Bulletin note June 24-25, 2023 – Sarah Mescher, Coordinator of Elementary CCD

**Sarah Mescher, Coordinator of Religious Education, Elementary CCD**

Dear Parishioners,

We are glad to announce and welcome Holy Redeemer parishioner Sarah Mescher as our new Coordinator of Religious Education, Elementary CCD. We received four applications for the position, three from Holy Redeemer. An interview team consisting of an Education Commission member, two CCD teachers, a parishioner with Human Resources/hiring experience and myself interviewed the applicants. We were blest with three gifted and talented candidates from Holy Redeemer and were confident that all three would have been excellent and faith filled CRE's, but we needed to narrow our search down to one. After lengthy discernment and prayer, we offered the position to Sarah and she accepted.

Sarah is known for her organization and ability to handle a variety of things at one time, being comfortable talking to children, peers and parents, filled with a fire and passion to learn the faith and share it with others while also being able to say I don't know then researching and getting back to folks with the answer. Her background with special needs may also be helpful in situations that may arise. Sarah will be transitioning into the position during the month of July with guidance from Kathy Pape and Jenny Sailer and ready to assume full duties by August 1st.

Please join us in welcoming Sarah and supporting her efforts, along with Jenny and all our teachers and parents witnessing and passing on the gift of faith to our children.

Sincerely in Christ, Fr. Ken Schnipke, C.PP.S., Pastor

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