

# THE CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

## From our Parents . . .



"J and E enjoyed the [Baptism Preparation] experience very much. They could not wait to attend each session and were very disappointed when it finished. We had the most thoughtful and beautiful conversations after each session. I am endlessly grateful for what Angela and Shannon have shown the children about the life of Jesus and the Catholic faith. And they have both reawakened my faith too! We could not have asked for better teachers. Thank you!" *Pandora*

"It was excellent! B loved the [Baptism Preparation] experience and doesn't want to finish. Loved the Atrium and wonderful, caring staff." *Stacey*

"Great [Baptism Preparation] program. We both enjoyed it. I learnt a lot and it was worth doing." *Tracey*

"Very positive. The girls looked forward to their [Baptism Preparation] sessions every week. Keep up the good work!" *Anna*

"The Atrium was a really welcoming and engaging space for both P and myself. Both Angela and Shannon were so patient and kind and catered the [Baptism Preparation] experience so beautifully for the children present. I honestly didn't know what to expect coming into the Atrium for the first time but very quickly I felt like nothing was a problem, and I couldn't have felt more at home. Such a great introduction into the Catholic faith for my little girl, and one that had even myself thinking about all things spiritual." *Briana*

"We are very impressed and taken aback at how responsive H has been with the activities he participates in at Atrium. [This is his third year in the Atrium.] H is a very energetic child and to see him in an environment that allows him to centre himself peacefully is a true blessing for us. Thank you Angela and Shannon!!" *Marta*

"Catechists are very welcoming and great at keeping me up to date! I love how parents can be involved in singing and prayer time. The experience is fantastic! A loves going to the Atrium, [she began in 2014] always enjoys her time and loves Angela and Shannon. Keep up the excellent work. ☺" *Sarah*

"My child and I had an absolutely wonderful experience. [This will be her second year in the Atrium.] The staff is just lovely, welcoming, very understanding. I was always amazed how peaceful the atmosphere is in there even with five kids. And you can tell that is due to the staff." *Dagmar*

"Excellent program – much needed. God has his hand on this. Peaceful, welcoming, friendly environment. Safe environment with very gentle, kind teachers/guides. Beautifully presented and resources well thought out for outcomes." *Maria*

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