

**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 (72 in 2023)
- check-in phone calls, texts and emails (53 in 2023)
- delivery of flowers (175 in 2023) and meals (66 in 2023)
- transportation (27 in 2023)
- written notes (205 in 2023)
- short term caregiver relief (46 in 2023)
- newcomers' welcome packet delivery (16 in 2023)
- organizing the monthly Lunch Bunch
- coordinating the meeting of family needs after a death and after or during a funeral (5 in 2023)
- coordinating of the services of the Lay Eucharist Visitors (111 received Eucharist in 2023)

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.