

PCC Member Safeguarding Declaration

Together with the Rector and Church Wardens all PCC Members have responsibility for children and vulnerable adults in our buildings and this may involve frequent or regular contact. You will be required to provide a DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) certificate and undertake training specified by the Diocese or Safeguarding Officer. If you undertake other roles on behalf of St James or in our buildings you may be required to undertake additional training and have further documents to read as required by the Safeguarding Officer. The Declaration (and any personal data provided) will be processed and used only in accordance with the PCC's Privacy Notice which is available at the following address: <http://stjamesthorley.church/documents/>

The ten documents below detail our current policies and procedures as required by the Church of England and St Albans Diocese and include documents from them. It is required that all PCC members are familiar with current and updated policies and procedures and declare that this is the case. The documents below will be circulated to PCC members with this declaration and updates will be circulated when issued. All documents will be held on our website.

The Parish of St James the Great, Thorley

Signed Safeguarding Policy Statement 04/04/2019
Safeguarding Policy 19/11/2018
Safeguarding booklet 19/11/2018
Policy for Responding to Domestic Abuse - April 2017
Safeguarding notice on St James' website - June 2019

The Diocese of St Albans

Safeguarding News – April 2017 – detailing what PCC's need to put in place
Safeguarding News — May 2019

The Church of England

Parish Safeguarding Handbook March 2019
Safeguarding Policy for children, young people and adults
Poster "Promoting A Safer Church"

I declare that I am aware of my responsibility to promote a safe environment for everyone attending St James the Great Church and the other buildings for which the PCC is responsible. I confirm that I have read the documents listed above and I undertake to keep up to date by reading revised documents issued by the Church of England, St Albans Diocese and the Safeguarding Officer and to undertake all specified training to fulfil my role as a PCC member.

Signed _____

Print Name _____

Date _____

Role in PCC _____