



*A Special Message
from Christ the King.*

April 20, 2018

Dear Members of the Christ the King Family,

I have wonderful news to share with you! The Board of Directors of our Parish Day School is pleased to announce that our Interim Head of School - Summer Stough - has been offered and has accepted the position as Head of School for The Tree House Episcopal Montessori School.

After a thorough search process that drew well-qualified candidates from all over the country, the Search Committee performed multiple rounds of interviews with a number of candidates. Throughout this process, we learned a lot not only about the candidates, but also about ourselves, and our church and school. One thing that we learned was that the person who God has called to lead our Parish Day School into the next chapter of its life is already here in our midst. Summer's resume, interviews, and experience placed her at the top of the candidate pool, and we were humbled and honored to offer her the position.

Summer has extensive experience with school and parish administration, an established history in early childhood education, experience and passion for Christian formation, and a long working history with the Episcopal Church. Furthermore, as the Interim Head of School, Summer has successfully managed the numerous challenges of the school's transition, and we are confident about the direction that our Parish Day School is headed.

Summer and I, along with our Vestry, School Board, Faculty, and Staff recognize that there is a lot of important work that lies ahead. Just this week, we were pleased to announce that Phase 1 of the construction process for our new school building has been approved by the School Board and Vestry, and the Engineering process is underway. Together, with God's help and all of our prayers and support, we will continue to work towards building the best Episcopal Montessori early education program we can.

For those of you who do not know Summer, we will introduce and celebrate her during the 10:30 worship service on Sunday, April 29.

Eastertide Blessings and Peace,

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