**Promoting a safer Church**

**Safeguarding in The Vale of Pewsey Team of Churches**

*The Vale of Pewsey Team of Churches takes its responsibilities surrounding the safeguarding of children, young people, and adults who may be at risk very seriously, and works in partnership with the Diocese of Salisbury to ensure that we work in accordance with best practice at all times.*

*Our Team of Churches have adopted the House of Bishops Safeguarding Policy for children, young people and adults which can be downloaded [here]*

**Local Contacts:**

*If you are concerned that someone you know is at risk of, or is being abused, or presents a risk to others, please contact:*

***Team Safeguarding Officer for all of the local parishes listed on this website, Mrs. Pauline Dark on 01672 851405***

*Pauline covers: Alton Barnes, Beechingstoke, Stanton St. Bernard, Manningford Bruce, North Newnton, Woodborough, Wilcot, Huish with Oare, Wootton Rivers, Easton Royal, Milton Lilbourne, Rushall, Charlton St. Peter, Upavon and Pewsey*

*Local clergy are also available to contact:*

*Rev’d Canon Deb Larkey on 01672 851746 or email* *deborahlarkey@btinternet.com*

*Rev’d Jennifer Totney on 01672 562886 or email* *Jennifer.totney@gmail.com*

*Rev’d Mark Windsor on 01672 564265 or email* *markwindsor923@btinternet.com*

*Alternatively you can contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser on 07500 664800 or email* *heather.bland@salisbury.anglican.org*

*Or Local Authority Social Services: refer to* ***Children and Young People*** *on* [*www.wiltshire.gov.uk*](http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/)