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THE RE-DEDICATION OF ENGLAND AS DOWRY OF MARY ON 29th OF MARCH 2020

Dear Beloved Priests, Seminarians, religious, brethren and Children in Jesus Christ,

Praise be to Jesus Christ, our Lord!

I write this to remind you that on Sunday, 29th of March 2020 is the re-dedication of England as the Dowry of Mary. England received the title "Mary's Dowry", meaning that England was set aside as a gift, a dowry, for our Lady under her guidance and protection. The re-dedication will take place throughout the country on Sunday, 29th of March 2020 at 12 noon. This will happen at Walsingham, in Westminster, in every catholic cathedral (including in Preston), in every parish and in as many homes as possible.

Following is the guidance for the Re-Dedication:

Wednesday, March 25: On the Feast of Annunciation, all who are following the consecration will consecrate themselves to Jesus through Mary.

Thursday, March 26: A three-day triduum of prayer begins reciting the litany of Saints and Martyrs of England, praying the Rosary and going to confession in preparation for the re-dedication.

Sunday, March 29: Personal re-dedication of England as Dowry of Mary takes place on this day, following the guidelines in the book 'The Angelus Promise', made available from the Catholic National Shrine of Walsingham.

Listen in to Mgr. John Armitage, Rector of The Roman Catholic Shrine of our Lady, the Slipper Chapel, Walsingham, as he explains the importance of the spiritual preparation for this great and historic spiritual event to take place on Sunday March 29th 2020. <https://youtu.be/e956A7Wqv7k>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LHDRjFdkVIA> - Listen to the video of His Holiness Pope Francis blessing the new Dowry Painting and in which he receives a statue of Our Lady of Walsingham from Cardinal Vincent Nichols, Archbishop of Westminster, in commemoration of the forthcoming Rededication of England as Mary's Dowry.

Follow the Facebook Page of the Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham for all up to date news - <https://www.facebook.com/WalsinghamBlog/>

Follow the Walsingham Twitter Feed - <https://twitter.com/WalsinghamEN>

Follow the Website: www.behold2020.com for all things Rededication and to sign up your Parish/Community/School on the Rededication Map

Follow the website of the Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham for all of Our Lady's Shrine news and forthcoming events. <http://www.walsingham.org.uk/home>

The re-dedication may be celebrated at Mass, or a para-liturgy in church, or wherever you may be on that day. Ideally, this would be 12 noon, the time of the Angelus, but may take place at any convenient time during the day.

The Dowry Painting, by Amanda de Pulford, which was blessed by Pope Francis, will be present in Walsingham on 29th of March and it will begin a journey to every catholic parish in the country thereafter, never to return to Walsingham.

On this blessed occasion, I urge you to dedicate yourselves to the protection of Our Lady so that she may bring God's abundant blessings on you and all you have.

Yours in our Lord and our God,

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NB: This circular must be read in all Parishes/Missions/Proposed Missions of our Eparchy during the Celebration of the Holy Qurbana before 16th of March 2020.