Episcopal Diocese of San Diego

Safeguarding God's People

Policy Manual on Sexual Abuse and Misconduct: Prevention and Response

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Reporting Claims of Misconduct

Report Suspected Child Abuse:
San Diego County (858) 560-2191 or (800) 344-6000
Yuma Arizona (888) 767-2445
Imperial County (760) 337-7750
Riverside County (800) 442-4918

If you are not able to get through on these numbers, call your local police department.
Report these claims also to the Bishop (ask to speak to the Bishop and state that it is urgent and confidential)**:**
The Rt. Rev. James R. Mathes (619) 291-5947
Report Claims Of Episcopal Clergy Misconduct to the Bishop (ask to speak to the Bishop and state that it is urgent and confidential):
The Rt. Rev. James R. Mathes (619) 291-5947
Report Claims of Misconduct by Lay Ministers to the Rector/Vicar/Priest-in-Charge at your parish.
Additional Resources:
San Diego County Suicide & Crisis Hotline (800) 479-3339
Forms for Reporting Suspected Child Abuse
Form 8572 is available electronically at the following website:
http://caag.state.ca.us/childabuse/pdf/ss_8572.pdf

Directions for use are available at the following website:
http://caag.state.ca.us/childabuse/pdf/8572_instruct.pdf
Procedures and suggested form
Tabs S-1 and S-2 for reporting suspected child sexual abuse
Diocese of San Diego web site www.edsd.org