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Blessings to all the Vicars and faithful of all the Parishes in the Diocese of UK-Europe and Africa in the name of the blessed Holy Trinity.

Dearly beloved in Christ,

It is with great sorrow that we continue to mourn the passing of Libin M. Lijo, a cherished young member of St. Antony's Congregation, Boston. As we uphold his family in our prayers, seeking the Lord's grace to comfort them in their grief, I write to you today with an appeal for our collective support.

Having remained in close contact with Libin's family it has become evident, that they would require additional support during this difficult time. As a Diocesan family, let us come together in Christian love and extend our assistance in whatever way possible.

I kindly urge all our parishes and well-wishers to contribute towards this cause. Contributions may be forwarded to the Diocese's Maitri account, referencing 'Libin M. Lijo', so that the collected amount can be promptly handed over to the family. Let us set 15 February 2025 as the final date for collections, ensuring that we offer our support in a timely and meaningful manner.

In times of sorrow, we are called to be bearers of Christ's love and compassion. Let this be an opportunity for us to stand together as one body in Christ, offering both our prayers and our tangible support to Libin's grieving family.

May the Lord, in His mercy, grant repose to Libin's soul and strengthen his loved ones with His divine peace.

Yours in Christ,

+ Metropolitan Abraham Stephanos