## **2025 Trustee Election**

St. Albert Catholic Schools

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I am honored to seek re-election as a Trustee for Greater St. Albert Catholic Schools, with over a decade of dedicated service in this role, a deep commitment to Catholic education, and strong community roots.

As an advocate for publicly funded Catholic education, I am proud to support our students and their families across our division. I believe deeply in the power of faith-based learning and remain committed to ensuring that our schools continue to be places where students thrive academically, spiritually, and socially.

As a Francophone, I am particularly passionate about supporting the French Immersion program in our division. Bilingualism is a gift, and I believe that providing students with the opportunity to learn in both official languages is vital to their personal growth and success in today's global world.

Raised in Morinville and a graduate of G.H. Primeau School, I have called St. Albert home for the past 21 years. My wife and I have been blessed to raise two wonderful daughters. Our eldest recently graduated from École Secondaire St. Albert Catholic High School and is now studying at the University of Alberta. Both daughters plan to pursue careers in education, inspired by the teachers and experiences they've had within our division.

Over the years, I've been privileged to contribute to the progress and success of our division through active involvement on several key committees, including the Bargaining Committee, the First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Leadership Committee, the Audit Committee, and as a representative to the Alberta Catholic School Trustees' Association (ACSTA). Each role has deepened my understanding of the challenges our division faces and the opportunities that lie ahead.

As a long-standing member of St. Albert Catholic Parish, I understand the vital connection between faith, family, and education. My unwavering goal as Trustee is to ensure that Catholic education continues to thrive as a publicly funded option for families now and in the future.

If re-elected, I will continue working to ensure our division excels in faith formation, academic achievement, athletics, the arts, and above all, remains a safe and caring environment for all students, families, and faculty members.

Thank you for your continued trust and support.

God bless.