HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY TASK FORCE INVITATION

The Hospital Chaplaincy Task Force (HCTF), appointed by the Mission and Ministry Development Committee (MMD) of the Diocese of New Westminster extends this invitation to all those clergy and laity who have an interest in providing spiritual care to people in need. Please join us on Saturday, January 23, 2016 for a consultation about your loves, concerns and hopes for chaplaincy ministry to those in need of spiritual care. We'll begin at 9:00 a.m. and finish by 12:30 p.m.



The Reverend David Hawkins is a full time chaplain at the Royal Columbian Hospital. Here he is seen helping some children forget their pains during his daily tour.

Photo: Lyndon Grove courtesy of the Anglican Archives of the Diocese of New Westminster

DATE: Saturday, January 23, 2016

WHERE: 1410 Nanton Avenue, Vancouver BC

TIMES: Registration at 8:30 a.m.

Begins at 9:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served.

Parking on Nanton Avenue and locally

REGISTER ONLINE: http://conta.cc/1Y8DvUP

The HCTF has two tasks.

Members are to gauge the level of interest across the diocese for this ministry in hospitals, seniors residences, extended care facilities, correctional facilities and other appropriate places where acute and residential care is given.

With an affirmation of interest, the second task of HCTF is to make recommendations to Diocesan Council through MMD how the chaplaincy ministry could be implemented.

Chaplaincy in the diocese has a long history See the photograph taken in 1978 to the left.

Individuals with a heart for this ministry are asked to come and share their loves, concerns and dreams about a renewal of spiritual care chaplaincy across the diocese. Both clergy and laity are invited to participate.



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