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**Blessings to all the Vicars, Office bearers, and faithful of the Diocese of UK, Europe, and Africa, in the name of the blessed Holy Trinity:**

As decided in the General Body of the Diocese, I am delighted to announce a momentous event that will bring our Diocesan family together in unity and celebration. The "Malankara Orthodox Sangamam" is scheduled to take place in two venues: on Saturday, 25 May 2024, in Coventry for the Great Britain region, and on Sunday, 02 June 2024, in Dublin for Ireland and the rest of the Diocese.

We are honored to inform you that His Holiness Baselios Marthoma Mathews III, the Catholicos and Malankara Metropolitan of our Church, will grace this occasion with his divine presence. Joining us will also be our former Diocesan Metropolitan, His Eminence Mathews Mar Thimothios, along with esteemed leaders from sister Churches. "Malankara Orthodox Sangamam" holds immense significance as it aims to strengthen our spiritual and cultural unity, bringing together all the spiritual organizations within our Diocese.

Today, we officially announce this event and present the names of the various committees responsible for its smooth organization and operation. These committees, both for the Great Britain and Ireland regions, were formed after extensive discussions within the relevant bodies. Please find attached the details of the appointed committee members.

In preparation for this grand event, we urge the Chairmen of the Committees to convene a meeting at the earliest opportunity under the guidance of our Diocesan Secretary. Following this, we expect each committee to hold separate meetings to plan and execute the necessary preparations.

We would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to the Vicars, Trustees, Secretaries, Managing Committee members, Diocesan Council Members, General Body Members, Malankara Association Members and all our spiritual organizations for their unwavering fervor and dedication. We believe that "Malankara Orthodox Sangamam" and the common Eucharist and Meeting will infuse new energy and momentum into the future of our Diocese.

Let us come together with joy, unity, and prayer, as we eagerly anticipate this historic gathering that will strengthen our bonds and deepen our faith.

In His service and with blessings,

**+ Abraham Mar Stephanos Metropolitan**