



Parish Certification *for those who work with children and youth*

Each participant in the Safeguarding God's Children online certification process needs to be certified by his/her parish. This means the parish must collect certain documents (criminal records check, sex offender registry check, etc.). In addition, certain topics must be discussed prior to certification with a supervisor, fellow teachers and mentors. (Note: A supervisor may be the rector, senior warden, director of religious education, etc., but not a family relative, even by marriage.)

This form must be completed by the parish for each individual who intends to complete Safeguarding Online.

Parish: _____

Participant's Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name of Designated Supervisor: _____

Please check that the following items are complete:

- Standard Application Criminal Records Check Sexual Offender Registry Check References Checked
- Notes from a Personal Interview Documents kept in a secured file.

Has the participant discussed the [Discussion Points](http://www.edwm.org/safeguarding_gods_children_discussion_points.pdf) with a supervisor (rector, director of religious education, etc.) and co-workers (co-teachers and mentors).

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This is an online form, and the information may be sent to, and collected by, EDWM. If you choose to submit it online, note the "Submit" button in the lower right hand corner of this page.

If you choose to send a hard copy, you may type the answers in the fields and simply print the form, or you may wish to print the form and hand-write the answers. Hard copies may be sent to EDWM, Attn: Gennie Callard, 535 S. Burdick, Suite 1, Kalamazoo, MI 49007 or faxed to (269) 381-7067.

Electronic Signature of Supervisor: _____

By typing the name in electronic signature box, it is implied that the knowledge and consent of that individual exists.

Date: _____

Electronic Signature of Participant: _____

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Date: _____