



Holy Spirit Catholic Parish, Gungahlin

'Empowered by the Spirit to Serve'

3. The alleged offender will be removed immediately from any responsibilities or functions which bring him or her into contact with children, and especially the victim and his or her family. Where appropriate they will be stood down pending the outcome of investigations and possibly legal proceedings.
4. The Parish will offer whatever support it can to the victim and his or her family; including immediate and, if necessary, on-going counselling. Other forms of support will be positively considered upon request.
5. The Parish will keep full and accurate records of the complaints and all steps taken to address them. The statistics, including outcomes, will be available annually.
6. Where a complaint has been proven, the Parish will make reparations as directed by the courts and the Archdiocese or, if a more informal complaint is made and accepted, any reparations will be considered under the guidelines established by the Archdiocese of Canberra-Goulburn and its Archbishop.
7. All steps taken by the Parish will be conducted in accordance with the policies of the Archdiocese of Canberra-Goulburn.

Detailed guidelines and policy statements can be found at:

cgatholic.org.au/professional-standards/

The Code of Conduct is at: cgatholic.org.au/professional-standards/child-protection-code-of-conduct/