

Deacon Jamie Travers

Level 2 Coach

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I am a rostered Deacon of Word & Service Ministry in the ELCA. I have 23 experience as a Deacon and 25 years' experience in Faith Formation Ministry. Currently I serve at Sharon Lutheran in Grand Forks, ND. In 2014 I was trained as an ELCA Discipleship Coach. In 2019 I became a Level 2 ELCA Coach. Coaching is walking with someone or a small group and opening them up to the Holy Spirit's work in them. This is done through active listening and asking powerful questions. It is about listening to who they are, how God is at work in them and where they want to go. Do you have something in your daily faith practices like prayer, devotions, service, worship, stewardship, volunteering, family life, daily discipleship, etc. that you want to work on? If so I would love to help you through coaching. In a coaching relationship I would walk alongside you in helping you see what the Holy Spirit is doing in your life. I won't tell you what to do or how to do it. Instead I will listen to what you want to do & ask you powerful questions, so you can see what God is up to and help you set goals and action steps. I can coach individuals (14 & older), couples or families. I can also coach teams of people from congregations that want to work on something in your congregation. I also have experience in leading church teams in visioning, brainstorming and finding shared values.