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NAME: FR. JAMES THEBY, Pastor



Fr. James Theby is the pastor at St. Charles Borromeo Parish and St. Peter Parish in St. Charles. He was ordained a priest in 2008. Fr. Theby was previously an associate pastor at Assumption in O'Fallon and St. Clare of Assisi in Ellisville before serving as pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes in Washington for the past nine years. He grew up the oldest of four in Chesterfield and attended Incarnate Word Elementary School and DeSmet Jesuit High School before entering the seminary.

Although the appointment of being head pastor for two parishes seems challenging, Fr. Theby is focused on continuing his work for the Lord and looks forward to getting to know the members of the Borromeo community.

The Borromeo environment is truly a family atmosphere where people work together to help the parish and school grow. Fr. Theby hopes to be able to continue to support, sustain, and strengthen that mission.

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NAME: DR. DAN MULLENSCHLADER, Principal



Dr. Dan Mullenschlader feels blessed to be starting his second year as Principal of St. Charles Borromeo. Though relatively new to the Borromeo community, he has 22 years of experience in the field of education, 15 of which were served in Catholic school administration. Prior to serving in this role, he was the president of Holy Cross Academy and has previously been the principal at Immaculate Conception of Dardenne and the assistant principal at St. Joseph in Cottleville.

He received a Doctorate of Education in Educational Leadership with an emphasis in Catholic education at Saint Louis University. He holds master's degrees in both curriculum and instruction and in administration and supervision from University of Phoenix and a bachelor's degree in secondary education at Franciscan in Steubenville.

Dr. Mullenschlader and his wife, Julie, have six children and are members of St. Theodore Parish in Flint Hill. Dan's hope is to be an instrument for God's plan in Catholic education. He believes that children are a tremendous gift and is honored to have the opportunity to help them understand their call to sainthood.

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NAME: MICHELLE WINKLER, Assistant Principal



Michelle Winkler is the Assistant Principal at St. Charles Borromeo School. Often described as a servant leader, Michelle has been in the field of education for 20 years, and specializes in middle school. She taught at Immaculate Conception in Old Monroe for 13 years. She taught science, religion and STEM. She has a minor in Social Studies.

Michelle and her husband, Mike, have been married for nearly 18 years. They have two kids who attend Borromeo: Cameron is a freshman in high school and Tori in 6th grade. Outside of the school setting, Michelle enjoys shuttling her kids to and from activities; Cam is a formidable hockey player and Tori is an accomplished gymnast.

Michelle truly enjoys seeing children thrive and succeed. She brings an energetic spirit and positive approach to the students she encounters. This comes naturally for her because Michelle believes teaching is not just her career...it is her calling.

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NAME: BETHANY BENN, President



Bethany Benn has been working in sales and marketing her entire adult career, and is currently a regional sales manager at ADP. Having grown up in southwest Ohio (Go Buckeyes!), Bethany has lived in the St. Louis/St. Charles area since 2003. She has been married to Bob since 2011. They have three amazing children: Braden (5th grade), Blakely (2nd grade) and Barrett (K). Having joined the Borromeo Community in 2015, the Benn Family jumped in with both feet. They began serving the school and parish in a variety of ways including fundraising, coaching multiple youth sports teams, and volunteering inside classrooms. They consider SCB as, truly, one of a kind and the Benn family feels blessed to be a part of such a fantastic community. Bethany is entering her first term as St. Charles Borromeo School Board President. She is excited to serve the school in this new capacity.

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NAME: BRIGID ELAM, Vice President



Brigid Elam is a born and raised resident of St. Charles, Missouri. She currently works for CVS Health as a Region Director covering the Midwest retail pharmacy store locations.

Brigid earned her Bachelor of Science in Biology at the College of Charleston and continued her studies at the Medical University of South Carolina where she earned her Doctorate of Pharmacy. Charleston, South Carolina is where Brigid met her husband, Rusty, of 15 years. They returned to St. Charles, MO to start their family after Rusty completed his time serving our country in the United States Marine Corps. He currently works as a sales manager in IT services.

The Elams have three children attending St. Charles Borromeo: Mikey (5th grade), Eloise (3rd grade), and Mackenzie (K). Outside work and school, they enjoy spending time with family and friends, traveling, boating and most often can be found at local baseball and soccer fields. Joining the Borromeo community has been fundamental in deepening their religious faith and strengthening their love of serving the community. Brigid is honored to serve, as Vice President, on the SCB School Board to continue building the strong foundation of Borromeo family and community traditions as well as educational excellence.

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NAME: MARY BRDAR, Secretary



Mary Brdar works for Mercy Investment Services, the socially responsible investment program for the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas and their Ministries. Mary is from Calgary, Canada. She and her husband, Tim, a flight controls engineer for Boeing, moved to St. Louis from Seattle, WA.

Their kids, Maya (6th grade) and Luka (3rd grade), adore St. Charles Borromeo. Mary and Tim are proud to be active in the SCB community. They enjoy volunteering for church and school events, participating in retreats, and socializing with fellow Borromeo families who have become phenomenal friends.

Mary has never met a stranger and believes in the philosophy that the greatest of achievements is service to others. She truly values meeting new people and feels that we all have much more in common than we realize. One of her favorite quotes, widely attributed to the poet Yeats, is "*There are no strangers here, only friends you have not met yet.*"

Mary looks forward to her third term serving on the school board, while simultaneously sharing her energy and enthusiasm with her Borromeo family.

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NAME: JENNY BOGEL, Member



Jenny Bogel is an accountant by profession but her true passion is her family. She and her husband, Brad, have enjoyed seven wonderful years at Saint Charles Borromeo. They have two sons: Owen is in 7th grade and Emmett in 6th grade. Whether it's volunteering in the classroom or working the parish picnic, Jenny is not just involved in school and church activities, she's *immersed* in them. You'll always receive a cheerful greeting and a warm smile from Jenny and find that her spirit of generosity is contagious. Jenny has served the board for the past 5 years. In her spare time, Jenny enjoys attending her boys' various sports games, fun family activities or hanging out with fellow SCB moms!

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NAME: JOE BOYER, Member



Joe Boyer is Vice President of Human Resources for Together Credit Union. Joe earned his master's degree from Lindenwood University and considers himself a life-long learner. In his spare time, he enjoys reading, watching soccer, and exploring his passion for coffee. He also enjoys philanthropic work and is a member of the Board of Directors of the Boys & Girls Clubs of St. Charles County.

Joe's wife, Amber, is an office manager at Devereux & Company, an accounting firm in St. Charles.

They have two daughters: Charleigh (Second Grade at Borromeo), and Isabelle (Pre-K at St. Peters.)

Joe and Amber both grew up in MO and have an undying love for the STL Cardinals. They catch as many games as they can during baseball season. They also enjoy playing with their fur babies, two dogs named Amalie & Millie.

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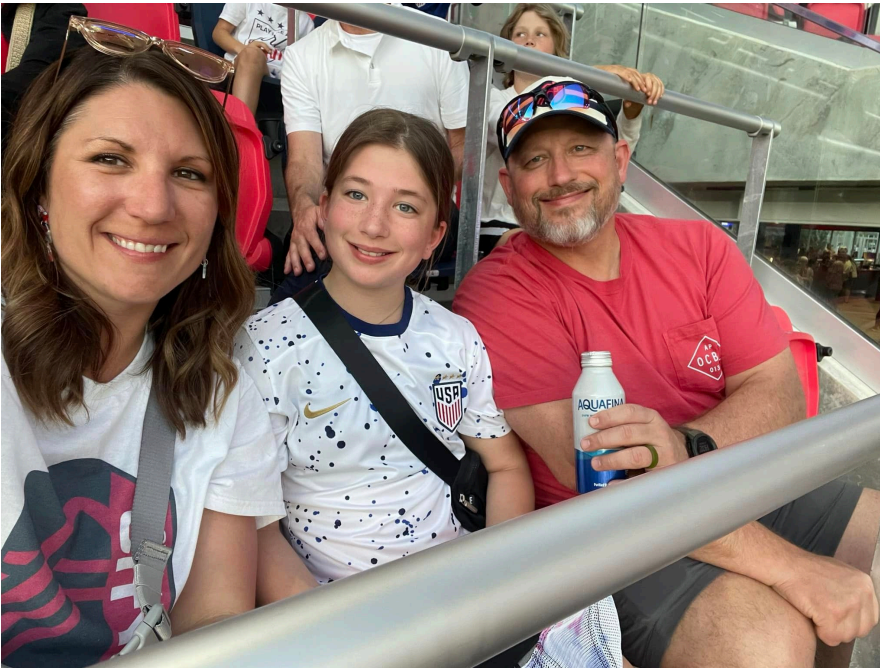
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NAME: FRANK CROCKETT, Member



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Frankie G. Crockett Jr. holds the position of Executive Vice President for a local company known as Client Services, Inc. He was born and raised in Highland, Illinois, a small farming community. Upon graduation from high school, Frankie entered the United States Marine Corps, and dedicated six years to his service there.

Frankie is married to Megan (Cleary), a proud St. Charles Borromeo Alumni. They have been married for over 18 years and have one daughter, Gwen, currently a 6th-grade student at Borromeo. Frank also has three older daughters: Krystal, Katie, and Kelsey as well as seven grandchildren.

Frankie converted to Catholicism, over 20 years ago, after attending the RCIA program where he was sponsored by his father-in-law, Ron Cleary. Frankie always had a deep desire to join the church. Upon encountering the RCIA program, he realized one didn't have to be *born* a Catholic to *become* a Catholic. His faith is an integral part of his identity.

Service is second nature to Frankie, and he very much looks forward to fulfilling his role as a member of the school board to further serve the needs of the St. Charles Borromeo Family.

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NAME: BILL FLOODMAN, Member



Bill Floodman is sole member of Floodman Law LLC, a small law firm located in O'Fallon, Missouri. He is a general practitioner with an emphasis in Creditors Rights, Trust and Estate Planning and Administration and Landlord/Tenant matters.

Bill is married to Heather, a Kindergarten teacher at St. Charles Borromeo School. Their daughter, Ellie, is a freshman in high school while second daughter, Fiona, (7th grade), and son, William, (5th grade) both attend Borrromeo. They are proud to be a Bobcat family. Bill is honored to serve on the board and represent the parents and community of St. Charles Borromeo.

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NAME: JENNIFER MACK, Member



Jennifer Mack and her husband, Brian, were married in 2002. They moved to St. Charles in 2010 and became members of St. Charles Borromeo shortly after moving to the area. They have a son, Greyson, (5th grade) who currently attends Borromeo.

Jennifer is a professor and Dean at Lindenwood University. She holds undergraduate and graduate degrees in accounting and education with a PhD in applied management and decision sciences specializing in accounting. Professionally, her areas of expertise are SEC reporting requirements for public companies and higher education accreditation.

As a family, the Macks love sports and travel. Usually you can find them either at one of Greyson's games, playing golf or skiing.

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NAME: JAMIE OVLIA, Member



Jamie Ovlia is the proud owner of Primrose School of St. Charles at Heritage. She found herself drawn to the field of early childhood education when her oldest daughter was born. Prior to Primrose, Jamie worked as a physician assistant in the field of oncology. She also worked in medical affairs at a large pharmaceutical company.

She attended Truman State University where she obtain a bachelor's degree in health science. She went on to pursue a Master of Medical Science from Northwestern University.

Jamie and her husband, Vince, are the proud parents of Borromeo 3rd grader, Penelope, and twin 6-year old boys, Benson and Leo. The Ovlia's fell in love with the sense of community and focus on education at Borromeo. Jamie feels strongly about supporting the Borromeo community through involvement and volunteering, but most of all, she wants to support the Borromeo faculty and staff, who are the foundation of the school. Jamie is honored to serve on the board to help continue the tradition of excellence at St. Charles Borromeo School.

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NAME: COLIN WELLENKAMP, Member



Colin Wellenkamp is the Executive Director of the Mississippi River Cities & Towns Initiative, an association comprised of United States Mayors in 101 cities along the Mississippi River and located in ten states. Colin is a trained lawyer, environmental scientist, and adjunct professor at Washington University and Saint Louis University. He is impassioned and energetic about helping the community.

Colin is married to Aléjandra, a Customs & Border Patrol National Program Manager. Being a husband to Alé, and father to his fifth-grader, Victoria, and 3-yr-old daughter, Isabel, are his favorite jobs of all.

In his spare time, Colin offers job-training courses and career counseling to adults facing significant employment obstacles. He believes that the St. Charles Borromeo community is strong, diverse and blessed with opportunity.

Colin considers it an honor to serve on the Board and looks forward to working with you and representing your needs.

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NAME: CHRISTINE WOODY, Member



Christine Woody and her husband, Paul, joined St. Charles Borromeo Parish ten years ago (and since that time, neither the Woodys nor the parish have ever been the same!) They are both incredibly engaged in church activities and they each serve as the chairpersons for the parish picnic. Christine and Paul have two sons who attend Borromeo; Brendan is a freshman and Alex is in 5th grade.

Christine earned her Masters in Social Work from Saint Louis University and works at Empower Missouri. Paul is an experienced business attorney and litigator, who also attended Saint Louis University. Needless to say, the Woody's love their Billikens!

Christine is excited for, yet, another opportunity to give back to the community by serving on the St. Charles Borromeo School Board.

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