



Our 10-year Mission Plan -
You will be my Witnesses



A farewell “Thank you!” message from Father Liam

Dear Friends,

I would like to take this opportunity to express my deepest appreciation and thanks for the kindness you have shown to me during my time as Parish Priest of St. Edmund Campion, and latterly, of Holy Family Parish, Maidenhead & Twyford.

As I embark on this next part of my journey, I am beyond grateful for the gift of being your pastor and for the opportunity to get to know you and build relationships with you in the midst of life’s joys and sorrows. It has been a privilege to walk the way of Christ with you.

On a personal level, thank you for your friendship, encouragement, gifts and prayers.

Thank you for your love.

We worked together and navigated through some good times and through some challenges in creating the parish of Holy Family. God will continue to guide the church according to his plan, come what may.

Now we’ve come to a fork in the road, and the time has come for me to take one way while you continue along the other. It is hard to say goodbye, but I do so knowing that my farewell means you get to say hello to new ministry leaders, in Fr. Vuni and Fr. Elvis who with Fr. Kevin, Dcn. Peter, Dcn. Mike, Sr. Veronica (Kiln Green), Parish Council and lots of other people, will continue to create new possibilities to grow as a community in Christ.

Change is hard but it also necessary, nothing stays the same or else things would be stagnant and get awful boring!

We may grumble about the cold of winter but without it, there wouldn’t be the glorious blooming of spring. It is the cycle of life, the cycle that makes it possible for new growth to happen in us and our world.

Although I won’t be there for weddings, funerals, special events and celebrations in the future, know that I am praying for you and you will always have a special place in my heart.

So I say goodbye, a word that originally meant “God be with ye!” God will indeed be with us, with you and with me, present every step of the way as we start this new step of our journeys.

May we make space for the new growth God is planting in our lives and trust God’s abiding presence every step of the way.

Peace & Blessings,

Father Liam

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