



Archdiocese of Chicago, Vicariate 1 DEF

Fall 2019 – Basic Training for New Ministers of Care

*This program is designed for persons to be commissioned and mandated as Ministers of Care in their respective parishes to visit and/or take the Eucharist to those who are hospitalized, in nursing homes or confined to private homes. Full participation in **all** sessions will fulfill Archdiocesan requirements for mandating. No walk-ins can be accepted.*

Reservations: You ***MUST*** contact the **Ministry of Care Coordinator at your parish prior to registering** for this workshop at www.vic1chicago.org/registration. Questions? Dcn. Joe Yannotta at JYANNOTTA@STE.ORG or DYANNOTTA@COMCAST.NET

When: Sat. Sept 21 and Sept 28, 2019 Attendance on both Saturdays is **required**

Location: St. John the Evangelist Parish Center, 502 S Park Blvd, Streamwood, IL 60107

(Park Blvd is approximately a mile west of Barrington Rd and runs N/S between Schaumburg & Irving Park Rds.)

Gathering: 8:30 A.M. each Saturday. Personnel will be there to direct you to the sessions.

Please bring your own **brown bag lunch** each Saturday, coffee and water will be provided. Please bring this notice as your agenda. Also bring a note pad and pen to take any personal notes you wish to make.

Program Agenda

Saturday, Sept 21st	9:00 to 10:30	Spirituality of the Ministry – Marlene Sweeney
	Break	
	10:45 to 12:15	Pastoral Communication Skills – Amy Florian
	Lunch	
	1:00 to 2:30	Ministerial Procedures – Linda Engle
Saturday, Sept 28th	9:00 to 10:30	Prayer in Care Ministry – Sr. Mary Barbara Hassler
	Break	
	10:45 to 12:15	The Experience of Suffering – Andrea Hug
	Lunch	
	1:00 to 2:30	Theology of the Eucharist – Fr. Michael Ahlstrom
	2:30 to 3:00	Closing Ceremony and Certificates