**Diocese of Worcester**

**LLM Annual Return: Acts of Worship Statistics for 2023**

**Name ……………………………………………………………………………………………….. Parish/Benefice …………………………………………………………………………………………………….**

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|  | **1** | **2**  | **3** | **4** | **5** | **6** |
| **In your own Benefice** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **Outside your Benefice** |  |  |  |  |  |  |

*Please enter a number in each of the boxes above for services in which you have ministered from 1 January to 31 December 2023, according to the following:*

**1 – Number of Services at which you have preached.** (Include all sermons and talks at all age/family services. Only include funeral addresses if you did not also conduct the funeral. If you both preached and presided at a service, include it in both this column and column 2.)

**2 – Acts of Worship at which you were the Presiding Minister.** (Include all services led in church or any other place of worship except Holy Communion by Extension, as well as all services led in homes, residential care homes, hospitals and hospices, whether conducted in person or online.)

**3 – Services of Holy Communion by Extension at which you were the Presiding Minister.** (Include only services of Holy Communion by Extension led in church. Note that in the Diocese of Worcester, these services can only be used with the bishop’s explicit permission.)

**4 – Services of Holy Communion in which you acted as liturgical Deacon.**

**5 – Funeral Services Conducted.** (Include all funerals, whether in church or at a crematorium or graveside, and whether followed by burial or cremation. Funerals at a crematorium of those resident or on the electoral roll of a church in your benefice should be counted as ‘In your own benefice’, regardless of the location of the crematorium. Only those with appropriate training and the bishop’s licence should conduct funerals.)

**6 – Burial of Ashes Services Conducted.** (Include all services, whether in a churchyard or cemetery).