

MEET THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families,

Happy summer! I hope you all are enjoying time together. I wanted to take a moment to introduce myself before the school year starts. I know many of you are curious about your new principal!

My name is Pam Jimison and I am so very excited to be serving the Lord this year at Victory Christian. This letter may be lengthy (sorry!) so feel free to set it aside until you can sit back, relax, and enjoy some reading. I wish to share with you my personal and professional life!



I grew up in San Jose, California, and attended Christian schools - elementary through college. I gave my life to the Lord at age five and have loved my relationship with the Lord for as long as I can remember. He is everything to me! I attended Valley Christian in Saratoga (now in San Jose) and my mom worked as a math teacher at the middle school. I loved my Christian school education. I have been married to my best friend and husband, Lee, for 31 years and we live in El Dorado Hills. We have two grown and married children - Lauren and Brett. Both of our kids attended Christian schools K-12. Lauren graduated from Azusa Pacific University with a Sports Ministry degree and she is a coach, professional athlete, and works in property management. She and her husband Seth live in Santa Barbara. Brett graduated from Cal Berkeley with a Physics degree. He and his wife Naomi live in Auburn and he works as a Test Engineer for TSI. We also have 2 dogs, Charlie and Raleigh. Our family attends Lakeside Church in Folsom where I have been active as an elder and on the missions team. I have served on short term mission teams in Mozambique, Ethiopia, Brazil, New York, Katrina Relief, Mexico, and India. I am a World Vision Child Ambassador. I enjoy healthy eating, running, cycling (MTB and road), writing, and art.

I hold a M.Ed. in Teaching & Learning with an emphasis in Instructional Technology. I also have a single subject (English) teaching credential, multiple subject teaching credential, and ACSI administration certificate. I have worked in education since 1985 with most of my career in Christian education. I have worked as a teacher (grades K, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12), technology coordinator, college professor, college educational technologist, student teaching supervisor, mentor teacher, and principal. My past two years have been in the public charter school system where I learned a lot about current trends. While I love the experience I received, it confirmed my love for Christian education. As a follower of Christ, not only is it my desire to be a passionate and productive follower of Christ, but it is also my mission to transform others through discipleship. I believe that there is one true God and my purpose in life is to serve Him.

As the ultimate creator, He has given each person specific gifts and talents and it is up to each person to use the gifts and talents to serve Him. Romans 8:28 (New International Version) states, "And we know that all things work for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose." It is my belief that God has a purpose for each child; thus, it is my duty as a Christian educator to do all I can to help that child understand the truth of God and his salvation so that the child will become a fully functioning Kingdom citizen.

I am thrilled to serve you this year as your elementary principal and I look forward to an awesome year!

In His Service,

Mrs. Pamela Jimison