



Ministry Leadership Role/Job Description

Adopted by Southern Illawarra Church of Christ on 12.08.2025.

Role Title	Sunday am Prayer Team
Reporting to	The Church Board

Role Purpose / Primary Function
<p>The purpose of this ministry team is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - to stand with and support in prayer those people who indicate a desire for prayer - to bless, edify and comfort during prayer - to bring an act of service to others - to liberate the outpouring of God’s grace and power into people’s lives - to co-operate with the Holy Spirits work in our lives and in people’s lives <p>As a prayer team we are not:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - called to be counsellors - called to bring judgement or lecture <p>It is important that each team member be ministering out of the ‘overflow’ in their own walk with God. It would also be beneficial for team members to pray together as a team with and for each other on a regular basis.</p>

Main Duties and Responsibilities
1. Pray in pairs when possible
2. Ask the person their name if it is not known to you. Ask the person what they would like prayer for. Give the person 100% attention and do not look around elsewhere. Listen carefully to what the person is saying to you. Do not assume anything and ask questions if necessary. Try to keep the interview time brief.
3. Treat the person being prayed for with respect. Ask permission to lay hands on them if that is what you would like to do. Always make sure that where you place your hand is appropriate. The touch should be light so that the person does not feel that they are being pressured. Always keep your hand still so that they are not distracted.
4. Pray for the person but also seek the Lord for direction in prayer and gifting. Pray scriptural prayers of encouragement and biblical promises of God for their lives for the situation that they are in. Pray in the positive.
5. Praying should be appropriate and consensual to all.
6. Ensure that the person feels that the time for prayer has concluded. Don’t leave people feeling unloved or rejected. If you feel that the person needs more than you are able to give them, ask if you can refer them to the Pastor.

- 7. Sharing is to be treated as confidential unless the person being prayed for gives you permission to share it with others.
- 8. Seek out the people you have prayed with the following Sunday to see how they are going and to encourage them in their walk.

Acknowledgement

I acknowledge that I have read and understood the areas described in this Position Description and agree to carry out my duties to meet these outcomes to the best of my ability. I have received a copy of this Position Description.

Name:

Signed:

Date:/...../.....

Board Representative:

Name:

Signed:

Date:/...../.....