

In the TMA Spotlight



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MR. JASON KIMAK
*Middle School
Spiritual Development/Bible Teacher
Varsity Soccer Coach*

MRS. RACHEL KIMAK
*6th Grade English Teacher
JV Volleyball Coach*

We are excited to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Kimak to TMA from North Raleigh Christian Academy where they were both teachers. These teachers absolutely love middle school students! They enjoy building relationships with them and having fun! Both teachers are very athletic and will be coaching at TMA. This couple is very mission minded and together they have taken seven mission trips to Costa Rica. While there, they go into public schools with volleyball, soccer, and basketball programs and share the gospel at half-time.



Mrs. Kimak was born in New Jersey and grew up in Alabama. She is the oldest of five with three brothers and one sister. Her mom plays professional bass for two symphonies in Alabama and Georgia. Everyone in her family can sing or play an instrument. She played volleyball, basketball, and softball in high school and also played volleyball in college where she currently holds two volleyball records. Rachel obtained a degree in Education from Tennessee Temple University. Her favorite things to do are travel, hike, run, watch sports, and eat Italian food! She also likes to shop at Kohl's and Target. Mrs. Kimak and her husband enjoy riding their Vespas - scooters that get 75 miles to the gallon!



Mr. Kimak was born in Augusta, Georgia. During his childhood, his family lived in South Carolina, New Jersey, and North Carolina. He is the oldest of three brothers; his dad is a pastor and his mom is a teacher. He played soccer, basketball, and baseball in high school and went on to play soccer in college. Jason has a Business degree from Tennessee Temple University, a Masters of Divinity from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, and will soon have a MA in Ethics from SEBTS. Mr. Kimak loves Starbucks, sporting good stores, and any outdoor activity such as surfing and mountain climbing! Jason proposed to Rachel while rock climbing 30 feet in the air on Lookout Mountain in Chattanooga, TN. He put her ring in the chalk bag!

Both Mr. and Mrs. Kimak are looking forward to the opportunity to minister to TMA students, creating a Godly learning environment, and using their gifts for the Lord.