



# Child Protection Online Training for 2017-2018 *Safe Haven*

This year our update **training for clergy, employees and volunteers** is *Safe Haven*, provided by Covenant Eyes and Catholic Mutual Group. This training, in English and Spanish, will provide information about the dangers of pornography, cyberbullying and sexting for our children and youth. All of us have children and youth in our lives. We might be parents, grandparents, aunts or uncles. Young people are part of our parishes and are students at our schools. All of us are exposed to pornographic images on our electronic devices. These images are harmful to our brain function, our relationships and our all around wellbeing as persons. These sites are especially harmful to our children and youth. Even young children are being exposed to this material on their electronic devices and are becoming addicted to the images. We know that some of the warning signs before abuse takes place, are minors being exposed to pornography and sexting. This

training provides a short presentation on the dangers of these inappropriate uses of social media sites.



Covenant Eyes is an Internet Accountability and Filtering system, which you will have an opportunity to try out if you choose. ***There is no obligation to purchase this service.***

You will be asked to create an account under your parish name. (Follow the directions provided below.) This will be one way we will be able to track your completion of the training. The training for child protection will include viewing the 18-minute video, completing the quiz and retaining a copy of your certificate to give to your parish or school.

*Training to  
be  
completed  
by  
December  
1, 2017*

*If you have  
questions about  
completing this  
course, please  
contact your  
parish or school  
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Administrator.*

## DIRECTIONS

1. Go to <http://cmgparent.org/>
2. Click "Start Learning"
3. Register by creating a personal account, select Archdiocese of Portland, then select the parish (school employees/volunteers select corresponding parish) keep track of your account info—you will be able to log back in
4. View the *Safe Haven* video (approx. 18 minutes) available in English & Spanish
5. Complete the quiz (approx. 2 minutes)
6. Print out and submit the certificate to your parish or school.