**VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM**



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| Tel Number Eve |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Diocese |  |
| Parish |  |
| Name of Activity/Ministry |  |

Previous Experience/Reason for volunteering with this Diocesan activity/ministry:

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Have you received Diocesan Safeguarding Training? Yes No

*If yes, please give details of training and dates*

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Any other relevant information?

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If you are new/not known to the parish, you will require a reference. Please provide details in the boxes provided below. *The Parish Priest, at his discretion, may ask for a second reference.*

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Legislation in Ireland has at its core, the principle that the welfare of minors and adults at risk, must be of paramount consideration. Church organisations, therefore, ask that everyone working or volunteering for the Church, abide by good practice by completing and signing this declaration:

1. Do you have any prosecutions pending or have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence or been the subject of a Caution or Bound Over Order? **Yes No**

If yes, please state below the date/s and nature of the offence(s)

Date of offence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Have you ever been the subject of disciplinary procedures or been asked to leave employment

or voluntary activity due to inappropriate behaviour towards a child? **Yes No**

If yes, please state below the date/s and nature of the disciplinary procedure/s

Date of offence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Nature of offence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Declaration:** I understand that if it is found that I have withheld information or included any false or misleading information above, I may be removed from my role, without notice.

I understand that this information will be kept securely by the Parish of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, in the Diocese of Ferns.

***I declare that the above information is true and that I am fit to serve as a volunteer with this parish ministry/activity.***

***I agree to abide by the safeguarding policies & procedures for the Diocese of Ferns***

Signed:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_