

## WhatsApp Consent Form

Name of parish:		••••••	••••••
Name of group:	•••••	•••••	•••••

The above-named group uses a WhatsApp broadcast to send information to group members relating to the group activities, if you wish to be added to this group you will be required to abide by the group code of conduct below:

- Please be considerate and respectful to others in the group.
- The group will be moderated by a representative designated by the parish priest and any inappropriate activity on the group may lead to further investigation and action and automatic suspension from your volunteering or group member role.
- Please refrain from sending any messages, images or videos that may cause offence or be deemed as inappropriate, demeaning or inflammatory. Foul or racist language will not be tolerated.
- The group should be used only for the organisation of the group members and volunteers; personal discussions should not take place in the group.
- Please keep the content of the group confidential.
- Do not use the group to share any confidential information or personal details of any parishioners, parish employees, clergy, service users or connected organisations etc.
- If there are any concerning behaviours, content, or safeguarding issues in the group, please report to the diocesan safeguarding team immediately by emailing safeguarding@rcaol.org.uk





## Declaration

I have read and understood the usage guidelines for the WhatsApp group.
I give consent for my number to be added to the WhatsApp group.
Name (please print in block capitals):
Signature:
Date:/

If you leave the group your number will be deleted from this WhatsApp group, and you may withdraw consent at any time by contacting the group leader.

