

DIOCESE OF DALLAS

# CONTINUING THE HEALING MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

*"For I was hungry, and you gave me food, I was  
thirsty, and you gave me drink, a stranger, and you  
welcomed me, naked, and you clothed me, ill and you  
cared for me, in prison and you visited me."*

## REGISTER NOW FOR HOMEBOUND MINISTRY & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION TRAINING

MAY 6, 2022 - 6:30PM - 9PM &

MAY 7, 9:00AM-1:00PM

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### Key Elements of the Formation for this Healing Ministry

- Explore your call to this ministry
- Deepen your understanding of the Sacraments of Healing
- Develop empathic listening, the foundational spirituality of pastoral care
- Practice the ministry of spiritual presence
- Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion training
- Learn how to integrate a Pastoral Visit with offering the Eucharist
- Learn how to prepare for this ministry – a walk through of an actual visit



Spend quality time with the sick: time marked by patient, compassionate companionship with those in need- rare in the course of everyday human interaction.

This companionship is characterized by careful listening which gives time and space for the other to speak from the heart, those fears and those joys.

Home visitations are opportunities to raise the human dignity of the person being visited.