

MEET THE STAFF

Kim Palmer Director of Catholic Formation



Kim Palmer has worked in Catholic Formation for the past 25 years. IN 1983, she began as a volunteer catechist. Kim was hired as a staff member of the CF team in 1992, and appointed as Director of Catholic Formation in 1998. As the CF Director, Kim oversees the catechetical ministry, sacramental teaching, catechetical study, work camp and youth ministry. Kim has been working to develop an adult enrichment program which began in the Fall of 2009.

In 2002, Kim was trained in the Safe and Sacred Places, which was started in our parish in November of 2003. This program is designed to create a safe environment for people to come and to learn. Safe and Sacred provides children with the awareness of bullying, peer pressure and sexual abuse. Through Safe and Sacred, the Catechists have an awareness of handling discipline and other issues, as well as observing changes that may occur in children. Safe and Sacred helps adults to respect other people and their opinions, those who care for elderly persons, as well as those persons who minister to people who are in the hospital, nursing homes, or are home bound. Each Fall, Kim provides new Catechists with the Safe and Sacred Training as well as ongoing training to all returning Catechists. This program assures that everyone in our parish community is safe in all aspects of our parish life.

When asked what keeps her here, Kim was quick to respond that it is those “aha” moments, when Christ has touched someone’s heart.

Kim and her husband, Terry, have 3 children and have lived in this area since they were married over 25 years ago.

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