



**Safeguarding Policy Statement  
Promoting a Safer Church,  
House of Bishops, 2017**

This Policy Statement on Safeguarding in the Church was adopted by

.....*St John, Lepton*.....  
(Parish/Benefice)

at a Parochial Church Council meeting held on .....*6<sup>th</sup> March 2019*.....

**Each person who works within this church will agree to abide by these recommendations and the guidelines**

**established by this church. This church appoints .....*Janet Harnden*..... as the  
Parish Safeguarding Officer.**

**The application of this policy will be reviewed each year and a report provided by the Parish Safeguarding Officer to the PCC.**

Signed on behalf of the PCC by:

Name.....*[Signature]*..... Role.....*Priest in Charge*.....

Signature.....*V. KEATINGE*..... Date.....*2<sup>nd</sup> March 2019*.....