## **WELCOME**



## TO FAITH FORMATION

We are excited for your family to join us for Faith Formation this year. We can't wait to get to know you and your children! There have been a few changes in staffing this past year and so we wanted to take a minute to introduce ourselves!



## **MELISSA FOX**

DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION GRADES 1-5, FIRST SACRAMENTS & VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Hello! I am Melissa Fox and have been a part of the St. Francis Xavier staff since 2015, as the Director of Youth Ministry. I have been in charge of Vacation Bible School over my years here, so I may look familiar to some of your kids! With Shelby Vaske retiring, I have taken over her role as Director of Grades 1-5 and first sacraments. I have over 20 years experience in parish ministry and in my previous parish directed their program 1st through 11th grade. I am really excited for this new adventure and look forward to getting to know you and your children! My husband of almost 20 years have 4 kids, ranging in age from 18-6. I am a huge Twins fan, I love to scrapbook, take pictures, read and take care of my flower gardens. I can't wait to get to know your families! Please reach out with any questions.

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## **KRISTEN NEUMAN**

DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY, GRADES 6-9 AND CONFIRMATION

Hi there, I'm Kristen Neuman! I'll be serving as faith formation/confirmation director and youth minister for grades 6-12, which was Melissa Fox's previous role. I am glad to be a part of the One In Christ community and very much look forward to getting to know families and young people through faith formation and a lot of fun! When you see me around ask me about growing up on a dairy farm near Freeport, volunteering at TEC in Little Falls, about my husband of 5 years- Nick, or my favorite Disney movie or TikTok videos. Thanks in advance for being patient with me as I learn this role in a new-to-me parish, though I've held similar roles over the last 8 years. Reach out anytime and I'll see you soon!

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Please introduce yourself to us when you see us around! We are very excited to walk on your families faith journey with you!

