

Sharing ideas (above, from left to right) are Chaplain Bonnie Nash, Hospice Director Stacy Warnke, Mount Olivet Careview Home Vice President Thomas MacNally and Administrator Sarah Van Winkle. "We share so many values that make this program a perfect fit for both partners," says Sarah.

Augustana Care Partners with Mount Olivet Careview Home to Create New Hospice Program

To serve more people requesting hospice, Augustana Care partnered with Mount Olivet Careview Home to launch Grace Hospice in 2014. The new program aims to bring hospice back to its roots, rich in volunteers and emotional and spiritual care.

Services offered through hospice include regular visits from nurses and physicians; emotional and spiritual care, including grief counseling; pain and symptom management; home health aide services; medication and equipment. Supplemental services such as massage and music therapy (to support spiritual well being) are also available.

New Administrator of Hospice and Palliative Care Services Sarah Van Winkle and Hospice Director Stacy Warnke joined Augustana Care to lead the program. Sarah has more than 25 years experience as a registered public health nurse and extensive experience in hospice/palliative care.

Stacy began her career as an oncology nurse and transitioned to hospice in 2009. She has served as a director of hospice for the past five years.

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