

VIRTUS PROGRAM

“Protecting God’s Children” is a program designed to educate all who interact with children about sexual abuse and the ways to create safe environments for children. It is a 3-hour session, which includes videos and facilitated discussions. Adults learn how to recognize the signs and symptoms that an adult is a potential risk of harm to children, how to know that a child is being abused or exploited and steps that the faith community can take to create a safe environment. This is for those who have not taken the workshop already. This is an excellent program for all parents.

This program consists of three parts:

1. Signing of Volunteer’s Code of Conduct
2. Authorization of a criminal background check.
3. Participation in a three(3) hour workshop, consisting of videos and discussion, which focus on the prevention of child abuse and the protection of children.

Opportunities for the VIRTUS workshop can be found online at www.virtus.org if you wish to take the workshop during the summer.

To register: go online, access www.virtus.org. If you do not have access to a computer, please come to the School Office for assistance.

Thank you.