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Commission for Spiritual Guidance

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Jesus Christ,

“Bear one another’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.” (Gal 6,2).

Indeed, it is good news that our Commission for Spiritual Guidance is already at work. The aim of this mission is to support and nourish all individuals and families of the Syro Malabar Eparchy of Great Britain during moments of crisis. It is a ministry which helps us to fulfill love, the law of Christ. When we see our fellow beings suffering with burdens, it is our duty to support and help them in any way we can. As a result of internal and external stressful situations within families, individuals sometimes feel the need to have a one-to-one conversation or spiritual guidance in order to grow in divine and human relationships. For all those who wish to get such support in their daily lives, our Eparchy is offering these services for spiritual guidance and growth. I strongly believe that all those individuals who need advice for family problems or relationship problems will benefit from this ministry.

A number of kind-hearted people are already engaged in spiritual guidance at various levels in our Eparchy. In addition, we need some more experienced volunteers who will help the commission by joining in this ministry to help the faithful of our Eparchy. Therefore, I request the priests in charge of our Qurbana centres to nominate suitable candidates to this commission who are capable of providing spiritual guidance to the necessary families and individuals. Once we have the list of all members, there will be a meeting for them to discuss the details as well as the plan of execution for the commission. A few families have already taken advantage of sharing their personal, family and spiritual matters with Rev. Fr. Joseph Anthiamkulam MCBS (07472801507), the chairman of the commission. I also request that if you personally come across anyone who needs spiritual support, kindly direct them to the Commission for Spiritual Guidance.

I wish you all a blessed and peaceful Easter.

Yours in our Lord and our God,

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