**

**Declaration of Acceptance of Safeguarding Trust and a**

**‘Duty to Care’**

Parish of ……………………………………………………………………………………….

**Declaration**

I have attended a training event on *(insert date) \_*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at *(insert venue)* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ which has introduced me to the Church of Ireland Safeguarding Trust and the recommended procedures to be followed when working with children have been explained to me.

**I acknowledge receipt of the relevant sections of Safeguarding Trustand declare I will uphold the same in the position I have accepted with (***name of group/parish)*

**I further state that I shall exercise a duty to care for any children in my charge***.*

*Name (print)*

*Signed*

*Date*

***NB This*** *declaration is to be retained by the parish panel.*