

4th September 2025

Dear friends at St Anne's,

Thank you so much for your kind invitation to join you for the 50th birthday celebrations of your church. I was truly honoured to receive it, and I rejoice with you as you mark this remarkable milestone in your life and witness together.

Sadly, because of my responsibilities here at my current church on Sunday mornings, I will not be able to be with you in person. However, please know that you will be very much in my thoughts and prayers on the 5th of October as you give thanks to God for fifty years of worship, service, and fellowship at St Anne's.

I look back with much gratitude on my time among you. You hold a very special place in my heart, and I thank God for the faith, warmth, and generosity that you have always shown. Truly, St Anne's has been a beacon of Christ's love in West Heath, and this anniversary is a testimony to God's faithfulness through the years.

As you celebrate with worship, fellowship, and music, may you be filled with joy for all that God has done, and may you look forward with hope and courage to all that He still has in store for you. My prayer is that the next fifty years will be even more fruitful, as you continue to welcome, serve, and bear witness to the light of Christ in your community.

With thanksgiving, love, and every blessing in Christ,



Revd Paul Cho, Vicar of St David's Church