

Team Member Spotlight

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SKILLS AND AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

- Crisis management
- Messaging

WHY DOES YOUR WORK MATTER TO YOU?

I love my role at the Diocese because I have the opportunity to spread the Good News of our Catholic faith with others. There's so much incredible work happening throughout our diocese, from our parishes and schools to our diocesan ministries and the work of Catholic Charities. Every day, I get to see the Gospel lived out in tangible ways.

WHAT IS SOMETHING PEOPLE MAY BE SURPRISED TO LEARN ABOUT YOU?

I first began serving the church at eight years old as an altar server! I was very excited to receive my first communion because that meant I could become an altar server. Since then, I have always had a passion for wanting to serve the Church and help spread God's message to others.

HOW DOES YOUR ROLE IMPACT THE DIOCESE AND THE PEOPLE YOU SERVE?

By helping tell the story of how God is at work throughout the Diocese of Saint Petersburg. My role is to help make sure that our message is clear, consistent, and rooted in the Gospel while supporting the mission of our bishop, parishes, schools, ministries, and Catholic organizations. I help to do this through photography, writing articles, social media strategies, and much more!

SHARE A LITTLE ABOUT YOUR FAITH JOURNEY:

I grew up with parents who always prioritized Catholic values and serving the church. I'm so grateful for the sacrifice that my parents made in giving me a Catholic education. The experience allowed me to grow up in environments that were rooted in Catholic teachings. Gospel values were taught in every classroom and instilled in me as a young person growing in faith. It has certainly formed the person I am today and inspired my desire to serve the Church.

Learn more about Allison, see the recent article about her in the Wednesday Wave!