**APCM Safeguarding report 2019**

**Whilst Safeguarding remains a very important aspect of the Church’s responsibility and focus it is fair to say that this last year has been quieter regarding specific activity on the information and training front except that ……….. A DBS online registration presentation was organised by the Diocese and it was held at St. Peter’s church in Norton Malton on Wednesday March 14th (1pm – 4pm).**

**The training session was delivered by \*\* Thirtyone:eight (used to be known as CCPAS, see below) and they are the online DBS check provider used by the Diocese.**

**The purpose of the training was to show how to use the online system, not only for registration but also how to pull off the various reports that are held within the system.**

**Around 50 – 60 people attended from myself at the western end of the Diocese to Bridlington on the east coast.**

**There have been no reported DBS concerns within our parish this last year and we continue to keep up to date with Diocesan guidelines.**

**David Gaygan**

***\*\* Old testament book Proverbs chapter thirtyone:eight reads “Open your mouths for the dumb and for the rights of all who are left desolate”***