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# MAKECHRISTKNOWN

## **Ministry Title**

Pilgrim Prayer Ministry & Prayer Chain

## **Ministry Purpose**

This ministry was formed to answer requests for long-term and urgent intercessory prayer.

## **Ministry Description**

Members of the **Prayer Ministry** commit to pray daily for all those on the prayer list which is published and maintained by the church office. They also make contact with them, via mail or telephone, several times a year. On occasion they meet to join in prayer.

Members of the **Prayer Chain** are contacted via e-mail to pray for those who are urgently in need of prayer (i.e., undergoing surgery, death in family, etc.).

## **Timeframe**

**Prayer Ministry** team members commit themselves to pray daily for everyone on the prayer list, and may be asked, occasionally, to contact some of them.

**Prayer Chain** team members are expected to answer prayer requests immediately due to their urgent nature.

## **Minister Opportunities**

Commit to daily prayer for those in need; respond to urgent prayer requests received through e-mail; send cards/notes; make telephone contact.

## **Skills to Be Used/Developed**

Belief in the power of prayer. Courtesy and confidentiality are essential. You do not need to be eloquent in prayer, but you must have a willingness to show care and concern. Expect growth in your faith life.

## **Training/Resources**

Procedures for prayer requests are explained. There is a line item in the budget for cards and stamps.

## **Benefit to the Volunteer**

You will develop and enrich your prayer life, and have a positive impact on the lives of those in need.



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**Position Title:** Prayer Team Member

**Position Purpose:** Join the team that commits to daily intercessory prayer for all of those on the published prayer list. Help contact the folks we pray for.

**Time Required:** 1-2 hours per week depending on prayer style.

**Qualifications and Special Skills:** Belief in the power of prayer, good listening skills, a degree of confidentiality and concern for those who are in need.



**Position Title:** Prayer Chain Team Member

**Position Purpose:** To provide immediate prayer for those with urgent prayer needs.

**Time Required:** Usually a minimal amount of time is required as there are usually not more than 10 prayer requests/month.

**Qualifications and Skills Needed:** Computer access is required, belief in the power of prayer, a degree of confidentiality and concern for those in need.