

VIRTUS TRAINING

St. Mary of the Lake

Attention: All Volunteers Who Work With Children!

In response to the Charter for the Protection of Children, the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis **requires** training for priests, parish and school staff and all volunteers who have contact with children. This program specifically addresses how entire parish and school communities can protect all of God's children from sexual abuse.

All are expected to attend a training session called:

VIRTUS: Protecting God's Children.

For those of you who are new this year or still need to meet this requirement, St. Mary's is offering the following session. This is a one-time training, which need not be repeated. It is 3 hours long and full of good information.

Saturday, Apr. 16, 2011

8:30 – 11:30 AM

St. Mary of the Lake, Kohler Hall

If this time does not work for you, please search the web site below for a session at another parish. To be sure to get credit for your attendance, you must register on-line as instructed below.

TO REGISTER:

The web site will guide you through everything you need to know:

- Go to www.virtus.org
- Click on the "Registration" link in the left-hand column
- Select "Saint Paul and Minneapolis (Archdiocese)" from the drop-down box
- Create your own "User ID" and "password"
- Follow the screen prompts to continue the on-line registration

The website offering specific instructions for registering on-line is:

www.virtusonline.org/facilitators/VIRTUSregistration.pdf.

Thank you!

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