



The Uniting Church in Australia
QUEENSLAND SYNOD

MINISTRY AGENT PEER SUPPORT PROGRAM

Our Vision: To pilot a peer support program supporting Congregational Ministry Agents through disaster, crisis and recovery by engaging fellow Ministry Agents as peer supporters.

Support is primarily provided remotely via Telephone, Microsoft Teams, and video conferencing platforms



About the Program



This peer support initiative is one of the four key focus areas within the [Disaster Resilience & Recovery Framework](#)



The program recognises that Congregational Ministry Agents often benefit from support provided by peers who have firsthand experience and a deep understanding of:

- Congregational ministry and leadership
- The impacts of disasters and crises on congregations
- The challenges of recovery and rebuilding following disruptive events

About the Cross Design

Turquoise for the Ministry Agent receiving support in -

- connection
- healing
- renewal

Emerald Green for the Ministry Agent providing support in -

- growth
- safety
- reassurance

Silver for the Ministry Agent providing supported has a grounded stability -

- balance
- boundaries
- steady presence

The **upwards pointing triangles** symbolise **Shared Journey**: -

- hope
- strength
- forward movement
- healing together



Together, the crosses reflect a shared journey of support, healing, growth and reassurance.