SAFEGUARDING ST MARY'S CHURCH MERTON

We take the safeguarding and care of children and vulnerable adults very seriously. If you have concerns contact our Parish Safeguarding Officers

safeguardingofficers@stmarysmerton.org.uk



Maggi Chick Parish Safeguarding Officer Anne Carroll Deputy Parish Safeguarding Officer

Churchwarden David Reeves contactable at

David.Reeves@stmarysmerton.org.uk

Where to get help

If you have immediate concerns about the safety of someone, please contact:

London Borough of Merton Adult Social Care First Response Team:

Monday – Friday 9.30am – 1.30pm 020 8545 4388, 1.30pm - 5pm 07903 235382

Out of Hours Service Monday – Sunday 020 8770 5000

Children's Social Care: 020 8545 4226 or 020 8545 4227

Out of Hours Service 020 8770 5000. In an emergency call the police by telephone on 999

NSPCC Child Protection Helpline: 0808 800 5000 (lines free and open 24 hours). Phone if you are worried about a child.

Child-line: 0800 1111 (lines free and open 24 hours). Phone if you are a child or young person and are worried about anything.

National Domestic Violence Helpline: 0808 2000 247 (lines free and open 24 hours). Phone if you are experiencing domestic abuse.

Samaritans Helpline: 116 123 (open 24 hours). Phone if you feel you are struggling to cope and need someone to talk to.

Action on Elder Abuse Helpline: 0800 0699784 (free phone Monday to Friday 9-5pm).

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Safeguarding referrals / general enquiries <u>safeguarding@southwark.anglican.org</u> **020 7939 9441** (Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm)

For urgent out of hours advice (Monday – Friday after 5pm / weekends and bank holidays) please contact **020 3874 6743**

Pamela Chisholm - Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser

John Stafford – Deputy Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser

Christina Hope - Assistant Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser

Louise Vernon - Assistant Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser

Shola Smith – Safeguarding Administrator

Zoe Skilton – Safeguarding Training Administrator

The current Diocesan Policies and Procedures on safeguarding can be found at: southwark.anglican.org/safeguarding/diocesan-policies-and-procedures