



Introducing our Executive Director, James Flanagan

On behalf of all of us Catholic World Mission, we are thrilled to welcome James Flanagan to the team as our new Executive Director. James will take over all responsibilities of the former Executive Director, Deacon Rick Medina, and oversee the management of Catholic World Mission's projects in over 35 countries. We gratefully welcome James' leadership and are excited to see how he works to strengthen our mission of alleviating spiritual and material poverty around the world.

James Flanagan is a devout Catholic with over 12 years of leadership and success in communications as well as various nonprofit recognitions. He has served close to 9 years in the Army where he had the honor to lead many successful teams in countries throughout the Middle East and Asia. James later worked in Senior and Executive corporate communications roles for Fortune 250 companies with an emphasis on Corporate Social Responsibility. He holds a BBA from the University of Georgia and a JD from the Catholic University of America Columbus School of Law.

James says he is blessed to be married to the brilliant and lovely Dr. Elaine Flanagan, a Catholic convert and pediatrician at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. Together, they have two daughters – Rose (close to 3 years) and Grace (16 months). They attend Mary Our Queen parish in Peachtree Corners, Georgia.



James Flanagan,
Executive Director



It's an honor to be asked to lead the incredible Catholic World Mission team. Each member of our staff has been instrumental in building our organization, and I am grateful for their efforts. Our Board of Directors has done a wonderful job in guiding Catholic World Mission, and I look forward to collaborating with each one of these leaders. In particular, I want to recognize Father Brandenburg for his leadership and faith, which have been pivotal in driving our mission.

Finally, I cannot wait to meet with our passionate donors and partners around the world. By working together, we have the opportunity to make Catholic World Mission the most impactful organization of its kind. I ask that you pray for our team, our partners, and the communities that we support. Thank you for your support and passion over the years."

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