

## STEPHEN MINISTRY

One to one caring,  
confidential ministry by trained

Lay Ministers

*Ministering to those  
who are experiencing:*

- ♥ *Loneliness*
- ♥ *Loss of a spouse*
- ♥ *Retirement changes*
- ♥ *Unemployment*
- ♥ *Discouragement*
- ♥ *Childbirth*
- ♥ *Hospitalization*
- ♥ *Divorce*
- ♥ *Grief*
- ♥ *Terminal illness*
- ♥ *Being shut-in*
- ♥ *Questions about God and faith*



*Anyone going through  
difficult times who needs someone to  
care, listen, and share God's love with  
them on a one-to-one*

*confidential basis:*

Call Reverend North or  
Mary Lynk

**“Bear one another’s burdens,  
and thus fulfill the law of  
Christ” (Galatians 6:2)**

If you would like to meet with or need a  
Stephen Minister, or know someone else who  
does, please sign below and return this section  
to the church office.

Or call the church office 847-4818

ask to speak to

Rev. Brenda North or Mary Lynk.

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*Stephen Ministry Referral*

*Your Name:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Address:* \_\_\_\_\_

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*Phone:* \_\_\_\_\_

*We don't know your need unless you let us know.*

**Stephen Ministry wants to help!**



## Stephen Ministry

DL United Methodist Church's  
Caring Ministry  
Established in 2004

An extension of your  
Pastoral Care

# Who may need a Stephen Minister?

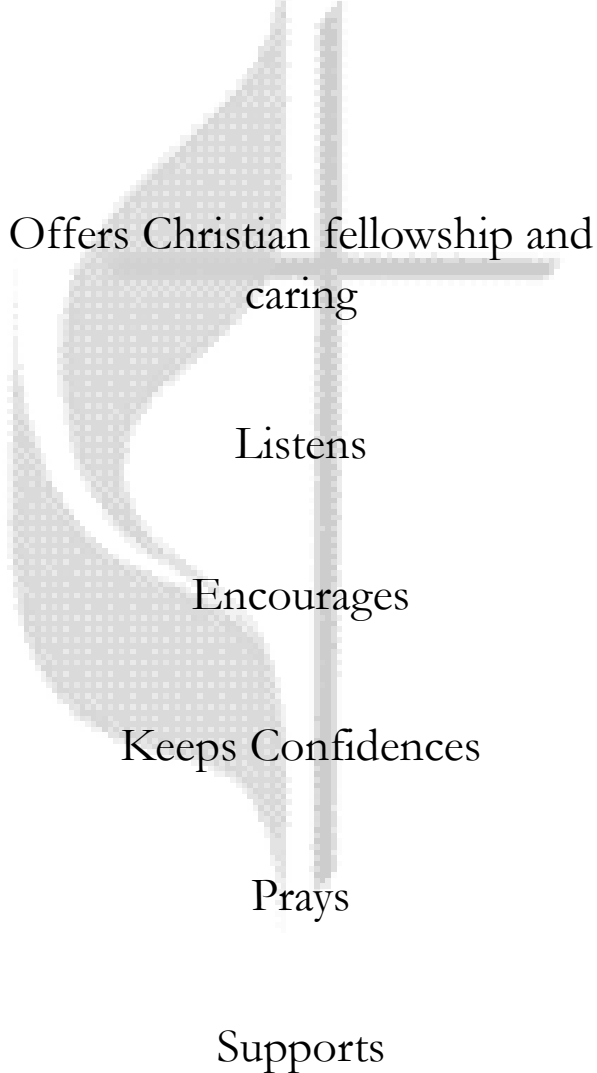
People who are dealing with:

- ♥ *Loneliness*
- ♥ *Illness*
- ♥ *Family frustrations/challenges*
  - ♥ *Being shut in*
  - ♥ *Loss of a spouse*
- ♥ *Retirement changes*
- ♥ *Unemployment*
- ♥ *Discouragement*
  - ♥ *Childbirth*
  - ♥ *Hospitalization*
  - ♥ *Divorce*
  - ♥ *Grief*
- ♥ *Terminal illness*
- ♥ *Financial setbacks*
- ♥ *Questions about God and faith*
- ♥ *Facing changes in their lives*
- ♥ *And other concerns*

**Call us even if it's a little problem. Little problems may become bigger problems.**

**Stephen Ministers are here to care!**

# What does a Stephen Minister Do?



# “Here I am Lord, send me”

(Isaiah 6:8)

If you are interested in learning more about Stephen Ministry or would like to be a Stephen Minister, please complete the section below and return it to the church office. Or call the church 847 4818 and ask to speak with Rev. Brenda North or Mary Lynk.



*Stephen Ministry Class*

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_



Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

For more information contact any of your Stephen Leaders:

- Reverend North.....847 7237
- Paula Sanders.....846 2507
- Susan Hovdenes.....847 8707
- Marcia Heisserer.....847 2576
- Sylvia Piche.....439 3546
- Mary Lynk.....847 5865