

Safeguarding

Marie O'Donnelly the safeguarding coordinator is available on the safeguarding mobile 07909 117964 with Bernie Ware 07980 406198 in support. Jo Pearson is available by email. The standard advice applies that if you have concerns about a child or adult who is at risk you should call the Police or Social Services immediately.

DBS are not currently being processed. Case files remain secure at the pastoral centre and will be accessed as and when needed.

Property Department

Tom Garrud will visit parish sites only in cases of emergency, for both building matters and health and safety issues. Tom is advising against initiating new building projects given government advice (and what might follow in the next phase)

Schools Department

Philip Patterson is attending school sites to deal with certain critical issues. The rest of the team are available by email. New governor forms are not being processed.

Adult Education

All courses and tutorials have been postponed. Pat Travis does not have access to her email, but she will pick up any messages that you leave on her work phone. Greg Ryan does have access to email.

Tribunal/Chancery

Fr Craig Fitzpatrick and Anne Ashton have not removed confidential files from the pastoral centre. They will have limited access to documentation. The annulment process will cease temporarily. As the government have banned weddings in this country there should not be any urgent marriage documentation required. Please contact both Fr Craig and Anne if you think that there is an urgent matter.

Caritas Hallam

The Counsellors and Social workers have cancelled all non-urgent face to face meetings. St Wilfrid's Centre is closed until further notice.

Caritas (Hallam Caring Services) is offering to provide a limited Counselling/Family Support Service to anyone you think may benefit from this in the current situation. This offer is particularly targeted at young people who are unable to go to school and have lost the support that the schools would have provided. If you wish to use this service you should contact Assistant Director Bernie Ware 07980 406 198. Bishop Ralph and Trustees are fully supportive of this idea, and hope it will be of comfort at this difficult time.

Finance

All payroll and retired clergy grants were completed before the lockdown. Ed will be able to settle invoices from home. He will be monitoring parish bank accounts, but if you are aware that the parish account cannot meet its liabilities please contact Ed sooner rather later as this will give him time to make the appropriate transfer.