



John Morgan, Chairman of the National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland will speak at Voice of the Faithful's 10th Year Conference at about 9 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 15, at the Marriott Boston Copley Place Hotel. [Click here](#) for a conference agenda.

Morgan was appointed a director of the National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland on its establishment in 2007 and Chairman in 2009. He served as chairperson of the Bishops' Committee on Child Protection from 2002-2006.

Prior to that he had been a member of the committees established by the bishops dealing with child protection since the first formal Bishops' Committee on Child Abuse, to which he was appointed in 1999.

Morgan has had an extensive career in business, primarily as a corporate lawyer. He served as Group Counsel and Group Corporate Secretary for the worldwide Waterford Wedgwood Group in the period 1985-1999.

His main pro bono work has been as Board Chair of Mater Misericordiae University Hospital, a major Catholic Voluntary Acute Hospital in Dublin under the patronage of the Sisters of Mercy, from 2002 to date. In 2009, he was appointed vice-chairman of The Dublin Academic Medical Centre.

Morgan was awarded the theology degree of Bachelor of Divinity (First Class Honours) from the Pontifical Faculty of Theology of the Milltown Institute, Dublin, in 2005.