



## Every Brick Matters

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Dear TC Family,

*"Let us rise up and build."*  
**Nehemiah 2:18**

As we begin this new chapter at Turlock Christian School, my heart is filled with gratitude. God has faithfully carried our school through a challenging season. He has sustained us through the steadfast dedication of our faculty and staff, the faithful service of our Board of Trustees, the generosity of our families, donors, and ministry partners, and the countless prayers of those who believe deeply in the mission of Christian education.

Today, it is my joy to officially welcome Matt and his family to the Turlock Christian community. We thank God for calling him to serve during this exciting season, and we pray that the Lord will grant him wisdom, discernment, strength, and joy as he begins this new ministry.

One of my favorite lessons from the book of Nehemiah is that God's work is never accomplished by one leader alone. When the walls of Jerusalem were rebuilt, every family accepted responsibility for a portion of the wall. Together, they accomplished what none of them could have done individually.

The same is true at Turlock Christian School.

Every parent has a brick to lay.  
Every teacher has a brick to lay.  
Every student has a brick to lay.  
Every alumnus has a brick to lay.  
Every donor has a brick to lay.  
Every church partner has a brick to lay.  
Every volunteer has a brick to lay.

Each of us has been given the privilege of strengthening this community and investing in the lives of our students. Every act of service, every prayer, every gift, every encouraging word, and every faithful commitment helps advance the mission God has entrusted to Turlock Christian School.

As Matt begins his first 90 days of leadership, I invite our entire community to intentionally pray for him and his family. Pray that God will give him wisdom in every decision, favor as he builds relationships across our school community, discernment as he listens and learns, and courage to lead wherever God directs. Pray also that God will continue to unite us around our shared mission of providing an excellent Christ-centered education that shapes hearts, minds, and lives for His Kingdom.

The opportunities before us are exciting, and the work God has entrusted to us is worthy of our very best. Together, by His grace, let us rise up and build not only for the students who walk our halls today but also for the generations who will follow. May everything we build be founded on Christ, accomplished through unity, and done for His glory.

With faith for the future,

**Johanna Fischer**

Chairwoman of the Board

Turlock Christian School

*"In faith, family, and future..."*

