

# The Old Catholic Church in the United Kingdom and America

(PART OF THE ONE HOLY CATHOLIC & APOSTOLIC CHURCH)



## THE HAWKESYARD AGREEMENT II

The Old Catholic Church in the United Kingdom believes that an essential element for good order in the world is freedom of religion. This is a basic truth which Jesus Christ has set before all mankind and therefore cannot be given nor destroyed by any Government, Christian denomination, or other religious institution.

In accordance with such freedoms; We the College of Bishops of the Old Catholic Church in the United Kingdom who form part of the One Holy Catholic & Apostolic Church, do exercise our right to restructure our Religious Congregations which shall be now known generally as the “Order of the Companions of Jesus” and shall in future, offer membership to all men and women (Ordained or Lay) who subscribe to our Statement of Faith and conform to the Canons of the Old Catholic Church.

Signed: This Twenty-sixth Day of March (St Margaret Clitherow) in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eighteen

*+Geoffrey S Robinson*

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