

Dear Sacred Hearts families,

I am so excited to be joining the Sacred Hearts School Staff!

I began my new position as Associate Principal at Sacred Hearts School this summer and have been getting acclimated to the school. I am blessed to work under Mrs. Frederick's experience and leadership. I am so impressed with the staff. They have all been so warm and welcoming. In talking and working with them over the summer, I am impressed with how caring, compassionate and committed they are to our children. They have been working so hard to make their classrooms exciting and inviting for this upcoming school year. There is so much longevity with our staff which speaks volumes to what a wonderful place Sacred Hearts School is. I am excited to be working with this highly qualified and dedicated staff

I understand the importance of a Catholic education. My boys attended and I worked at St. Maria Goretti for over half of my career. I understand the importance of a strong community of faith. I understand that parents deeply desire a quality education so that their children are well rounded individuals spiritually, emotionally, physically and intellectually. I understand that you, their parents, are your child's primary educators and I hope to partner with you for a successful school year. My hope is to carry on the tradition of Sacred Hearts School in helping each child reach their full potential. I understand that you are putting your trust in our staff.

I will have a different job description than Jill Conaway, former Associate Principal. I will be doing less event planning and development, and have more of a traditional Associate Principal role. I will be working with our curriculum, supporting and coaching teachers and assisting Mrs. Frederick with the day to day operations of the school.

A few last words... I think all educators were hoping not to address the topic of Covid again this school year. The feelings and opinions are varied among people. Mrs. Frederick and I have had many many conversations about this. Please know that we take the safety and the education of your children very seriously. And so, I ask that we all work together to support each other and I ask for your prayers for our staff and all our children for a safe and wonderful school year.

I look forward to meeting all of you. Please introduce yourself to me and be patient as I try to learn the names of so many new students and their families. If I can help you in any way, please reach out to me. Thank you again for welcoming me into your school community. I truly feel blessed.

Dianne Metz