Job Opening: 4th Grade Elementary Teacher

St. Therese Catholic Academy (STCA) seeks a full-time 4th Grade Teacher teacher beginning in August 2020. The 4th Grade teacher is required to teach religion, math, language arts & literacy, science, and social studies to all students. STCA is a Preschool-8th grade Catholic elementary school in the heart of the Madrona neighborhood of Seattle, just 2 miles east of downtown. St. Therese is a welcoming, diverse, and faith-filled community that has been igniting the faith, minds, and dreams of our students since 1927. The school currently serves 165 students ages 3-14, 35% of whom receive free/reduced lunch and 60% of our families receive tuition assistance. Our staff has around 30 team members. Our enrollment goal for 20-21 is 175-180 for our 93rd school year. We are one of the most diverse (racially, ethnically, religiously, economically, geographically) Catholic schools in the region. We are a small community with a family feel. We have a growing service-learning program, a distinct Blended Learning model that allows us to individualize the learning experience for each child and readily access data to inform instruction through technologically enriched resources and programs. Our school curriculum has also been adding project-based learning initiatives to align with our service-learning focus areas. We have a dual-leadership administrative model with a VP over academics and school culture and a Principal over operations and advancement to better support our students, families, and teachers in the next chapter of our storied history.

The intermediate team (3rd-5th Grade) consists of 3 teachers along with a mentor teacher/coach and each classroom is self-contained with opportunities for collaboration, joint planning through the PLC process, and potential class sharing/swapping in different content areas. Applicants should be mission-driven, highly motivated, dedicated, and creative individuals who are interested in working with students and families from all backgrounds in a diverse, Catholic setting. The ideal candidate will bring passion, energy, faith and a strong work ethic with a desire to become an instructional leader and enjoy partnering with colleagues and parents. The candidate must also desire to help students of varying ability levels succeed.

Minimum Requirements:

- Bachelor Degree in Education (Master’s preferred)
- Understanding and genuine appreciation of children
- Desire to work in a racially and economically diverse, faith-centered community
- Ability to utilize educational technology in the classroom
- Preferred active Catholic
- Current Washington (or out of state) teaching certificate (or the ability to obtain one) with a (preferably) K-5 (minimum) endorsement

This position comes with full benefits and a competitive salary. Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to STCA Principal Matthew DeBoer and Vice Principal Teresa Day at principal@stcaseattle.org and vp@stcaseattle.org. Follow-up outreach via phone calls are welcome at 206.995.8100.

Candidates of color are encouraged to apply.