



ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

To The Malines Conversations Group

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Dear All,

I'm delighted that *Malines: Continuing the Conversations* is out at last, and very honoured to be able to recognise the achievement of the Malines Conversations Group over the last ten years. What a sign of hope it is, for both our communions, that a group of Catholic and Anglican theologians could meet in friendship and work together to address some of our remaining disagreements! The unity of the Church of Christ is a precious gift which we have all spoilt, and I pray that your group will continue to thrive and to help us all to grow closer together in faith and friendship.

Yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Justin Welby'.

The Most Reverend and Right Honourable Justin Welby
Archbishop of Canterbury