The Catholic Community Recognizes the Compassionate Presence of God in the midst of human suffering... and responds to the call to share God's healing love with those who may otherwise feel forgotten in their time of need.

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Diocese of Trenton
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PASTORAL CARE
Supporting Parishes in their Ministries of Care

OVERVIEW
2016-2017

"The Gospels tell us that special things happen when God is recognized in people's lives. A call to conversion is issued and heard. People care about each other, and community is formed. Hope grows."

Juliana Casey, IHM in Food for the Journey

WHAT WE DO...

We Assist & Resource Parish Staffs and Volunteers as they strive to offer Pastoral Care to Catholics who are:

- Sick and/or Dying
- In Jails or Prisons
- Elderly and/or Caregivers
- Physically and/or Mentally Disabled
- Struggling with Addictions
- In Hospitals, Hospices, Long-Term Care Facilities or Rehab Centers
- In Mourning and/or Grieving Loss/es
- Separated or Divorced
- Facing Medical and/or Bioethical Decisions (Pregnancy through End-of-Life)

We do this in Collaboration with:
Clergy, Chaplains, Religious, Lay Ecclesial Ministers, Medical and Mental Healthcare Providers, Faith Community Nurses, Bioethicists and Volunteers who faithfully serve those in need.

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