



Kim Walker is originally from Beaumont Texas. Rooted in a strong catholic foundation at her home parish, Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church was the start of Kim's beginning to serve others.

Kim has dedicated her professional career to working in faith-based organizations, as an active duty military spouse over 30 years she has lived throughout the United States and abroad. As a result, Kim has a diverse professional background. Kim started her career as a Case Manager for Catholic Charities of Eastern Virginia working her way to Director of Adult and Senior Care Services. In 2015, she and her family moved to Philadelphia where she worked as Director of Mission Intergration for St. Ignatius Nursing & Rehab Center in West Philadelphia. There she intergrated the Felician Franciscan Sisters' Mission and Core Values. Kim states working in West Philly was the hardest best job she ever had. Her excellent interpersonal skills helped her break down walls and uplift moral. In 2018, Kim and her family moved to Coronado, CA where Kim worked for Third Avenue Charitable Organization (TACO). There she ran a program called Going Home and Simon's Walk. She worked with terminally ill homeless and coordinated a volunteer program where volunteers walked beside the homeless so they wouldn't be alone in their final days. Kim achieved helping most of her clients find housing. Kim loved working with the homeless because she helped restored hope while giving dignity and respect. In 2021, Kim and her family moved back to Philadelphia. Kim began working for The Sisters of the Redeemer as Director for the Redeemer Ministry Corps Program in Huntingdon Valley, PA. Kim's role is to place young adults into long term service within the Sisters' ministries. Kim also works with youth groups coordinating service projects at Redeemer Valley Farm.

Over the years Kim has volunteered her time, talent and service to various organizations. Kim is proud to be one of the original members of the Philadelphia Mass Gospel Choir, having sung on the Parkway for the Papal Mass in 2015. Professionally, Kim is a volunteer Peer Reviewer for the Council on Accreditation. In this role she conducts site visits and help ensure human and social service organizations meet quality service delivery. Kim also volunteers her time as one of the coordinators for the Navy Supply Corps Spouses Group in Philadelphia. In addition, Kim is a Sustainer with the Association of Junior League International.

Kim holds a Masters Degree in Human Relations, Bachelors of Social Work, Associate in Early Childhood Educations, Certificate from Catholic Charities USA O'Grady Leadership Institute, Certificate in Stephen's Ministry. Kim has also taken a class at the Institute of Black Catholic Studies (IBCS) in New Orleans, LA.

Kim considers herself a "foodie" and loves to try out new restaurants around the city. She also an avid workout enthusiast. Her greatest accomplishment is being mom to her two boys Cameron (22) and Dylan (18) and wife to Shannon, a Naval Officer.