

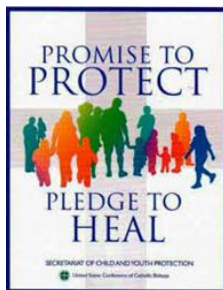
OFFICE OF SAFETY AND SECURITY

ABUSE OF MINORS BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT:

All parishes are reminded to place the **UPDATED** (2-25-19) bulletin insert (see below) in their parish bulletins **quarterly** (July, October, January, April) regarding the “Abuse of Minors Pastoral Response Hotline” and email address and submission form.

After putting the announcement in the bulletin, please mail or email copies to wendy.backes@salinadiocese.org as she will put them in Diocesan files, to share with the auditors.

Please continue to be faithful with this request as we continue to
Promise to Protect, Pledge to Heal.



Any allegation of the abuse of a minor, may be reported to the **Kansas Protection Report Center (1-800-922-5330)**, the **KBI Crime Hotline (1-800-KSCRIME)** or ClergyAbuse@kbi.ks.gov. The Diocese of Salina fully participates in all criminal investigations related to abuse perpetrated by a member of the clergy or other church official.

For the safety of children and the healing of those who have suffered abuse, the Diocese of Salina provides an **Abuse Response Hotline (1-785-825-0865)**; an **Abuse Response Email (reportabuse@salinadiocese.org)**; and an **Abuse Response Online Submission Form (www.salinadiocese.org/safety-security)**. Reports will be responded to promptly by the Diocesan Assistance Coordinator. All reports are confidential with the exception of those involving the abuse of minors, which will be immediately reported by the Diocese to the proper authorities, as required by Kansas State Law and Diocesan Policy.

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