

## How to Plant a Pinwheel Garden





- \* Order pinwheels (up to 40 per location) and lawn signs
  - Contact <u>medintino@rcbm.org</u> to arrange to pick up at diocese or call NH Children's Trust in Concord at
- \* "Plant" them in the ground outside of your building; see examples above!
- Put them in vases in your hallways or offices. Place child safety pamphlets or notices (see next page) nearby to let people know what it's all about.
- Share pictures on social media and send to <u>tbishop@rcbm.org</u> for inclusion on diocesan social media posts.

## APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH GREAT CHILDHOODS BEGIN WITH ALL OF US!



**Pinwheels** serve as a reminder of the happy, healthy, and safe childhoods that all children deserve. To reach this goal, every child needs a loving and supportive environment. Children who are raised in supportive and stable environments grow into productive, contributing adults.

## Take action!

- Reach out to a family with children and offer to help
- Educate yourself about online safety to protect children from internet dangers
- Support your local food pantry
- Offer words of encouragement to stressed parents
- \* Complete our safe environment training to learn about red flags and how to prevent abuse: https://manchester.cmgconnect.org

## Learn more:

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