



## MISSION STATEMENT

The Salvation Army Community Care Ministries seeks to demonstrate the love of Christ through holistic and practical service that meets human needs and transforms communities.

## VISION STATEMENT

We see lives and communities transformed, relationships enriched and believers encouraged to minister to each other and their communities through very practical services of help and care.

## KEY VERSE

*“Dear Children, let us not love with words or tongue, but with actions and in truth.”*

- 1 John 3:18



## COMMUNITY CARE MINISTRIES

*The role of the Community Care Ministries worker is to provide compassionate, practical support to others.*

### Suggestions -

- Visit the sick – isolated – and the elderly.
- Appreciate the power of listening and prayer as you visit.
- Read to a child – share a hobby.
- Phone someone who is lonely – be part of a Telephone Reassurance Ministry.
- Bring comfort – encouragement and material aid where needed.
- Drive someone to the store or doctor’s office.
- Write letters for the incapacitated – send cards for birthdays or holidays.
- Bake a cake – prepare meals for the sick or bereaved.
- Help an elderly person with minor maintenance or gardening.
- Play the piano or any instrument at a nursing home or for a shut-in.
- Get involved with ‘pet therapy’ at nursing homes and hospitals.
- *Use your own ideas! Be creative! Be caring!*

### Remember -

- Everyone is totally unique.
- Each person should be treated as precious.
- Everyone needs a loving – thoughtful touch.

*CCM is love in action – the love of Jesus – active in committed Christians!*



