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Joplin Police Chaplain Receives Chaplain Credentialing Award

Joplin Police Chaplain, David Schepper, received the Diplomate Credential Level award from the International Conference of Police Chaplains (ICPC). The ICPC's Diplomate Credential is the second highest credential given and signifies completion of five hundred (500) hours of professional studies, fifteen (15) years as a law enforcement chaplain, acquisition of twenty (20) ATS/RTS credits, as well as service to ICPC.

We are very proud of Chaplain Schepper's accomplishment and we want to thank him for the countless number of hours that he has dedicated to the Joplin Police Department and the Law Enforcement profession. Chaplain Schepper has been a police chaplain with JPD since 1989.