# CHAPLAIN MIDDLE DIVISION 194

2025-2026

#### POSITION

Casady School is seeking a Middle Division Chaplain for the 2025-26 school year. Candidates should love religious studies and walking alongside 5th-8th graders in their extraordinary and sometimes chaotic lives.

## POSITION DESCRIPTION

#### The Ideal Candidate:

- Practices the Christian faith in a generous and non-anxious manner
- · Exhibits enthusiasm for teaching religious studies and holistic spiritual living
- Eager to explore religion and spiritual life with students and faculty from every Christian tradition, all five major world religions, and those with no religious affiliation
- Interested in developing innovative curricula with a variety of assessments
- Has an interest in connecting middle school students to the world of nonprofit and philanthropic work
- Believes in the value of collaboration across academic departments

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Program and lead a daily 20-minute middle school chapel service (collaboratively with the Senior Chaplain)
- Teach four sections daily of a four-year Bible survey (5th 8th grade)
- · Advise a small group of Middle Division students
- Share conversation with students at a family-style dining table during lunch
- Develop an approach to building student leadership in the Middle Division Chapel
- Facilitate community service learning for the Middle Division, grades 5th 8th
- Participate in curriculum development, division-level activities, and school-wide functions
- Support and adhere to administration and school-wide policies
- · Other duties as assigned

#### **Requirements:**

- Bachelor's Degree required, Master's Degree preferred some humanities or religion education also preferred
- Understanding of child development and best practices in education
- Ability to learn and utilize technology to enhance student learning
- Positive, proactive communication style with colleagues, administration, students, and parents

# **OUR BELIEFS**

We believe an exceptional education should cultivate those habits of mind and character that enable individuals to flourish at each stage of life. Casady School's proven college-preparatory curriculum focuses on the full development of each student in mind, body, and spirit.

We believe the mind should be nourished and developed; therefore, our academic program provides our students the challenges and opportunities necessary to develop critical and creative thinking skills, the ability to plan, evaluate and implements actions, and most importantly, the support to nurture their passions.

We believe competitive athletics and physical education are central to the development of leadership and teamwork as well as self-confidence and respect for others. Our students are participants rather than simply spectators. Casady provides healthy and competitive opportunities that are critical to developing an appreciation for wellness and fitness in each student.

We believe strong spiritual and moral values provide an essential foundation for one's life; therefore, the School provides instruction in the basic tenets of the Christian faith as expressed in the Episcopal tradition. Central to the school are daily chapel services and instruction in theology and ethics. Casady embraces individuals regardless of belief and values an understanding of all faiths.

As such, we help our students succeed by challenging and supporting them in every aspect of their educational experience. The result is that our students are given every opportunity to realize their potential and use it to make a difference in their communities.

# **Application Process**

Please send the following application materials to Ms. BrieAnn Lund Johnson, Director of Recruitment and Retention, at careers@casady.org. Include in the subject line "Middle Division Chaplain"

- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Ministry/Teaching Philosophy

Casady School welcomes candidates who reflect the diversity of the world around us and therefore does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender identity, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, nationality, or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, athletics, and other school-administered programs generally accorded or made available to students and employees at the School.

### **Mission Statement**

Casady School develops excellence, confidence, and integrity in students and prepares them with the skills and knowledge that serve as the foundation for success.