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Dear Father,

Annual Report for the year ended 31 March 2018

The Annual Report for the Diocese was signed by Bishop Marcus and the Auditors on 18 September 2018 and has now been filed with the Charity Commission.

As a publically available document it allows any interested party to form a view on the stewardship and management of our Diocesan financial and other resources.

We can be proud of the improvements that we have made in the stewardship and management of our Diocese's financial and other resources. A successful audit is the result of not just the timeliness and quality of our year end returns but the work that is done week in week out in our Parishes and departments.

This year's Annual Report process was completed within six months of the year end to a very high standard. I am grateful to you and your Parish staff and volunteers for the contribution and work you have done in enabling me to deliver this year's Annual Report.

Yours sincerely,

John Moran
Financial Controller