



CHESTERTON ACADEMY

OF CHRIST THE KING

Headmaster Apolonio Latar

Mr. Apolonio Latar III has taught Theology for the past nine years at St. Paul VI Catholic High School in Chantilly, VA. For the last three years, he also served as an administrator in the role of Academic Dean of Curriculum. He led Paul VI's successful re-accreditation process and formed a cross-curricular team to deepen connections between Theology, English, and History. Mr. Latar also teaches as an adjunct professor at St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry.

Mr. Latar earned his M.Ed. in Administration and Supervision from Marymount University, his undergraduate degree in Philosophy from Rutgers University, and a subsequent Theology degree from the Pontifical Lateran University in Rome. His scholarly work has appeared in journals such as *Communio*, *Religions*, and *Humanum Review*. He has also curated exhibits and delivered presentations on cultural, educational, philosophical, and theological topics. He and his wife, also a Catholic educator, enjoy hiking, traveling, and exploring historical sites, and are now happily discovering the adventure of parenthood with their one-year-old child.

With more than fifteen years of experience in education and youth ministry, Mr. Latar is deeply convinced that the most urgent need for young people today is a passionate belonging to Christ and an intellectual depth capable of contemplating the mysteries of all reality. As Headmaster, he desires that every member of the school community encounter the beauty of the Catholic faith, a faith that stirs the depths of the heart, fills the eyes with wonder, and leads to a joyful and grateful affirmation of the goodness and truth of being.