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Official

Father Ronald J. Domhoff is on administrative leave, pending investigation, as pastor of St. Peter the Apostle Parish due to an accusation of sexual abuse of a minor. During this time, Fr. Domhoff will refrain from all public ministries.

When an allegation of sexual abuse is received, the Archdiocese initiates its sexual abuse policies, which include:

- An administrative leave for the person who has been accused.
- Outreach, if possible, to the person making the accusation.
- A report to civil authorities if not already contacted.
- An internal investigation of the accusation.

All of these steps are underway.

Per the sexual abuse policies of the Archdiocese of Louisville, this purpose of this notification is to inform parishioners in the parishes in which an accused priest has served about an accusation and to provide information about how to make a report of child abuse.

Father Domhoff has served in the following parishes or ministries – all in Louisville: Trinity High School, St. Frances of Rome Parish (in residence), Our Lady of Lourdes Parish (in residence), Our Lady of Consolation Parish, and St. Peter the Apostle Parish.

The Archdiocese is committed to reaching out to those who have been sexually abused by clergy or Church employees. Anyone who has been the victim of sexual abuse or has information about sexual abuse should contact the police. Martine Siegel, Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Archdiocese, also is ready to assist victims. Contact her at (502) 636-1044 or email victimassistance@archlou.org.

To report abuse to the civil authorities, please call the child protection services or the local police in your county. Please see www.archlou.org/report for a list of these agencies in each county. You also may call the statewide child abuse hotline at 1-877-KYSAFE1 or 1-877-597-2331.