

# St. Simon 8th grade, Room 17



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## Welcome to St. Simon Parish School 8th grade. Class of 2012!

It is going to be a great year with lots of fun activities planned. This will be a time of maturing and growth for the students. The staff at St. Simon are here to walk with you, guide you, help you, and even encourage you this year. We are partners in your child's faith development and education.



### ABOUT THE TEACHER.

**Mrs. Laura Gremett**

- Met husband freshman year at Mitty High School

- Have 3 kids at St. Simon. Emily(12), Matthew(8), James(5)
- Attended Catholic School my whole life. Committed to Catholic Education.
- B.S. Civil Engineering, B.A. Child Development, Ca Multiple Subject Teaching Credential, M.A. Catholic School Administration
- Teaching for me is NOT a job, but a ministry. I care very much for the students and families

### Subjects

1. RELIGION- Church History, Confirmation, Family Life. Many project-based assignments

2. SOCIAL STUDIES- The United States through Civil War and Beyond. Preparation for Washington D.C. trip. An interactive approach to teaching the concepts.
3. GEOMETRY- Use of appropriate mathematical vocabulary. Intense! Online Geometry textbook [www.glencoe.com/ose](http://www.glencoe.com/ose) with password: E8D9D806D0
4. 7th gr. ALGEBRA- Full year course, rigorous, Online Algebra textbook [www.ca.algebra1.com](http://www.ca.algebra1.com), username: ALG1CA05, password: p7ve4xeg

