

2026 Pastoral Council Election Candidates

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Church | Weekend of April 25/26 at Mass

You will be asked to vote for Three (3) of the candidates.



Marc D'Annunzio (Joined OLA in 2018)

BIO: Father of 2 girls (one Marist graduate presently at University of Florida, one 4th grader at OLA). Lifelong Catholic. Fintech lawyer. Excited about the OLA community and the opportunity to serve!

PARISH INVOLVEMENT: Christ Renews His Parish (participated 2024, volunteered 2026) Music Ministry (11:30am Mass)

BRINGS TO THE COUNCIL: I truly believe OLA is an exceptional community with remarkable growth potential. I'd like to be part of helping this community prosper and grow.



Terence Kozmor (Joined OLA in 2023)

BIO: I grew up in the Catholic Church and my faith has always been an important part of my life. My family and I are active members of the parish and attend Mass regularly each Sunday. I currently serve as both an usher and a greeter, and my wife is involved in the parish Women's Circle. Professionally, I have spent more than 25 years in the health and fitness field, working with individuals and families to improve their health and well-being. My work focuses on building strong relationships, supporting people in their goals, and fostering community. My family and I care deeply about this parish and are grateful to be part of such a strong faith community. We hope our son will attend the parish school for kindergarten next year and look forward to continuing to grow our involvement in the parish.

PARISH INVOLVEMENT: I currently serve as both an usher and a greeter at Mass, helping welcome parishioners and support the flow of the liturgy. My family and I attend Mass regularly each Sunday and actively participate in parish life. My wife is also involved in the Women's Circle at OLA, which has been a meaningful way for our family to connect more deeply with the parish community.

BRINGS TO THE COUNCIL: I hope to bring a strong sense of service, energy, and community to the council. Much of my life and professional work has been centered around helping people grow, supporting others, and building positive communities. I enjoy listening to different perspectives and working together to find thoughtful solutions. My faith and my family are very important to me, and I try to live those values both within the Church and in my everyday life. As someone who is actively involved in the parish, I would hope to bring a practical perspective, a willingness to help wherever needed, and a genuine commitment to supporting the continued growth and strength of our parish community.



Madilyn Kramer (Joined OLA in 2018)

BIO: I am an active parishioner and current volunteer leader within our parish community, serving as VP of Communication & Volunteer Services for our Home and School Board and co-chair of our Women's Circle ministry. In these roles, I work to strengthen communication, improve processes, and foster meaningful engagement among families and parish members. With a professional background in nursing and experience collaborating within administrative teams, I value thoughtful systems, clear communication, and servant leadership. I am passionate about building strong, faith-centered community and would be honored to contribute to the Parish Council's mission of guiding and supporting our parish's growth.

PARISH INVOLVEMENT: I participated in the Parish Engagement Council briefly before committing to lead our Women's Circle ministry over the past two years. I regularly participate in Mary's Mother's and a Small Faith group Ministry, as well as co-lead another Small Faith group. I recently completed Lector training to also begin participating in the Lector Ministry.

BRINGS TO THE COUNCIL: I hope to bring a thoughtful, prayerful, and solutions-oriented perspective to the Pastoral Council. I value listening carefully before acting, asking clarifying questions, and helping translate ideas into clear, actionable next steps. I believe strong councils balance mission with practical implementation, and I would seek to contribute by supporting strategic thinking while remaining attentive to the needs and experiences of parish families.

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Mark Pighini (Joined OLA in 2025)

BIO: I've lived in Atlanta since moving here from northern New Jersey in 1997. I share life with my wife, Jennifer, and our two daughters, Gianna (17) and Antonia (15); as a family, we love traveling, trying new restaurants, and living our faith through service... my faith has consistently shaped how I think about leadership, stewardship, and responsibility to others. Professionally, I'm a Partner at Deloitte Consulting, where I've spent the last 30 years helping some of the world's largest organizations make sound decisions about deploying capital... Leveraging my time, talent and treasure in service of Christ and his body has been an important part of my life for many years. I currently serve as the Board Chairman at City of Refuge, a Christian organization bringing light, hope and transformation to people in crisis. My family also volunteers with Lighthouse Family Retreat, a Christian organization that supports families navigating childhood cancer. I'm a Woodruff Arts Center trustee and finance committee member, and I previously served in multiple leadership roles with Atlanta Habitat for Humanity, including Board Chairman.

PARISH INVOLVEMENT: While I haven't held a formal volunteer role at OLA, I have tried to serve Christ and His Church through faith formation, Christian community, and mission-driven service beyond the parish walls.

BRINGS TO THE COUNCIL: I hope to bring humility and a servant-leader mindset that helps our parish more fully live its mission—growing as a worshipping community, forming disciples, serving those in need, and stewarding the parish's resources responsibly. Spiritually, I've been Catholic my entire life and have invested for years in my own faith formation, which shapes how I listen, discern, and build unity. Practically, I hope to help the Council be an effective advisory body to Father Dan—grounded in prayerful discernment, attention to parishioner needs, and focused on initiatives that strengthen parish life and evangelization.



Sue Soha (Joined OLA in 2003)

BIO: Sue converted to Catholicism in San Diego 1998, before marrying her husband, Gregg. Together, they raised three young men: Andrew and James, who graduated from St. Pius X and John, who is a junior there. Over the last 20+ years, she was called to minister to and provide pastoral care to parishioners at OLA. Sue takes the rhythm of work and rest she learned from her Spiritual Director and SoulCore practice and has applied that to her life by founding a private physical therapy and women's wellness practice, leading retreats for others, adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, praying the Rosary with moms for the students at OLA and SPX, attending silent retreats at the Ignatious House, walking along the Chattahoochee River, playing on the beach and in the U.P. of Michigan, and relaxing in her infrared sauna and resting in the arms of Jesus. A Few of Sue's Favorite Scripture Verses: Deuteronomy 6:5; Psalm 46:5; Jer. 29:11; Joshua 1:9

PARISH INVOLVEMENT: Sue serves as an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, is a member of a small faith group, Centering Prayer Group, and Walking With Purpose. She serves as a Stephen Minister and enjoys praying for the priests at OLA as a member of the Seven Sisters Apostolate. She brought Walking With Purpose Women's Bible Study to OLA in 2023 and enjoyed serving as a facilitator. She brought the Catechesis of the Good Shephard to children ages 3-9 years old of all abilities in 2008 and served as a catechist for 9 years in OLAs Parish Religious Education Program and for 3 years at the OLA preschool. She brought the SoulCore Apostolate to OLA in 2020 and lead classes for the parishioners. She was a leader for Children's Liturgy of the Word from 2007-2013. She attended Christ Renews His Parish in the late 2000's and enjoys supporting the ministry each year.

BRINGS TO THE COUNCIL: As a convert to Catholicism, she hopes to bring her strong faith and love of Scripture to the members of the parish and get to know more of the members by being a member of the OLA Parish Council. She cares deeply for others' souls and has a passion for being Jesus' hands and feet to others. She feels God's call to serve on the Parish Council wherever needed, if it is His will.



Adria Tapp (Joined OLA in 2016)

BIO: I am an Atlanta native and a proud product of Catholic education, having attended Christ the King for elementary school and graduating from Marist School in 2007. I went on to earn a bachelor's degree in finance, with a minor in Art History, from the University of Georgia. After college, I began my career with KPMG LLP, where I currently serve as a Managing Director in the valuation practice, specializing in the valuation of businesses and intangible assets. While working at KPMG, I became a CFA Charterholder. I am married to my high school sweetheart, Jimmy Tapp, whom I met at Marist, and together we have three daughters: Iler, Mary Egen, and Sutton, who all attend OLA School. Our family joined OLA in 2016 while preparing for Iler's baptism, and we are grateful to call the parish home. We currently live in North Buckhead.

PARISH INVOLVEMENT: I am involved in parish life at OLA through faith formation, parish engagement, and athletics. I lead a vibrant small faith group of 13 women in the parish who meet monthly. I also serve on the Parish Engagement Council, where I have led and organized both the annual Run to Church and Ministry Fair since its inception three years ago. I have also been involved in OLA's athletic ministry for the past two years as head coach of the 4th grade girls CMLA basketball team.

BRINGS TO THE COUNCIL: As a lifelong parishioner and parent of three daughters at OLA School, this parish is truly home to me. It is where my family worships, where my children are being formed, and where my extended family has built deep roots in faith and community. I hope to bring to the Pastoral Council a deep love for our parish, a strong sense of stewardship, and a natural leadership style grounded in service. I want to offer my time, energy, and talents to help OLA continue to grow, evolve, and flourish as an extraordinary place for families, faith formation, and community.