

**Policy on the Safeguarding of Adults** in The College of Catholic Anglican Women (TCCAW) This statement was adopted by TCCAW at a Trustees meeting held on 28th September 2023

This policy will be reviewed each year to monitor the progress which has been achieved.

- 1. We recognize that everyone has different levels of vulnerability and that each of us may be regarded as vulnerable at some time in our lives.
- 2. As members of this College we commit ourselves to respectful pastoral care for all adults to whom we minister.
- 3. We commit ourselves to the safeguarding of people who may be vulnerable, ensuring their well-being in the life of this College.
- 4. We commit ourselves to promoting safe practice by those in positions of trust.
- 5. The College commits itself to promoting the inclusion and empowerment of people who may be vulnerable.
- 6. It is the responsibility of each of us to prevent the physical, emotional, sexual, financial and spiritual abuse of vulnerable people and to report any such abuse that we discover or suspect.
- 7. We undertake to exercise proper care in the appointment and selection of those who will work with people who may be vulnerable.
- 8. The College is committed to supporting, resourcing, training and regularly reviewing those who undertake work amongst people who may be vulnerable.
- 9. The parish adopts the guidelines of the Church of England and the Diocese.
- 10. Each person who works with vulnerable people will agree to abide by these recommendations and the guidelines established by the Church of England.

This College appoints The Rev'd Emma Hopegood Jones (Trustee) to represent the concerns and views of vulnerable people at our meetings and to outside bodies.

Adopted by all Trustees

Trustee - The Rev'd Arwen Folkes

Trustee - Sue Preston

Trustee - Dr Sanjee Perera

Trustee - The Rev'd Emma Hopegood Jones

Date 28th September 2023