

Our Policy

The Parish of St James Carlisle has adopted the Church's policy (Promoting a Safer Church) that puts children, young people & vulnerable adults at the centre of our concerns. We have also adopted the safeguarding policy and guidance agreed by the House of Bishops.

St James' safeguarding policy can be found on our noticeboards and via the safeguarding section on our website at: www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Safeguarding-Policy-February-2023.pdf

Signed: (Churchwarden) **Date:** 10th June 2024

Who's Who in our Parish?

Vicar

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Our Churchwardens:

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Our Parish Safeguarding Officers:

(for safeguarding concerns about children or vulnerable adults)
Michelle Graham(Children) safeguarding.children@stjamescarlisle.org.uk 01228 381957
Jane Clark (Adults) safeguarding@stjamescarlisle.org.uk 01228 711183

Our Readers:

Mark Hurley 01228 534007
Julie Graham 07999235471

Our staff:

Toby Harling Administrator toby@stjamescarlisle.org.uk 01228 810616
Kate Davidson Children and Families Worker kate@stjamescarlisle.org.uk 07436 802895
Andy Blake Cornerstone Manager manager@cornerstonecarlisle.org 01228 549796
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Femi Faloye Youth Worker femi@stjamescarlisle.org.uk 01228 810616
Joan White Verger

Who else can be contacted in an emergency?

Our Diocesan Safeguarding Officer (DSO) is:

Joanna Van Lachterop safeguarding.adviser@carlisediocese.org.uk 07458 0168840

Children – Children's Services 0333 240 1727

Vulnerable Adults – our local Adult Social Services Office is at:

3rd Floor, Cumbria House, 117 Botchergate, Carlisle, CA1 1RD

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