

# Notre Dame Roman Catholic Parish

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## Statement of Msgr. Edward L. Buel, Pastor On the Hiring of a New Principal for Notre Dame School

I am pleased to inform you that, having concluded a thorough search for a new principal and with the unanimous recommendation of the principal search committee, I have hired Mr. Gregory Caudle to be principal of Notre Dame Parish School.

Mr. Caudle brings much to Notre Dame Parish School. First of all he brings a deep love for and devotion to Jesus, the church, and the poor. For example, for the past two years he has been mission director of the Franciscan Works + Liberia Mission in the Republic of Liberia. In addition to his current service in Liberia he served for two years in the United States Peace Corps as the community health educator in Moldova.

Greg brings a wealth of educational expertise and experience. Academically he holds master's degrees in education/professional leadership (from Regis University) and arts/theology (from the Augustine Institute). From July 2008–June 2011 he served as assistant principal of Denver's St. Vincent de Paul Parish School. From July 2011–June 2016 he served as principal of Littleton's St. Mary Catholic School.

As a Catholic educator and principal Mr. Caudle strives to build a Catholic culture and touch hearts with and teach minds the Truth that is Jesus. He prioritizes the formation of the whole person, the professional development of the teaching staff, and transitioning schools in the use of new technologies.

Mr. Caudle and his wife, Kristen, have been married for 13 years. They are the parents of four children ranging in age from 2-10. They will be returning to Denver in June; Greg begins his service as principal on July 1. I will arrange an opportunity to introduce Mr. Caudle to the school and parish community sometime over the summer.

I thank all who assisted me in this search process, especially the members of the search committee and the Notre Dame Parish School community for their prayers, support, and the trust they place in me and in the school on behalf of their children.

Finally, I thank Mrs. Molis for her extraordinary service and devotion to Notre Dame Parish and our school these many decades. Her legacy is one of love, leadership, and success on behalf of thousands and thousands of children and their families who, because of her, have come to know Christ and the truth of his love and creation. We assure her of our prayers and friendship.

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