

**THE CARE TEAM**  
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THE CARE TEAM is designed to provide for the pastoral care needs of church members. The clergy, office staff and team volunteers work together to connect with parishioners through:

- hospital and home visits
- check-in phone calls, texts and emails
- delivery of flowers and meals
- transportation
- grocery shopping and errands
- written notes
- short term caregiver relief
- newcomers' welcome delivery

Our Curate has improved our record keeping by designing a spreadsheet. This helps us keep communication of needs and services provided flowing smoothly between the Care Team and Clergy.

During 2022 we have reached out to those who have not returned to in-person services. We have also written notes to all our college and high school aged young people to tell them we care and they are loved.

Providing services for fellow members gives joy to both the recipient and the provider. Please consider joining one or more of the teams to experience the joy of service. The service rotation is every six weeks.

Pastoral care only works if needs or potential needs are communicated to clergy, the church office or team coordinators. Thank you to everyone for your assistance.