What to do if there is a safeguarding issue at St John’s Sharow or Holy Innocents’ Copt Hewick

Urgent concerns about the safety of a child or vulnerable adult:

Contact NYCC Social Care on 08450349410

Or the local police on 101 or 999

Inform the Parish Safeguarding Representative and the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor as soon as you can.

Make notes of any action taken.

Concerns about a children or vulnerable adult,

Concerns about the behaviour of clergy or other adults within the church community

Contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor

Narinder Lyon on 01133530256 or 07872005309

Make notes of any action taken.

Concerns about the safeguarding procedures and practices.

Contact Nicky Howgate, Safeguarding Representative on

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Ruth Newton, Parish Priest on [revdruthnewton@gmail.com](mailto:revdruthnewton@gmail.com)

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