

# ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

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## Archdiocese of Chicago Insurance Program & Volunteers

The success of the many missions and programs within the Archdiocese of Chicago are largely dependent upon the continued generosity of talent and time by the thousands of lay volunteers. And nowhere, are the efforts of these volunteers more visible than within the Parishes. Thus it is important for our volunteers to be aware that the broad insurance programs of the Archdiocese of Chicago do indeed extend this protection to them, for their work in their volunteer roles.

The Archdiocese of Chicago insurance policies specifically define “assured” to include; “officials, members of boards or commissions, trustees, directors, officers, partners, volunteers, student teachers... while acting within the scope of their duties as such.”

Our insurers are obligated to pay those sums that we become legally obligated to pay because of a covered loss due to accident or negligence, including claim defense costs.

It is important to understand that **EXCLUDED** from insurance coverage are acts that are dishonest, fraudulent, criminal, malicious or intentional.

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