



Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown

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Please personally (or through your administrative assistant) provide the Advocate with the name/phone number of the interested Petitioner. The Advocate will contact the Petitioner in a timely manner.

Thank you.

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