

Prayer

If you would like some prayer support, we hold monthly prayer meetings either via Zoom or in person. Please see the church's monthly newsletter for more details.

Alternatively, our prayer ministry team meets every Sunday service and will pray alongside anyone who requests prayer.



How can I help?

There are different ways of helping, which range from a phone call to preparing a meal or assisting someone with their shopping.



Due to a need to ensure everyone is kept safe anyone wishing to become a part of the pastoral care team must complete the recommended safeguarding training and have undertaken a DBS check through the Diocese of Derby (see St Nick's safeguarding policy for more information).

Additionally, you will need to complete our GDPR consent form and provide two referees.

If you would like to volunteer to be part of the pastoral care team please have a chat with Gill, Clare or one of our ministry team.

St Nick's Pastoral Care Team

'Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer'.

Romans 12:12



What?

Here at St Nick's our pastoral care usually falls into one of the following categories:

1. Caring for the sick, elderly or the infirm
 - ❖ Visits to hospital or at home.
 - ❖ Assist in the provision of meals where necessary.
 - ❖ Help to organise transport for medical or personal appointments.
 - ❖ Arrange or accompany to medical or personal appointments as required.



2. Caring for church members

- ❖ Making a phone call or home visit when church member has not been seen or heard from in a few weeks.



- ❖ Look out for newcomers and encourage them to keep in touch.

3. Caring for the bereaved

- ❖ Phone the relatives of the newly bereaved a month and three months after a death.
- ❖ Follow up bereavement visits.
- ❖ Send a card on anniversaries if appropriate.



Who?

The Pastoral care team is made up of people from the church congregation who are able to get alongside others at particular times of stress and difficulty in their life.

We are only a phone call away and we will do all we can for you.

Call our church office to be put in contact with one of our wonderful pastoral care coordinators:

- Clare Stacey
- Reverend Sarah Watson.

To allow us to contact you please ensure you have completed a GDPR consent form. These are available at the back of church and should be handed into the church office.

Concerns

If you have concerns regarding a vulnerable person, please contact our safeguarding officer or in an emergency (in line with our safeguarding policy) contact the relevant emergency services directly.

Parish Safeguarding officer:

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