

Matthew Jewell began serving as the sixth President of St. Charles Parish in January 2020.

Prior to being elected as Parish President, Jewell worked as a Congressional hill staffer in Congressman Steve Scalise's office, working both in Washington, D.C. and Louisiana where he served most recently as his District Director; he also served as a Congressional and Legislative Affairs Advisor for the U.S. Department of Energy under the Trump Administration where he handled a portfolio containing science, renewable energy, and national laboratories

As a tenth-generation St. Charles Parish resident, President Jewell earned his bachelor's degree in business administration and a minor in government from Nicholls State University.

He currently serves as the President of the Parishes Advocating for Coastal Endurance (P.A.C.E), an organization of more than 20 coastal parishes fighting for coastal restoration.

He lives in Luling with his wife Cera, son Aiden and daughter Eloise.