

# St. Thomas of Canterbury Multi-Academy Trust



**Thomas Becket  
Secondary**



**St. Gregory's  
Primary**



**St. Mary's  
Primary**



**The Good  
Shepherd  
Primary**

As from the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2016 St. Gregory's Catholic Primary School, along with The Good Shepherd and St. Mary's Primary Schools and Thomas Becket Secondary School is governed by St. Thomas of Canterbury Academy Trust (STCAT).

The members of the board to date are:

**Mgr. Kevin McGinnell** (Chair), with experience in secondary and FE College education.

**Susan Fitzgerald**, with experience in HR and trust governance

**Rosemarie Jones**, extensive experience in the Diocese in Primary Education

**Chris Atkin**, experience as a headteacher and many years working in a Catholic Diocese

**Catherine McCarron**, with experience of the Further Education sector

**Julia Rutherford Bates**, with experience of Primary education and a serving headteacher in the diocese

**Tim Redding**, with experience in finance as the Diocesan Financial Secretary

**David Williams**, with experience in business management and school governance

**Teresa Elkin** Clerk to the MAT

*"Any change to move to academy status brings many questions. At the same time it also opens up many opportunities for us all and for the future of Catholic education in Northampton town. Our sincere conviction is that moving to academy status will ensure a successful future for each of the schools in the Trust, working together in partnership.*

*We will work in collaboration with the head teachers of the schools, supported by Maxine Clewlow as our educational lead in the first few months of transition. Each school will also have a local governing committee sharing in the school's day to day running with the headteacher, leadership team and staff. We will build on all that so many people have contributed to our schools over recent years as staff, governors, members of the IEB and advisors. Now we look positively to a secure future for us all."* Monsignor Kevin McGinnell, Chair of the Trust.

If you are interested in being involved in governance of any of the schools please speak to the headteacher of your school.

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