

## **COMMISSIONING FOR CONGREGATIONAL CARE MINISTRY**

Leader: Dear friends, you have been called by God and chosen by the people of God for leadership in the church. This ministry is a blessing and a serious responsibility. It recognizes your special gifts and calls you to work among your people and for your people. In love, we thank you for accepting your obligation and challenge you to offer your best to the Lord, to your people, and to our ministry in the world. Live a life in Christ and make him known in your witness and work. Do you this day acknowledge yourself a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ?

**Ministers: I do.**

Leader: Will you devote yourself to the service of God in the world?

**Ministers: I will.**

Leader: Will you so live that you enable your church to be a people of love and peace?

**Ministers: I will.**

Leader: Will you do all in your power to be responsible to the task for which you have been chosen?

**Ministers: I will.**

Leader: Congregation, will you endeavor to support these ministers and keep them in your prayers?

**Congregation: We will.**

Anointing for Service

Leader: Let us pray. Almighty God, pour out your blessings upon these your servants who have been given the ministry of congregational care. Grant them grace to give themselves wholeheartedly in your service. Keep before them the example of our Lord, who did not think first of himself, but gave himself for us all. Let them share his ministry and consecration, that they may enter into his joy. Guide them in their work. Reward their faithfulness with the knowledge that through them your purposes are accomplished; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **CONGREGATIONAL CARE MINISTRY**

### **Silver Link Team Members**

Faye Beckett, Congregational Care Director  
Earl Beckett  
Russell Lindsey  
Marti Locke  
Tobie Smith  
Kathy Wallace

The Silver Link Team Members will focus their care ministry with Homebound and Senior members of the church. These ministers have prepared for this ministry by undergoing training for four months, including a three day Biblical Counseling Conference, and sixteen meetings for training and study.