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Blessing to the Vicars, Diocesan Council members, Parish Office bearers and all the faithful of our Diocese:

Dearly beloved in Christ,

By the Grace and Mercy of Lord Almighty we are entering the decennial year of the Diocese of UK-Europe and Africa. We have been organising the Diocesan Annual Family and Youth Conference for the last 9 years in a very blessed manner. It is pleased to see that every year the participation and involvement from members are overwhelmingly increasing. Our next Family Conference would be held on 25th and 26th May 2019 at Kent's Hill Park, Milton Keynes MK76BZ.

The theme for the conference is '*Life, Abundant Christian Life In Family: An Orthodox Perspective*'. It is based on scriptures "...I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly" (St. John 10:10).

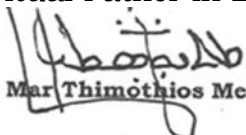
His Grace Dr. Joseph Mar Dionysius, Metropolitan of Kolkatta Diocese would be the chief guest and main resource personnel for the conference. Rev Fr Shaun Mathew will also be leading the sessions especially for the Youth and Youngsters. To reduce the financial burden on the participants of the conference, a fund-raising campaign by selling raffle coupons among our members is proposed and We duly permits to carry out the sales as per the stipulated rules and regulations. Further details and registration formalities will be informed by the Family Conference organising committee. We urge all of you to plan your schedules accordingly and be present at the conference.

We are pleased to inform you that a souvenir will be published as part of the decennial year celebrations to mark and highlight the growth of our diocese in the last ten years.

We wish and Pray to Lord Almighty for all the success of the UK Region Family and Youth Conference 2019.

God Bless you all

Your Spiritual Father in Lord


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