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This is my third year teaching middle school language arts and reading at St Celestine School. I have taught in the Chicago Archdiocese schools for the past eleven years and believe that faith development is an important component of middle school education. I hold a Bachelor's degree in English from Bryn Mawr College, a Master of Divinity from Princeton Theological Seminary, and a Master of Education in Curriculum Studies with a reading concentration from DePaul University.

Students will be using mentor texts to analyze and emulate writers' techniques. As we connect our lives to the stories and analyze a variety of works, students will also have opportunities to explore the writing process by pre-writing, drafting, revising, self-editing, and publishing for real audiences. It is wonderful to watch our students grow into stronger thinkers and writers during the year.

When I am not in the classroom, I enjoy spending time with my husband, a professor at DePaul, our three children, and two beagles. Music fills our home, where I like to play the piano and listen to music. I am looking forward to the upcoming year and being part of the St. Celestine community.