

☪ **Parish Visitors & Eucharistic Ministers**

Parish visitors are members of St Mark who visit homebound members or those in elder care facilities on a monthly basis to offer fellowship and support and also to bring them the sacrament of Holy Communion.

Eucharistic Ministers bring the sacrament to homebound members on a quarterly basis as they are assigned.

There is also a card ministry to our homebound members.

☪ **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

Members who enjoy knitting and crocheting gather together on the first and the third Saturdays at 10 am to make shawls and lap blankets. As they knit or crochet, they pray for the person who will receive their handiwork.

These shawls and blankets are blessed and given to provide comfort to the sick and the elderly and to younger people for special occasions as a reminder of God's presence in their lives. It is also hoped that these shawls and blankets will be a sign of the love of the St Mark community for them.

☪ **St Mark Quilters**

The quilters meet monthly on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 1PM in the Conference room and pool their creative talents to produce beautiful quilts. These quilts are given as gifts in various church ministries.

Candy Bates leads this group and newcomers are welcomed.