



**HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE**

Response Date:05/08/2025

2025/781 - Callouts to Religious and Heritage Buildings

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

- 1. The number of police incidents recorded at religious buildings or places of worship in each of the past three calendar years (2022–2024 and 2025 so far).**
- 2. The number of incidents at heritage or listed buildings, for the same period.**
- 3. Where recorded, a breakdown of the type of incident (e.g. theft, arson, trespassing, vandalism, hate crime, protest-related disturbance, etc.).**
- 4. Any data or notes indicating whether the incident occurred in the context of civil unrest, riots or public disorder.**

We do not have a Heritage building location subtype on our system, the below data relates to church / churchyard location subtypes only.

Offence	2022	2023	2024	2025
Aggravated Vehicle Taking	1	0	0	0
Arson Endangering Life	2	0	2	1
Arson Not Endangering Life	10	7	5	3
Assault with injury	12	5	9	10
Assault with intent to cause serious harm	1	1	3	2
Assault Without Injury	15	6	10	15
Assault Without Injury on a Constable	0	2	0	0
Attempted Burglary – Business and community	4	0	3	2
Attempted Burglary – Residential	6	1	0	0
Attempted Residential Burglary of a Home	0	1	2	2
Attempted Residential Burglary of Unconnected Building	0	5	9	9
Attempting To Pervert The Course Of Public Justice	0	0	0	1
Blackmail	1	0	0	1
Burglary – Business and community	17	20	23	11
Burglary- Residential	53	16	0	0

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Controlling and Coercive Behaviour	0	0	1	1
Criminal Damage To A Building Other Than A Dwelling	20	17	26	13
Criminal Damage To A Dwelling	7	1	4	2
Criminal Damage To A Vehicle	1	4	3	2
Exposure and Voyeurism	1	0	0	0
Handling Stolen Goods	1	0	0	0
Harassment	9	9	10	8
Interfering with a Motor Vehicle	0	0	0	4
Invalid Code	30	17	16	13
Malicious communications	4	0	4	1
Obscene Publications, Etc. And Protected Sexual Material	1	0	1	0
Other Criminal Damage	35	21	22	15
Other Indictable Or Triable Either Way Offences	4	2	3	2
Other Miscellaneous Sexual Offences	0	0	1	0
Other Offences (Against The State And Public Order)	1	1	2	2
Other Theft	22	20	12	12
Possession of Article with Blade or Point	3	2	1	0
Possession Of Controlled Drugs (Cannabis)	8	4	3	0
Possession Of Controlled Drugs Excluding Cannabis	2	1	3	0
Possession of Other Weapons	0	1	2	1
Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	16	10	12	7
Racially or Religiously Aggravated Assault Without Injury	0	0	0	1
Racially or religiously aggravated criminal damage	0	1	2	0
Racially or Religiously Aggravated Harassment	0	0	1	1
Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	0	1	1	4
Rape Of A Female Aged 16 And Over	2	1	0	1
Rape Of A Female Child Under 16	1	0	1	1
Rape Of A Male Child Under 13	1	0	0	0
Residential Burglary of a Home	0	0	8	9
Residential Burglary of Unconnected Building	0	37	68	46
Robbery Of Personal Property	1	1	0	0
Sexual Activity Involving A Child Under 13	0	0	0	1
Sexual Activity Involving A Child Under 16	0	0	1	0
Sexual Assault On A Female Aged 13 And Over	3	2	5	1
Sexual Assault On A Female Child Under 13	0	1	0	0

Sexual Assault On A Male Child Under 13	1	0	0	0
Shoplifting	0	0	3	0
Stalking	3	1	2	3
Theft From A Vehicle	1	0	1	1
Theft From The Person	0	2	0	0
Theft In A Dwelling Other Than From An Automatic Machine Or Meter	1	2	1	0
Theft Or Unauthorised Taking Of A Motor Vehicle	3	0	5	3
Theft Or Unauthorised Taking Of A Pedal Cycle	5	1	4	4
Threat Or Possession With Intent To Commit Criminal Damage	0	1	4	1
Threats to Kill	3	1	2	1
Trafficking In Controlled Drugs	3	4	2	0

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 01/08/2025