

Faculty FOCUS

Kristen Chibitty
Mathematics



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Degree(s)/Degree-granting institution: B.A. in Mathematics (St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN) B.A. in English Writing (St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN), M.A. mathematics (University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS)

Academic area: Mathematics, Speech, Theater

Years teaching/Years teaching at St. Pius X: 23

What did you want to be when you were growing up? Mailman or an author

What's the best piece of advice you've been given? Love is a choice. You can choose to fall in love with anyone or anything on any given day.

If you could have any superpower what would it be? Being "full of grace" would come in handy.

What are you currently reading for enjoyment?

War and Peace; The Foundation Series; Romeo and Juliet; The Swiss Family Robinson; Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry; The Great Gatsby; Rebecca; Island of the Blue Dolphins; Number the Stars; Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm

To what teams and/or clubs did you belong as a student? Drama and Catholic youth group

When did you decide to become a teacher, and why did you choose this field?

While I was teaching at the University of Kansas, I was shocked that people in college didn't know what a common denominator was.