



*“Serve wholeheartedly, as if you were serving the Lord, not men.” Ephesians 6:7*

### **Are You Working?**

There's a lot of work to do in God's kingdom. Caregiving is one of the most important jobs God calls us to do—to love others in his name. Our congregation's Stephen Ministry is one way we accomplish God's caring work. Perhaps God has blessed you richly and you're at a place where you can give something back by serving and blessing others.

### **Learn, Grow, and Serve by Becoming a Stephen Minister**

Do you have gifts for caring, encouragement, and listening? If so, please prayerfully consider becoming a Stephen Minister. Praise Lutheran will be training another class of Stephen Ministers in the fall starting September 15<sup>th</sup>. Stephen Ministers work alongside our pastors to care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support to people who are going through a difficult time, such as divorce, grief, hospitalization, unemployment, terminal illness, relocation, chronic illness, or loneliness.

Roll up your sleeves and explore your role in Stephen Ministry. To find out more, talk with our Pastors or one of the Stephen Leaders:

Pastor Paul Dancy	490-7729, church office
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Bob or Jean Milledge	749-0547
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***Christ Caring for People through People.***