

**Woven Churches Joint Council**  
**SAFEGUARDING POLICY**  
**PROMOTING A SAFER CHURCH**

The following policy was agreed at the Joint Church Council (JCC) meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2023

In accordance with the Church of England Safeguarding Policy our churches are committed to:

- Promoting a safer environment and culture.
- Safely recruiting and supporting all those with any responsibility related to children, young people and vulnerable adults within the church.
- Responding promptly to every safeguarding concern or allegation.
- Caring pastorally for victims/survivors of abuse and other affected persons.
- Caring pastorally for those who are the subject of concerns or allegations of abuse and other affected persons.
- Responding to those that may pose a present risk to others.

The Joint Council will:

- Create a safe and caring place for all.
- Have a named Safeguarding Officer (PSO) to work with the incumbent and the JCC to implement policy and procedures.
- Safely recruit, train and support all those with any responsibility for children, young people and adults to have the confidence and skills to recognise and respond to abuse.
- Ensure that there is appropriate insurance cover for all activities involving children and adults undertaken in the name of the parish.
- Display in church premises and on the Woven website the details of who to contact if there are safeguarding concerns or support needs.
- Listen to and take seriously all those who disclose abuse.
- Take steps to protect children and adults when a safeguarding concern of any kind arises, following House of Bishops guidance, including notifying the Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser (DSA) and statutory agencies immediately.
- Offer support to victims/survivors of abuse regardless of the type of abuse, when or where it occurred.
- Care for and monitor any member of the church community who may pose a risk to children and adults whilst maintaining appropriate confidentiality and the safety of all parties.
- Ensure that health and safety policy, procedures and risk assessments are in place and that these are reviewed annually.
- Review the implementation of the Safeguarding Policy, Procedures and Practices at least annually.

Each person who works within this church community will agree to abide by this policy and the guidelines established by this church.

This Joint Council appoints: Sharon Martin as the Safeguarding Officer

Priest in Charge: Revd Rich Atkinson

Date: 6<sup>th</sup> June 2023

**The Parish of Basford**  
**SAFEGUARDING POLICY**  
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The following policy was agreed at the Parochial Church Council (PCC) meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023

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This church appoints: Paula Carlin as the Parish Safeguarding Officer

Priest in Charge: Revd Rich Atkinson

Churchwardens/Parish Warden: Colin Harley/Jeanne Usher

Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023

**The Parish of Bilborough and Strelley**  
**SAFEGUARDING POLICY**  
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The following policy was agreed at the Parochial Church Council (PCC) meeting held on 26/07/2023

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This church appoints: Anita Darashah-Borman as the Parish Safeguarding Officer

Priest in Charge: Revd Rich Atkinson

Churchwardens/Parish Warden: Mike Wakerley

Date: 26/07/2023

**The Parish of Christ Church Cinderhill**  
**SAFEGUARDING POLICY**  
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Priest in Charge: Revd Rich Atkinson

Churchwardens/Parish Warden: Michael Elliott

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**The Parish of St Margaret's Aspley**  
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Priest in Charge: Revd Rich Atkinson

Churchwardens/Parish Warden: Ian Shipley and Karen Shipley

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023

**The Parish of St Martha's Broxtowe**  
**SAFEGUARDING POLICY**  
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The following policy was agreed at the Parochial Church Council (PCC) meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2023

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This church appoints: Sophia Tengtenga as the Parish Safeguarding Officer

Priest in Charge: Revd Rich Atkinson

Churchwardens/Parish Warden: David Imran and Pamela Ishime

Date: 10 July 2023