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## ***Megan Newell***

### **PS, 5th-7th Grade Music**

Mrs. Newell has been teaching at St. Thomas since 2014. She previously taught at Westchester Middle School and Our Lady of the Wayside. She has a Bachelor of Music degree in Voice from The Crane School of Music.

#### ***About the Students***

“With middle school, I enjoy that they are independent and eager to learn.”

#### ***On St. Thomas of Villanova***

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### **Music Curriculum**

- Music theory
- Music history
- Learning about instruments
- Music terminology/vocabulary
- Ear training in melody/rhythm
- Music elements- melody, rhythm, harmony, form, tone color
- Learning about composers
- Learning about theater and vocal performance
- Composers inspired by the Church, Mass and Bible
- Participation in the Christmas program