

Sacred Service Ministry Position Description

Updated August 2023

Title: Prayer Chaplain

Purpose: Supports the Minister by providing prayer support to the congregation

Reports to: Prayer Chaplain Program Director

Responsibilities:

- 1. Maintain a personal prayer life.
- 2. Make monthly Wellness Prayer calls as assigned to our congregants/friends.
- 3. Sunday service duty on a Rotational basis with the other Prayer Chaplains:
 - a. during the service Lead the Blessing of the Prayer Box Prayer
 - b. after the service -Stay present in the Lighthouse Corner to pray one on one as requested
- Attend monthly Prayer Chaplain Meetings alternating 1st Mondays or Tuesdays from 3:30-5:00 pm on Zoom
- 5. Attend Annual Weekend Trainings
- 6. Attend Memorial Services and other special Services, such as Good Friday, World Day of Prayer, Remembrance Service, as available.
- 7. Pray along with the Prayer Chaplains whenever group prayer is requested. For example, when an email prayer is sent.
- 8. Be willing to make hospital visits if available.
- Maintain open communication with Prayer Chaplain Program Director (ask for help or support if unable to perform assigned duties) and follow Code of Conduct (for example, no divisive activities toward Unity of Buffalo or any of its Leaders)

Length of Term: 1 year corresponding with the Prayer Chaplain year (June 1 – May 31). Each year Prayer Chaplains are invited to re-commit to the program and must take the annual training.

Pre- requisites:

- Official Member Unity of Buffalo
- Regular attendance at Sunday Services for at least 1 year
- Complete a class on basic Unity Foundation Principles class such as "Lessons In Truth" or "Discover the Power Within You" (Offered at various times and online)
- Complete the course "The Art of Quantum Living" which includes a 21-day practice.
- Have a willingness to acknowledge and call on the Presence of God.
- Have a willingness to consistently and empathically listen.