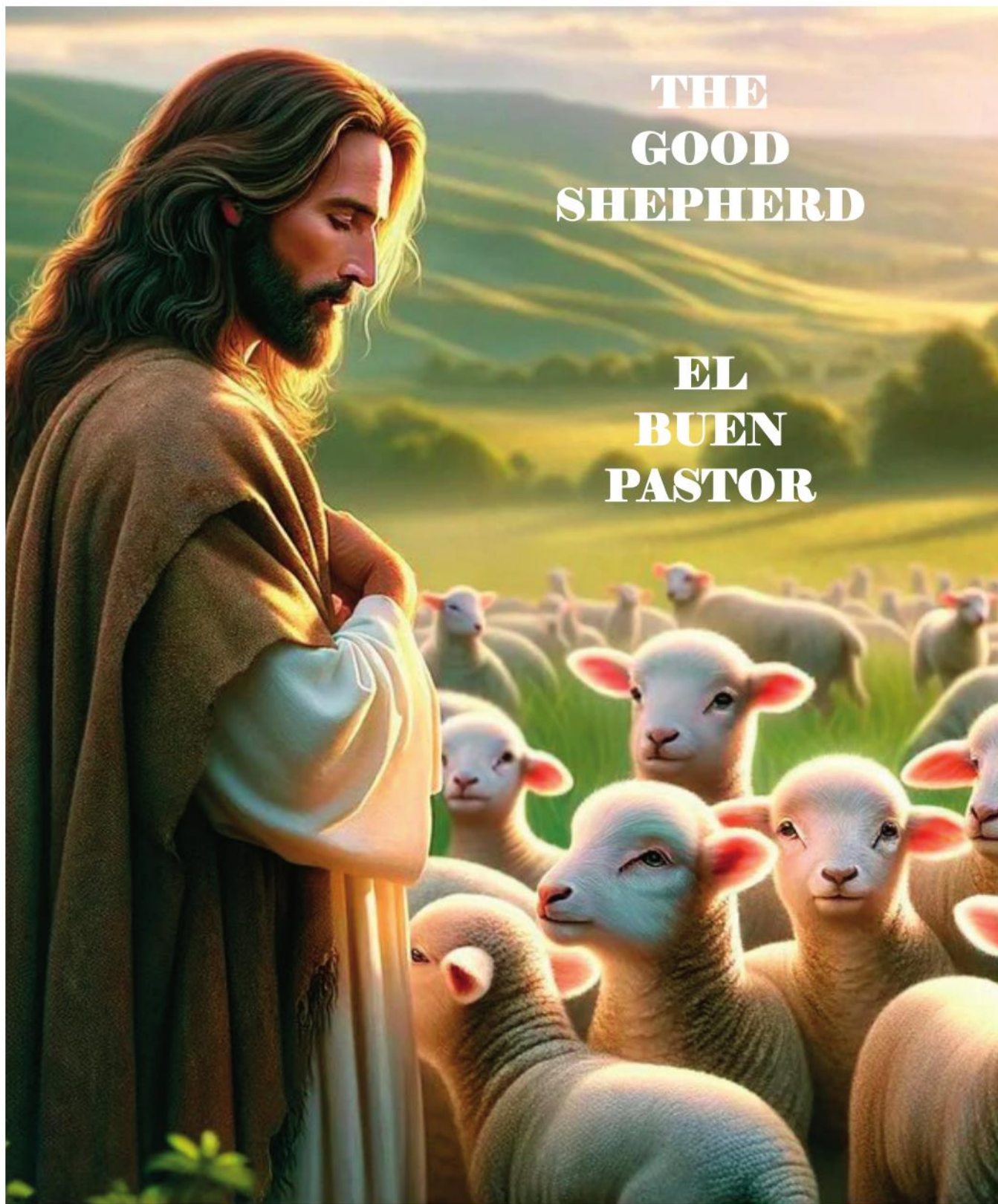


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NUESTRA MISIÓN

Unida en un solo Cuerpo y Espíritu, la comunidad católica de San Francisco de Asís aspira a reflejar la Luz de Cristo mediante el cultivo de la *Fe, Servicio* a los demás, y el *Amor* a toda la creación de Dios.



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Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am and 11:00am

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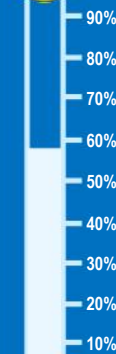
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I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD

“I am the good shepherd,” Jesus tells his disciples, “[who] lays down his life for the sheep” (John 10:11). Much later, after Jesus’ death and resurrection, his disciples realized that he meant that literally. Jesus loves us and cares for us so much that he sacrificed his life for us, giving his life to save us. He calls us now to care for those we love, to put their needs and desires before our own. In this way, we imitate him, our Good Shepherd. Moreover, he tells his disciples that he is also the good shepherd for the “other sheep that do not belong” (10:16). Indeed, he gives his life on the cross so that all may be saved. In today’s first reading, Peter invokes this saving power after healing a handicapped person, who could be called one of the “other sheep that do not belong.” Peter invokes this saving power over illness, injury, and even death. Similarly, we are challenged to care not only for those we love, but also for the other sheep that do not belong, for we are, through God’s love, all children of God.

How can you imitate the Good shepherd in caring not only for the members of your own flock but also for others who “do not belong”?

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YO SOY EL BUEN PASTOR

“Yo soy el buen pastor”, dice Jesús a sus discípulos, “[que] da su vida por sus ovejas” (Juan 10:11). Mucho más tarde, después de la muerte y resurrección de Jesús, sus discípulos se dieron cuenta de que lo decía era literalmente. Jesús nos ama y se preocupa tanto por nosotros que sacrificó su vida por nosotros, para salvarnos. Él nos llama ahora para cuidar a los que amamos, para poner sus necesidades y deseos antes que los nuestros. De esta manera, lo imitamos, nuestro buen pastor. Además, le dice a sus discípulos que él también es el buen pastor para las “otras ovejas que no son de este redil” (10:16), de hecho, da su vida en la cruz para que todas puedan salvarse. En la primera lectura de hoy, Pedro invoca este poder salvador después de curar a una persona discapacitada, que podría llamarse una de las “otras ovejas que no pertenecen”. Pedro invoca este poder de salvación sobre la enfermedad, las lesiones e incluso la muerte. Del mismo modo, tenemos el desafío de preocuparnos no solo por aquellos que amamos, sino también por las otras ovejas que no pertenecen, porque son, a través del amor de Dios, todos los hijos de Dios.

¿Cómo puedes imitar al buen pastor al cuidar no solo a los miembros de tu propio rebaño sino también a otros que “no pertenecen”?

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK • PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

CALLED TO BE SHEPHERDS

Reading I Acts 4:8-12 • The Stone That Has Become the Cornerstone
Reading II 1 John 3:1-2 • Recognizing the Son
Gospel John 10:11-18 • The Good Shepherd

Key Passage Jesus said, “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.” (John 10:11)

Adults: *Whom are you shepherding in your life right now, and who shepherds you?*

Kids: *Who has been like a shepherd to you by their example? For whom could you be a shepherd?*

LLAMADO A SER PASTORES

Lectura I Hechos 4: 8-12 • La piedra que se ha convertido en la piedra angular
Lectura II 1 Juan 3: 1-2 • Reconociendo al hijo
Evangelio Juan 10: 11-18 • El buen pastor

Pasaje Clave Jesús dijo: “Yo soy el buen pastor. El buen pastor pone su vida para las ovejas.” (Juan 10:11)

Adultos: *¿A quién estás pastoreando en tu vida en este momento y quién te guía?*

Niños: *¿Quién ha sido como un pastor para ti por su ejemplo? ¿Para quién podrías ser un pastor?*



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Next week we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Today, nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your support of this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

LLAMADO PARA MISIONES CATÓLICAS

La próxima semana realizaremos el Llamado para las Misiones Católicas. Hoy, a cerca del 40% de las diócesis en Estados Unidos y sus territorios no le es posible financiar las labores pastorales básicas que necesitan sus comunidades. El apoyo de ustedes a este llamado les ayuda a satisfacer estas necesidades de formación en la fe y los sacramentos. Por favor, en oración, consideren la manera de apoyar a este llamado. Pueden encontrar mas información en www.usccb.org/home-missions.

**THE STONE REJECTED BY THE BUILDERS
HAS BECOME THE CORNERSTONE.**

**LA PIEDRA QUE DESECHARON LOS ARQUITECTOS
ES AHORA LA PIEDRA ANGULAR.**

FAITH FORMATION • FORMACIÓN DE FE

2024-2025 REGISTRATIONS: In the Parish Center

- Monday, April 22nd: 9:00am—1:00pm
- Tuesday, April 23rd: 1:00pm—7:00pm
- Wednesday, April 24th: 1:00pm—7:00pm
- Thursday, April 25th: 1:00pm—7:00pm
- Friday, April 26th: 9:00am—1:00pm

Registrations are for NEW AND RETURNING students. Even if your child was in the Faith Formation Program last year, they will need to register again for the next year.

WHAT TO BRING FOR REGISTRATION:

- Parent or legal guardian must be present to register child.
- Birth certificate for each child.
- Baptismal or First Communion certificate for each child.
- \$25.00 cash/check deposit for each child in non-sacramental classes.
- \$50.00 cash/check deposit for each child in sacramental prep classes.

INSCRIPCIONES 2024-2025: en el Centro Parroquial

- lunes, abril 22: 9:00am—1:00pm
- martes, abril 23: 1:00pm—7:00pm
- miércoles, abril 24: 1:00pm—7:00pm
- jueves, abril 25: 1:00pm—7:00pm
- viernes, abril 26: 9:00am—1:00pm

Las inscripciones son para estudiantes NUEVOS Y LOS QUE REGRESAN. Incluso si su hijo estuvo en el Programa de formación de fe el año pasado, deberá registrarse nuevamente para el próximo año.

QUE NECESITA TRAER PARA LA INSCRIPCION:

- Uno de los padres o encargado legal debe de estar presente.
- Certificado de nacimiento de cada niño.
- Certificado de Bautismo o Primera Comunión de cada niño.
- \$25.00 cheque/cash deposito por cada niño—NO clases sacramentales.
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PARISH EVENTS • EVENTOS PARROQUIALES
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Monday, April 22

- 7:00 pm Juan XXIII (CHP)
- 7:00 pm Clases de Biblia (FF04)

Tuesday, April 23

- 9:00 am Clases de Inglés/English Ministry (SC02)
- 6:00 pm CYE
- 7:00 pm Cenáculo Mariano (CHP)

Wednesday, April 24

- 9:00 am Clases de Inglés/English Ministry (SC02)
- 9:00 am Scripture Study (FF04)
- 10:30 am Women's Faith Sharing (FF05)
- 1:00 pm Food Pantry Monthly Mtg (SCFR)
- 6:00 pm CYE
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (CHU)

Thursday, April 25

- 9:00 am Clases de Inglés/English Ministry (SC02)
- 6:00 pm K of C 4th Degree Monthly Mtg (FF05)
- 6:30 pm Citizenship Classes (FF02)
- 7:00 pm Spanish Choir Practice (SC01)

Friday, April 26

- 9:00 am Food Pantry Home Delivery
- 6:30 pm Congreso Familiar y de Pareja (PC)
- 7:00 pm Haitian Prayer Group (SC01)
- 7:00 pm Ensayo de Coro de 6pm (SC02,03)
- 8:00 pm Ensayo Grupo de Música (FF03)

Saturday, April 27

- 8:00 am Congreso Familiar y de Pareja (PC)
- 8:00 am Ministros de Eucaristía/Entrenamiento (PC)
- 8:00 pm Emmaus (PC)

Sunday, April 28

- 10:00 am Camino de Fe (FF04,05)
- 2:00 pm Emmaus Clases de Biblia (FF05)

(CHU) = Church (CHP) = Chapel (NUR) = Nursery
 (STG) = Stations Garden (PC) = Parish Center (FF) = Faith Formation
 (CR) = Choir Room (CHUPL) = Church Pkng. Lot
 (CHUF) = Church Front (SC) = St. Clare Hall (SCFR) = St. Clare Fellowship Room (OF) = Office



**Are you in the process of writing your will?
Prayerfully consider including St. Francis of Assisi
Catholic Church in your Will.**

**¿Está en proceso de redactar su testamento?
Considere en oración el incluir a la Iglesia Católica
San Francisco de Asís en su testamento.**

PARISH INFORMATION • INFORMACIÓN DE LA PARROQUIA

READINGS AND MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 22

Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4;
Jn 10:1-10

8:00am Bendición de
Cumpleaños para Lucas Gonima

Tuesday, April 23

Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5,
6-7; Jn 10:22-30

8:00am †Mercedes Rodriguez

Wednesday, April 24

Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5,
6 and 8; Jn 12:44-50

8:00am †Carlos M. Colón
12:15pm †Jose Ochoa Reyes

Thursday, April 25

1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7,
16-17; Mk 16:15-20

8:00am †Elizabeth Wen

Friday, April 26

Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-7, 8-9,
10-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

8:00am

Saturday, April 27

Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab,
3cd-4; Jn 14:7-14

5:00pm

†Flor Amanda Juri Cuellar
7:00pm

†Jose Trinidad Godinez,
†Emanuel Godinez,
†Omar Godoy

Sunday, April 28

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30,
31-32; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

7:30am †Laura Skidmore

9:00am †Ismael Roblero
Morales, †Antonia Lopez
11:00am

1:00pm †Gloria Guzman
6:00pm

†Paula Malpica Martinez

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Tuesday—Friday, 9:00am to 4:00pm

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Lunes a jueves de 8:30am a 4:00pm

y los viernes de 8:30am a 3:30pm

Cerramos para el almuerzo de 12pm—1pm

Horario de la Oficina de Formación de Fe:

Martes—Viernes, 9:00am a 4:00pm

CHAPEL HOURS

Daily Mass is celebrated in the CHAPEL from
8:00am to 8:30am.

The chapel is open Monday—Friday from
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The church is closed during the week.

HORARIO DE LA CAPILLA

La capilla está abierta de lunes a viernes de
8:30am a 4:00pm para oración privada.

La iglesia esta cerrada durante la semana.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays from 3:45pm to 4:45pm in English, in the church

CONFESIONES

Sábados de 6:00pm a 6:45pm en español, en la iglesia

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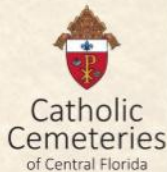
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