

The Order of Daughters of the King is a worldwide order for women who are communicants of the Anglican, Episcopal, Lutheran (ELCA) and Roman Catholic churches. The mission of the Order is the extension of Christ's Kingdom through Prayer, Service and Evangelism.

Here at St. Philip's we are known as the Sara Smith Chapter, one of almost 100 chapters in the Diocese of East Carolina. As Daughters we can be identified by the silver crosses we always wear, which are inscribed with the Latin words: Magnanimitur Crucem Sustine, which translated means: "WITH HEART, MIND AND SPIRIT UPHOLD AND BEAR THE CROSS.

We meet monthly with a program, prayer as we review our prayer list, and service at Hospice as we provide lunches for the families of patients. Through Evangelism, we try to reach those who do not know the love of Jesus Christ. We make a conscious effort to reach out to those who are new in the community and looking for a church home, to those in hospitals, shut-ins and to those in sorrow or personal trouble.

To know more about the Daughters of the King and/or become a member, speak to any Daughter, identified by her cross. There will be a training class planned for the near future.