial aid may be available from CGS
National Office
www.cgsusa.org*

Register online or return

Please register early!

Registration will be open to non-parishioners beginning February 1, 2020. Attendees will be ensured a seat in the order the registration form and payment are received.

Interested in auditing?

Please email Sarah at sbrenner@stfranciswichita.com for more information.

Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Parish/School
Affiliation: _____

Do you currently assist in an atrium? If so, where? At what level?

Please make checks or money orders payable to St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church (attn. CGS Formation).

Send this registration form with \$100 nonrefundable deposit.

The remainder of the tuition balance is due **May 22, 2020.**

to:

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c/o Sarah Brenner
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