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## **Blessing to the Vicars and all the faithful members of our Diocese:**

In the name of The Father, The Son and The Holy Spirit, one Triune God!

Dearly beloved in Christ,

We are very pleased to share the joy of the growth of our diocese and let us thank Almighty Lord for His abundant Mercy and Blessings. It is very overwhelming to witness the efforts and dedication taken by the parents to bring up our children in true faith and our valuable tradition.

As you are aware a good number of our children are finished their A Levels and now entered into universities. Most of them are resident students and are staying away from their home and parents. It is a challenging period for the children to get accustomed to the new circumstances and friends. We should realise the obvious concerns of the parents about the well-being of the children. We as a community have greater responsibilities to provide appropriate support and guidance to our younger generation. In this context We would like to form a Campus Ministry organisation for the university students in the UK.

To organise the Campus Ministry activities in the UK, We hereby appoint Rev. Fr. Mathew Abraham as the Vice President and Mr Abraham Koshy Mathew, member of St Marys IOC Bristol as the General Coordinator. To initiate the activities, a database of the university students in the UK to be created. We hereby urge the parents and students to send the contact details of the students to Fr. Mathew Abraham ( [revmapuk@gmail.com](mailto:revmapuk@gmail.com) ) or Mr. Abraham Koshy Mathew ( [annu8715@yahoo.com](mailto:annu8715@yahoo.com) ). You all should co-operate and support this ministry of our diocese for the goodwill of our future generation.

God Bless you all

Your Spiritual Father and Shepherd

  
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