

Dear Parents, Parishioners, & Community,

Mrs. Wooten announced at the beginning of January, 2020 that she would not be returning for our next school year. Although we are saddened, we would like to thank her for the contributions she made in her time here. She will be with us the remainder of this school year vigorously implementing all the special changes made by the pandemic until the end of June. We wish her well in her retirement.

I am so totally grateful to a wonderful Principal Search Committee that have spent innumerable hours in finding the right person to move us to the next level as St. Francis de Sales Catholic School. They worked in unison with the Office of Schools of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston to receive and review applicants, and then conduct interviews and make some recommendations of the finalists to our community. Together with the Search Committee and with the help of the Office of Schools of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, we are extremely pleased to announce that St. Francis de Sales School has a great new principal with lots of experience for the upcoming Academic School year 2020-21 and beyond.



Anne Quatrini is a 20 year veteran of education and currently serves as the Enrichment Coordinator at St. Laurence Catholic School. Her first teaching experience was training adults to be travel agents and has since taught Pre-K, and 1st through 8th grades in both public and private school settings. A life-long learner, Mrs. Quatrini has a BA in Psychology and an MA in Curriculum and Instruction. Most recently she completed Master's level coursework in Educational Leadership and passed the Texas Principal as Instructional Leader exam. While she claims to be a Jersey Girl, her heart and her loves are all Texans. Her husband has worked in oil and gas for 30 years, her son attends UNT

and is a music education major, and her daughter is a senior in high school. Mrs. Quatrini enjoys bargain shopping, walking on the beach with her two dogs, crafting and reading. A certified catechist and faithful disciple, her favorite verse is Deuteronomy 31:6 "*Be brave and steadfast; have no fear or dread of them, for it is the Lord, your God, who marches with you; he will never fail you or forsake you.*"

In Christ,

Fr. Joseph Son Thanh Phan, *Pastor*