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Dear Esteemed Clergy,

I write to you offering my warmest welcome and my gratitude, on behalf of the worldwide Mothers’ Union, for taking an interest in the work of our beloved Movement. We are stronger together when we work as one, for we have the same aim in growing God’s Kingdom here on earth. Mothers’ Union has a long history of supporting families; we continue to carry out this work both in Britan and Ireland, and around the world.

Our mission, deeply rooted in Christian values, is to end violence, injustice, and poverty. We strive to bring God’s love into the heart of every family and every community, addressing the pressing social issues of our time, and to provide practical and spiritual support to those who need it most.

We recognise the vital role that clergy plays in the spiritual and communal life of our congregations. Your leadership, guidance, and pastoral care are essential to nurturing the faith and well-being of our members across Britain and Ireland.

My prayer is that this introductory pack provides you with the essential information about Mothers’ Union and explains the many ways that we can work together to support one another. Our new church-based membership option offers you a way to take part in the valuable programme work we carry out in raising awareness of modern slavery and domestic abuse, and of the work which we deliver in prisons.

Our aim is to support you in your ministry. In addition to the social justice opportunities the church-based membership enables you to become involved in, this type of membership offers sermon and service outlines, prayers, and themed Quiet Day resources along with many other resources to help you in your ministry.

If you are new to Mothers’ Union, we invite you to consider the church-based membership and to contact your Mothers’ Union Diocesan Chaplain and Diocesan Office if they have not already been in contact. We invite you to take that next step on your journey, partnering with our organisation which has been transforming lives for nearly 150 years.

Thank you for your dedication to your vocation. We deeply appreciate all your efforts and the positive impact your ministry has on your community, recognizing that your faith and service provide comfort and strength to many. We are here to support you as the largest network of volunteers in the Anglican Communion.

In gratitude and love,

Kathleen Snow



**Worldwide President**