

Safeguarding Homepage picture and text



Safeguarding is everyone's business

The care and protection of children, young people and adults involved in Church activities is the responsibility of everyone who participates in the life of the Church.

Our commitments are:

- Promoting a safer environment and culture

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

The Parish of Holy Trinity Bingley with St Wilfrid Gilstead has adopted the House of Bishops Safeguarding Policy for children, young people and adults.

Details of our Safeguarding Policy can be found here: [Promoting a Safer Church Booklet](#).

If you are concerned that someone you know is at risk of, or is being abused, or presents a risk to others, please see advice from a safeguarding adviser or if necessary report to the Local Authority Social Care Services or to the Police without delay.

Parish Safeguarding Officers

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Revd Andrew Clarke

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**Bradford Local Authority
Social Care Services**

Children Services during work hours: **01274 435600**

Adult Services during work hours: **01274 435400**

Children and adult out of hours: **01274 431010**

If it is an emergency situation

Dial 999

Helpline numbers



Samaritans

Call 116 123
for free



24-hour National Domestic Abuse Helpline: 0808 2000 247

Action on Elder Abuse: 0808 808 8141

Men's Advice Line: 0808 801 0327

Stop It Now: 0808 1000 900

Modern Slavery Helpline: 08000 121 700

NAPAC: 0808 801 0331