

Christian Galvan

I've been a member of St. Stephen Parish in Riverview since 1990 and I am entering Third Theology at St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary in Boynton Beach. I attended H.B. Plant High School in Tampa from 2001-2005 and the University of Notre Dame from 2005-2009, graduating with a B.S. in Civil Engineering. I am passionate about choral music, having sung in the Notre Dame Glee Club during college and my home parish choir after graduation. After earning my M.B.A. from The University of Tampa in 2011, I worked in civil engineering design, then in construction management (building cell phone towers), while also participating in various lay ministries at my home parish. It was in allowing the Lord to cultivate a love of ministry during all of these life experiences that the seed of discerning a call to the priesthood was planted. If it is God's will, I hope to be ordained a transitional deacon in April 2022. As I continue in formation, I remain most grateful to the Lord for the gift of discerning the Priesthood of Jesus Christ and to the people of God for their continued prayers!