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## **EASTER GREETINGS**

O divine, O beloved, O sweetest voice! You promised truly that you would be with us to the end of the age. With this pledge as the anchor of our hope, we rejoice.

This year too, we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ from the dead and together with the hymn writer we repeat "O Lord, having despoiled Hades and resurrected man through your resurrection, O Christ, deem us worthy to praise and glorify You in purity of heart".

Let us cleanse our soul, our body and our very existence so that we may celebrate the Resurrection of Christ, which remains for the whole of Creation the source of joy, peace and blessed hope which arose from the life-giving tomb of the defeater of death and corruption, our Saviour Christ, who will remain with us and in this and the next world till the end of time.

Wishing you health, joy and peace and the infinite mercy of the Resurrected Saviour Jesus Christ, I remain with brotherly love in our Lord and honour. Christ is Risen.

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Archbishop Gregorios of Thyateira and Great Britain

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