

Dr. Kimberly Bradley proves the old adage that the busier you are the more you get done. With a doctorate in Christian Education, a consulting firm focusing on technical training for industry and government, a pastor husband and three kids, Dr. Bradley is also the President of the Parents' Association of Archbishop Carroll High School.

It all started with one question: "How can I help?" Looking around, she concluded that Archbishop Carroll was much more than "just a school on a hill" -- colleges and universities needed to learn more about students graduating from ACHS, and the students, in turn, needed to find out more about the world of higher education. So in 2007, Dr. Bradley was a founding member of a group that established a college fair at Carroll, inviting representatives from Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU) and opening it to all local schools. Two hundred seniors attended. Three years later, the college fair has expanded to include a diversity of national universities, including Harvard, MIT, Dickinson, West VA University, Hood, Mount St. Mary's and North Carolina A&T. Over 500 students from grades 9-12 attend from throughout the Metro area. Dr. Bradley is not surprised. She says, "Basically, we need to give our kids opportunity and we need to get our students to think about their future now."

Dr. Bradley believes fervently in what Archbishop Carroll offers students. First is the academic experience. "Dr. Stofa and the educators here believe that the kids they teach *can* learn and they must be held to a high standard," she explains. "The academic community at Carroll believes our children can do it, so they do." Dr. Bradley also believes in the nurturing aspects of the school. "They love our kids, they support our families. They will assist in any way they can. Carroll has created an environment where all kinds of kids can thrive and grow."

Dr. Bradley and her husband have three students in the Carroll family. Their son Daniel graduated in 2010 and attends St. Augustine's College in Raleigh, NC. Second son Jeremiah is a senior and daughter Abigail is a member of the Class of 2014.