



ARCHDIOCESE OF WASHINGTON

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Child Protection & Safe Environment **Contact Information**

- **For Reporting Suspected Abuse:**

Reporting by Email - To submit a report by email, reporter can use this link: [complete this form](#) and email to ChildProtection@adw.org

Reporting by Phone - If you suspect child abuse involving any archdiocesan clergy, personnel, or volunteer please report it immediately to civil authorities and to the Office of Child and Youth Protection for the Archdiocese of Washington, at 301-853-5302.

Questions? Contact [Courtney Chase](#), LCSW-C, LICSW, Executive Director of the Office of Child Protection & Safe Environment at 301-853-5302.

- **Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Line** - To report an incident of sexual abuse and related misconduct by a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at ReportBishopAbuse.org or call (800) 276-1562.

The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service will receive and relay those reports to the proper Church authorities for investigation. Where a report includes a crime, such as the sexual abuse of a minor, it will also be reported to civil authorities. Otherwise, reports will be kept confidential.

- **Ethics *HOTLINE***: The Archdiocese of Washington is committed to being good stewards of the resources entrusted to us. If you see or suspect financial or employee misconduct involving any parish, school or archdiocesan office:

[Report your concerns here](#). Dial toll-free: 855-290-3381 *Reports can be made anonymously – 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.* Examples may include and are not limited to:

- accounting or auditing irregularities
- theft or fraud
- improper dealings with vendors and conflicts of interest
- misuse of archdiocesan resources
- retaliation or harassment
- breaches of confidentiality

<https://adw.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2018/06/17Ethics-Hotline-FAQ.pdf>