

Addition to the Sacred Heart Web site for the

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Our homebound parishioners cannot get to church, but they still want to share in the Eucharist and in our parish family. They appreciate our time in prayer and our visiting with them about everyday matters. We observe the calming and comforting effects of prayer and conversation.

We have 18 lay ministers visiting over 70 homebound parishioners. Forty of these parishioners are in assisted living residences such as Alice Peck Day extended Care and Genesis Eldercare. Thirty more parishioners are living in their own homes or apartments.

By becoming a **visitor to the homebound** or by serving as a **Eucharistic Minister for the homebound**, you can positively impact a fellow parishioner's life with just 30 minutes a month. Do you ever wonder if you are making a difference? In this ministry, you will see the difference immediately!

Call Diane Andreas at 448-3555 or e-mail her at diandreas@aol.com to refer a homebound parishioner or to volunteer.

You CAN make a difference!