



## COMMITMENT BY ARCHBISHOP KIERAN O'REILLY

On behalf of the Archdiocese of Cashel & Emly, as part of the Catholic Church in Ireland, I commit to:

- Safeguarding children by agreeing to follow this Safeguarding Children Policy
- Supporting Church personnel in my Church body to follow all aspects of this policy
- Accepting my responsibilities for creating a culture of safety; building safe environments for children; and ensuring that children are welcome, involved in ministry and free from harm
- Responding to and managing allegations of abuse with compassion and fairness and in line with civil and canonical requirements
- Accepting my overall responsibility as Church authority to uphold safeguarding as a core ministry in the Catholic Church in Ireland

Church authority signature

+ Kieran O'Reilly

Date

12<sup>th</sup> June 2024.