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<p>The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is an approach to the religious formation of children from age three through adolescence that was established and approved in the Diocese of Des Moines more than ten years ago. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd highlights essential aspects of the Christian message that nurture the child's need to love and be loved and the child's capacity to enjoy God's presence in her/his life. It is rooted in the Bible, the liturgy of the Catholic Church, and the educational principles of Maria Montessori. One of the key features of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is the use of catechetical materials specially designed for children. Another feature is the use of a prepared environment, called the Atrium, to foster children's religious life.</p>	<p>For more information please contact Mary Heinrich 515-278-5684, ext.130 or mheinrich@saintpiuschurch.org</p>

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