

# Rachel Detlaff

2nd Grade



**Experience:** 5 years at St. Peter Lutheran School (second grade)

**College:** Concordia University Wisconsin

**State Credentialed:** Wisconsin

**Degree(s):** B.A. in Elementary Education, minor in Mathematics

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## WHY A CHRISTIAN EDUCATOR?

My family has always been very involved in our church and I went to a Lutheran school when I was growing up. Seeing my teachers share their faith every day helped me see that I wanted to do the same! It is a huge blessing to talk about our great God, read the Bible, pray together, and sing hymns with students every day. Being able to serve the church while teaching in a classroom is a main reason why I chose to become a Christian educator.

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## EDUCATION PHILOSOPHY

### *Proverbs 22:6*

*Teach a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it.*

My goal in the classroom is not just to teach students how to read and do math, but to also teach about Jesus and what he has done for us! I want students to leave my classroom knowing that Jesus loves and cares for them so much that He came to save each and every one of them from their sins!

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## HOBBIES & LIKES

I am an avid coffee lover! I love the color purple, elephants, all things Disney, and music! When I am not at school, I can be found watching movies, reading books, working on puzzles, and doing any number of craft projects. In addition to this, I love to play piano and I serve as the organist for the church.