

My passion is teaching people about God and our awesome catholic faith. I am from Panama City, Florida. I was the high school youth director at my old parish and also taught 2nd grade Religious Education. Upon moving to Fredericksburg five years ago, I decided to **slowly** start working on my college degree. I graduated in 2020 from the University of Mary Washington. I am happily married with three adorable children. Two of my children have graduated from HCA and one is currently in the 7th grade.

I am childlike, energetic, and simply adore children of all ages. I tell my students that my classroom is the place where they are supposed to take on challenges, fail, and learn from their failures. I love seeing the growth that happens when my students push themselves to the limits, struggle, and then finally find success. I teach with four simple ingredients: love, compassion, energy, and a smile. I am excited to be teaching 2nd grade and cannot wait to bring my love of the Eucharist and our catholic faith to my amazing students.