

CDC Board Members 2018-2019



Kate Weber – Board Chair
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Kate Weber is a lifelong learner with a passion for PreK-12 education. Kate joined the Child Development Center family in January 2013 when daughter Alice became a Star, as if she weren't one already. Son Luke soon joined the fun as Puppy and has grown within the school to be a Penguin. Because of the school, Kate and her family were inspired to join the Triumphant Love congregation in 2016. When she is not serving as Sock-Finder-in-Chief and Lead Snack Chef at the Weber Haus, Kate runs her own consulting business, serves on the Summit Elementary PTA Board, and volunteers with local non-profits like Hand to Hold. For fun, Kate checks Facebook from the nearest closet and fantasizes about taking a Disney Cruise, possibly sans kids.

Benny Engelke
TLLC Member-/Non-Parent, Present to 2019
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Bennie Engelke joined the CDC Board in 2015. He has been a member of TLLC since 2006. Over the years, he has enjoyed volunteering to assist the pastors, the music, the many caring members, and especially the Child Development Center (CDC). Bennie has two children, Sean Engelke and Jennifer Peck who both live in Austin. His daughter Jennifer and her husband Sam attend TLLC and have three children - Samantha, Jack, and Max. Samantha, Jack and Max all attended the CDC before entering Elementary School.

After graduating from the University of Texas with a BBA in Accounting, Bennie worked for over 42 years with several State Agencies. He served as the Financial Secretary at TLLC for several years, and currently assists with TLLC financial issues. Bennie believes the early years of learning and faith foundation in a child's life are so very important, and the experience created by the staff and families at the CDC will provide lifelong guidance in the future.



Katie Gaide
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Katie Gaide is wife to Shawn and mom to Greta (age 5) and Rosie (age 3). She works in health care communications/public relations and enjoys reading, exploring Austin with her family and exercising two rambunctious dogs. She loves this little pocket of northwest Austin, including our amazing school, which her family will be attending for the fifth year.

Amanda Bofferding
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Amanda Bofferding joined Triumphant Love over a decade ago, and she and her husband Nick were married at TLLC. They are the parents of two graduates, one current student, and one future student of the Child Development Center. Amanda has a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science from Texas A&M University, and taught middle school science for five years before staying home with her children. She has been a Parent Partner at the Child Development Center, taught Sunday School at Triumphant Love, served as a Kindergarten room Mom, and been a Girl Scout troop leader for three years. Though most of her time is spent keeping up with her four kids, Amanda also enjoys cooking, reading, hiking, camping, and spending time with family and friends.



Becky Simpson
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I have almost ten years' experience in the educational field. I have worked in administration at many different childcare facilities in the greater Austin area and I genuinely enjoy working with young children. I have a Bachelor of Science degree in Communications, and a State of Texas Directors license.

I am so excited to be a part of the Triumphant Love family! I love my work with children, their joy and learning always brings love to my heart and a smile to my face. I look forward to getting to know all the children and experiencing this magical school year together, here at Triumphant Love.

Keisha Torres – Teacher Representative, Ongoing

I am so grateful to be welcomed into the Triumphant Love family! I have over fifteen years' experience caring for children ranging in age from six weeks to twelve years. I have cared for many amazing children and families over the years and am excited to become an extension of yours as well!

I am a mother of two great boys. I have been married to my best friend for over 20 years. We have a loving Chihuahua, a fish, and a leopard gecko and 2 cats that complete our family.



Amanda Lipscomb
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I grew up in the Hill Country. Moved to Austin to attend The University of Texas and loved Austin so much that I had to stay. My daughter, Nevell (4), started at Triumphant Love in the Butterflies class. We instantly fell in love with this sweet school. She has since been a Star and Dino, and this year is in the Bears class. My son, Davis (2.5), was anxious to join big sister at school. He started in the Owls class, and this year is a Star.

Aki Stockers
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Aki and her family first came to the CDC in 2013, and her youngest child is so excited to finally attend the preschool her brother and sister love so much! Through the years, Aki has served as parent partner and been involved with the CDC through various volunteering opportunities. After spending ten years in the non-profit sector, Aki changed careers to become an RN. Aki and her husband Shawn have loved seeing how much fun and joy their children have had at the CDC and look forward to another great year!



Laura Mumme
CDC Director, Ongoing
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I am a graduate of UT, go horns and an avid Pittsburgh Steelers fan! I have worked on and off in the childcare field for over 30 years as assistants, leads and as the director in many centers in Austin. I have been at TLLC-CDC for more than 20 years, a church member since 1991.

I am married to my wonderful husband, Chuck and we have three children and even two grandchildren! I love gardening, crafts and cooking in my free time! I have been blessed over the years to work at TLLC-CDC and have loved every minute of it!