

Londra Diriliş Kilisesi (London Resurrection Church)
SAFEGUARDING POLICY STATEMENT

The following policy was re-affirmed as of July 8th, 2024.

We adhere to the London Diocese Safeguarding Policy which is contained in ‘[Promoting a Safer Diocese](#)’ 2018 and further guidance can be sought from the National Church’s [Safeguarding Policies and Practice Guidance](#). Our CSO, incumbent and the Trustees refer to the [National Church’s Parish Safeguarding Handbook](#) for advice on responding to concerns.

We will:

- Promote a safer environment and culture.
- Have a named Church Safeguarding Officer (CSO) to work with the incumbent and the Trustees to implement policy and procedures.
- Safely recruit, train and support all those with any responsibility for children, young people and adults to have the confidence and skills to recognise and respond to abuse.
- Ensure that there is appropriate insurance cover for all activities involving children and adults undertaken on the church premises.
- Display in church premises and on the website the details of who to contact if there are safeguarding concerns or support needs.
- Listen to and take seriously all those who disclose abuse.
- Respond promptly, taking steps to protect children and adults when a safeguarding concern of any kind arises, following House of Bishops guidance, including notifying the Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser (DSA) and statutory agencies immediately.
- Offer support to victims/survivors of abuse regardless of the type of abuse, when or where it occurred.
- Care for and monitor any member of the church community who may pose a risk to children and adults whilst maintaining appropriate confidentiality and the safety of all parties.
- Ensure that health and safety policy, procedures and risk assessments are in place and that these are reviewed annually.
- Review the implementation of the Safeguarding Policy, Procedures and Practices at least annually.

Each person who works within this church community will agree to abide by this policy and the guidelines established by this church.

This church appoints ...Suna Gürkan..... as the Safeguarding Officer.

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Incumbent: Engin Yıldırım.....info@lonradirilis.org.uk.....07908 335 400

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Engin Yıldırım

Date: July 8th, 2024