

Junior Leaders Course Content

A brief description of the content of the Junior Leaders Online course.

Topic 1 - Training Overview

Welcome video
Who is training for?
Definitions of terms used in the training
Objectives
Outline of how the course works
Self-care video
Useful information for your training

Topic 2 - Foundations in Safe Ministry: Introduction

Welcome from Archbishop Davies Vulnerable people: children, vulnerable adults Caring for people in our ministries involves... Who are the vulnerable people in your church?

Topic 3 - Safe Ministry Principles

Duty to care
Wise Leadership

Topic 4 - Safe Ministry Fundamentals

Faithfulness in service
Safe ministry journey (policy documents)
Other important documents

Topic 5 - Appropriate Leadership

What it means to be a Christian leader What to look for in a leader Personal Leadership Review

Topic 6 - Power in ministry

All leadership carries authority and power Bullying Cyber bullying Self protection and awareness

Topic 7 - Boundaries in ministry

The purpose of boundaries in ministry Attitudes to boundaries Establishing boundaries



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Topic 8 - Leader Selection

Suitability of leaders Leader recruitment and appointment Engaging young leaders in ministry Safe ministry pledge (code of conduct)

Topic 9 - Understanding Abuse

Myths and realities of child abuse Types of abuse Recognising and responding to abuse

Topic 10 - Reporting Abuse

Possible barriers to reporting
Who to speak to
Concerns about a leaders behaviour
Ongoing care and support for all people
Emotions
Debrief/Counselling
Follow up/What to do next

Topic 11 - Safe Environments

Physical and emotional environment
Risk management
Policies and Practices
Appropriate practices
Appropriate supervision
Appropriate physical contact
Food handling
Transport
Electronic communication
Use of facilities by very young children
Emergency evacuation and fire
Incident, accident or injury
Use and maintenance of equipment

Topic 12 - Safe Ministry Summary

Meeting with your Training Mentor

Topic 13 - Course Completion

Final Checkpoint