



**Mrs. Chantel Pekarcik** joined Trinity Christian Academy in 2017. She received a Bachelor's degree in both Elementary Education and Special Education from the University of Missouri - St. Louis. Chantel strongly believes every child deserves to learn in an environment where they feel included, valued, and loved. She has enjoyed teaching in the classroom, a homeschool co-op, and in children's ministries. Chantel is passionate about sharing her love of Jesus with others and feels privileged to partner with parents in discipling their children. She believes children are a great reminder of what it means to have "childlike faith" as we trust in Jesus. She is married with three children and in her spare time she likes to garden, read, and watch the Kansas City Chiefs play football. Chantel and her family are active members of The Crossing in Chesterfield and enjoy serving in Kids Crossing.