Lee Lowery, Priest Associate for Pastoral Care

I'm honored to serve as a resource for pastoral care at St. Michael and All Angels. Feel free to reach out to me at leel@stmichaelsabq.org or call/text me at 505 750-9068. I'm available to provide various support, including bringing communion, visiting patients in the hospital, having phone conversations, or meeting for coffee. While I don't currently have specific office hours, I'm flexible during the week to connect with those in need.

One of my goals for the upcoming year is to assist with the prayer list. I've discussed this with Fr. Mike, and we believe that the prayer list itself can be a valuable tool for pastoral care. Here's how it could work: we'll need volunteers to pray specifically for one or two individuals each day. To ensure the list remains current and transparent, we'll divide it into sections, keeping track of who is praying for whom.

The next step involves providing pastoral care. Our volunteers will be encouraged to write notes, make phone calls, or, if comfortable, visit the individuals on the list. However, we understand that some people may prefer their needs to remain confidential. We'll respect that preference and allow volunteers to pray for someone without knowing their specific needs. Alternatively, we can facilitate explicit prayers for those on the list.

If you're interested in participating in this ministry, please email me. We'll organize a group meeting on Zoom or in person to provide any necessary training.

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