

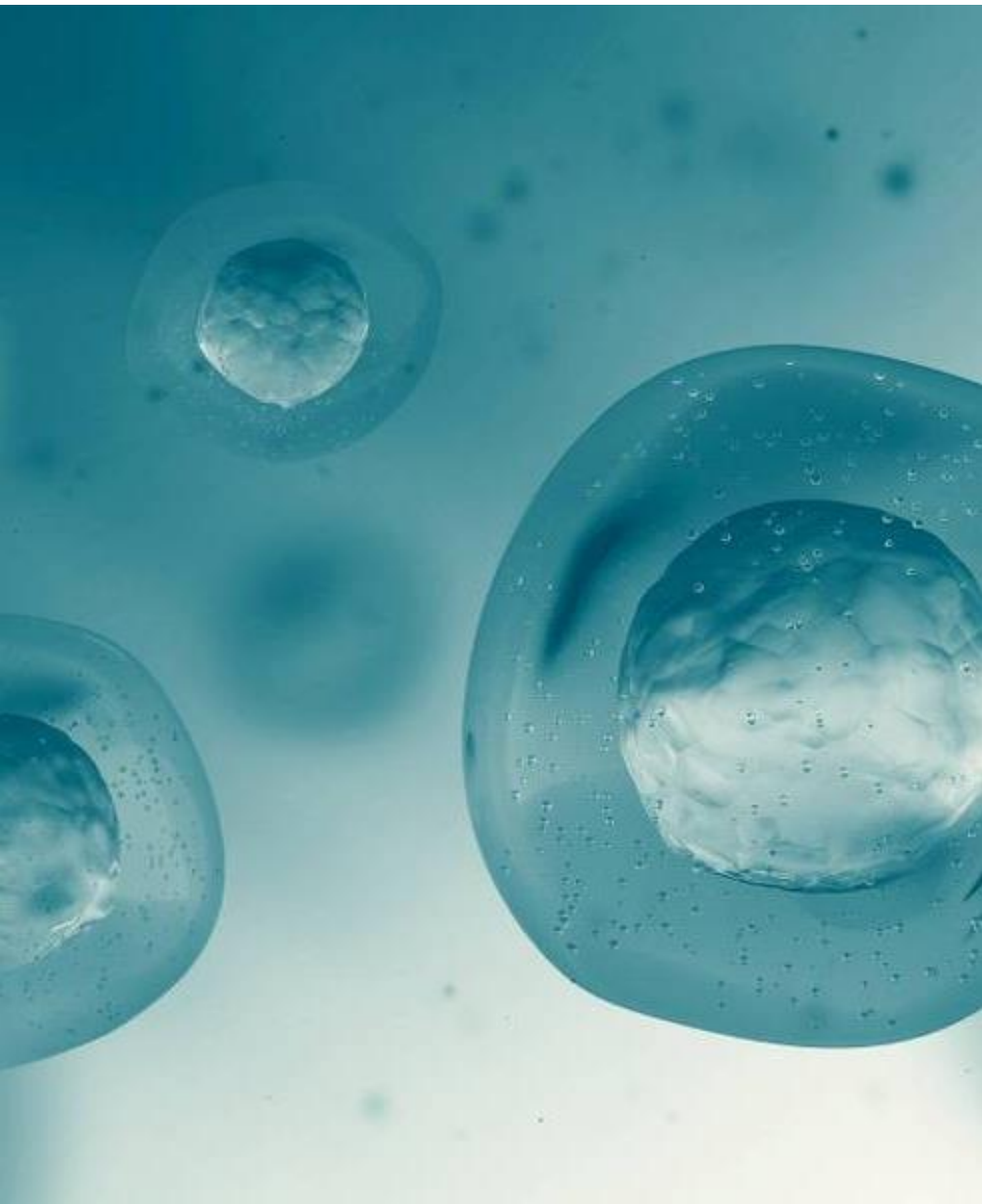


PARISH  
NURSES

# OUR MISSION



To focus on health and wholeness – mind, body, and spirit. Our ministry seeks to promote the health of our Saint Peter faith community through caring service, advocacy, and spiritual growth. We also reach out to our neighbors in love and care to meet the needs of our community.



# WE BELIEVE

“HE HEALS THE  
BROKENHEARTED AND  
BINDS UP THEIR  
WOUNDS.”

PSALM 147:3

# WHAT IS PARISH NURSING?

## FAITH COMMUNITY NURSING

The integration of nursing care and faith practices focusing on the intentional care of the spirit to promote wholistic health and wellness.

## PARISH NURSES ARE:

- Counselors
- Health Educators
- Health Advocates
- Resource Agents

## WHAT'S DIFFERENT?

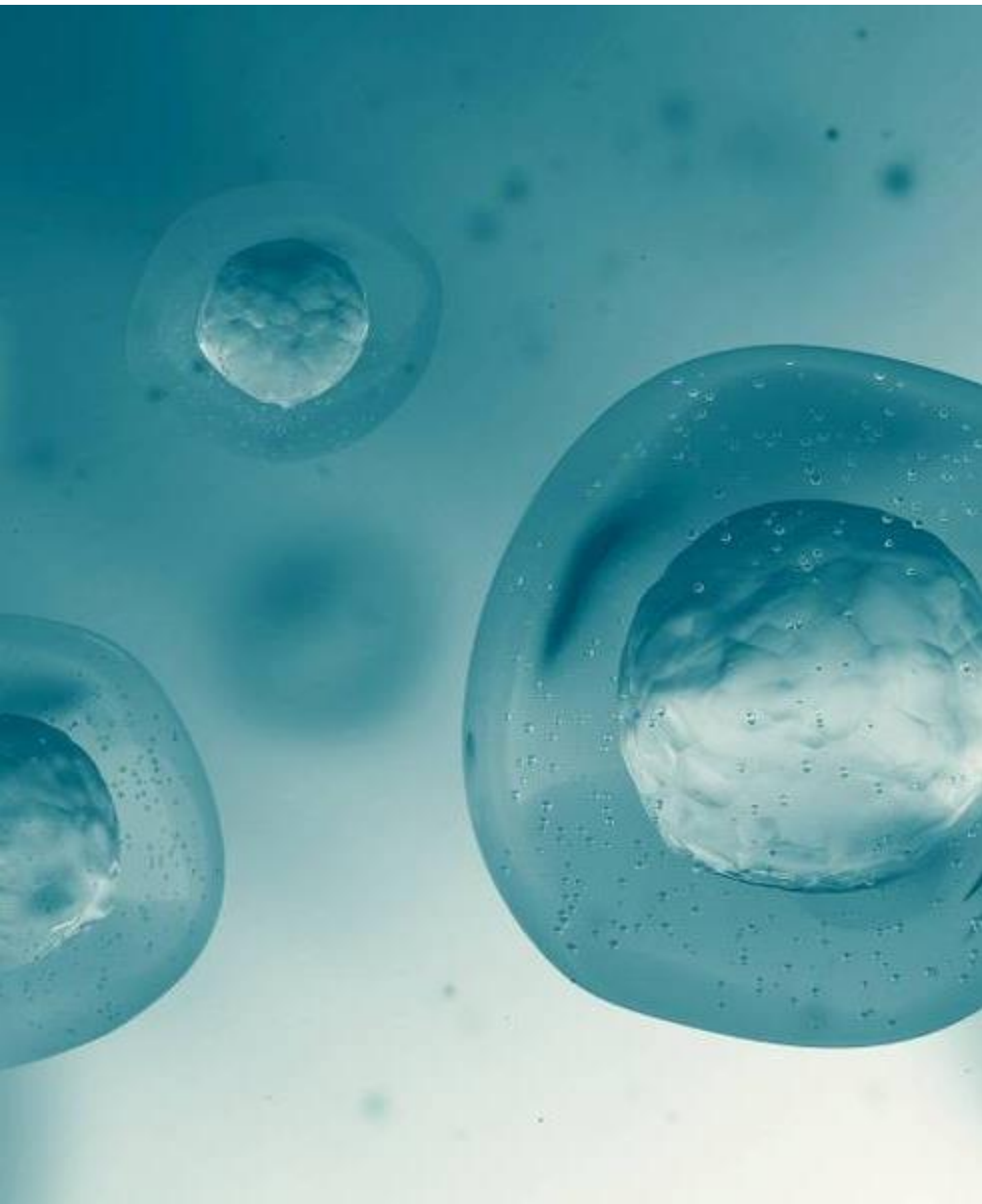
Parish nursing embraces the spiritual dimension of nursing, caring for the mind and spirit along with the body.

## WHO DO YOU WORK WITH?

The parish nurses work alongside the pastors at Saint Peter, as well as the Health Ministry Cabinet, and church shepherds to support the health of the congregation and community.

## PROGRAMS

- Blood pressure screening
- Home or hospital visits
- Health education forums
- Health-related resources
- Community resources
- Community referrals
- Shepherding partnership
- Healing services
- Prayer



# WE BELIEVE

JESUS SENT HIS  
DISCIPLES OUT TO  
PREACH, TEACH, AND  
HEAL.



# WHO WE ARE

Parish nurses are professional, licensed RNs who have been called to our caring Health Ministry to provide services intended to help our congregation achieve wellness through the integration of faith and health.

As health educators, the parish nurses are available to the congregation, providing opportunities to learn about health issues.

The parish nurses can function as health advocates by providing health resources information and assistance navigating a complicated healthcare system.



# DEMENTIA CAREGIVER EVENTS

Our program supporting dementia caregivers is leading the area. We meet from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month to chat and support each other. All members of the community are welcome.

The Memory Café is another opportunity to get together and socialize over coffee. Join us on October 4, 2023 for a time of support and encouragement.

# CONTACT US

## PHONE

Parish nurse cell phone:  
(910) 457-5063

In the event of an emergency,  
please call 911, then contact  
the parish nurse afterward.

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Questions about this program? Would you like someone to visit?  
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