

SAFEGUARDING NEWSLETTER

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Emailed to clergy, licensed lay ministers, parish safeguarding officers and church wardens. Please let Karen Setchfield (karen.setchfield@peterborough-diocese.org.uk) know if your role has changed. Please pass this newsletter on to as many people as possible!

WELCOME ... to the Newsletter for Safeguarding Children and Adults who may be vulnerable. You can find a printer-friendly version of this and previous Newsletters at: www.peterborough-diocese.org.uk/safeguardingnews

What is Pokemon Go?

Pokémon Go is a mobile and tablet app game which lets players find Pokémon (Animated creatures, which players have to catch, train and battle with). The game takes place in augmented reality (meaning the game combines real life action with virtual gaming) by using GPS as you walk around towns, cities and other locations to find the Pokémon. The game has been an overnight sensation with millions playing it around the world. It is an evangelistic opportunity but it also has safeguarding implications!

Please see the attached Guidance for your Church.

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You can get information about many of your safeguarding queries on line at

www.peterborough-diocese.org.uk/safeguarding

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