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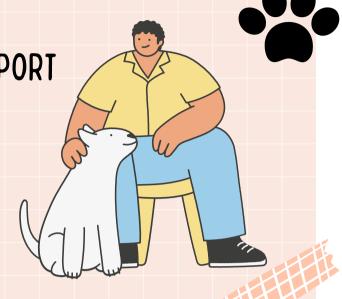
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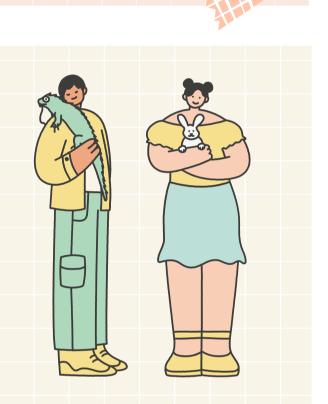
### **VETERINARY FINANCIAL SUPPORT**

We offer financial assistance to pay for veterinary services when the owner cannot. Those in need complete a form at www.resurrection.church/pets to begin the approval process.



#### **GRIEF AND LOSS**

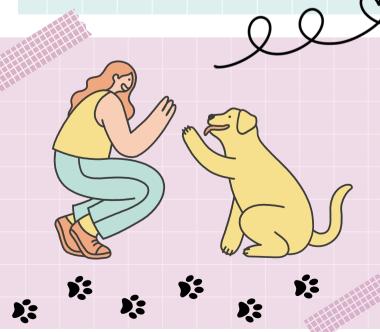
- Grief and loss support to those who have an ill pet or one who has recently passed.
- We reach out with email support and prayer.
- Our Grief/Loss team mails a condolence card.
- Our team personally drops off a condolence bag with grief resources.





#### THERAPY DOGS

Certified therapy dogs are available to attend events, support groups, and classes.
Dogs have attended special needs and senior ministries, grief, support, and recovery meetings.



### **EDUCATIONAL CLASSES**

We host a monthly educational Zoom class on a broad range of animal related topics with local and national speakers.

Pet Ministry was founded in 2016 at Resurrection, a United Methodist Church by Kathy O'Dowd, a Connection and Care Minister, and Linda Haney, a therapy dog owner and volunteer.

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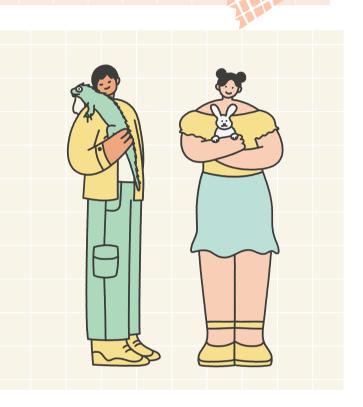
We provide pet food and supplies to people in need through the Food Pantry at our Overland Park location.





### COMMUNICATION

Pet Ministry sends out a monthly newsletter to over 900 people and has an active Facebook page at The Pet Ministry at Church of the Resurrection.







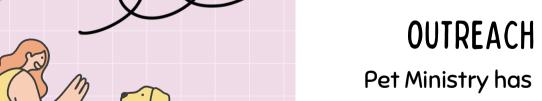


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### **BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

Pet Ministry hosts the annual Blessing of the Animals and provides photographs of people with their pets.



relationships in the pet community with veterinarians, training groups, rescues, shelters, and more.



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