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Dear Tony,

Re: Bishop's Prayer Walk – Hartlepool Thursday 1st June 2017

I write to give my thanks for the warm welcome and hospitality received during my brief visit to the Vestry Café as part of the Hartlepool Deanery prayer walk.

I thoroughly enjoyed meeting you and the students. It is clear to see the high level of dedication given towards the future vision of the café. In particular, I was struck by the way in which the café is seen not only as a place to enjoy refreshments and view artwork in the gallery, but a space for students to develop their own culinary skills and confidence in the catering and hospitality services.

It is such an encouragement to see the local Council giving the opportunity for projects such as The Vestry to grow and develop in a beautiful setting of a former church.

May the vision of the Café continue to flourish in the coming months and years. God's blessings be upon all that you do.

With prayers and best wishes,

Rt. Revd Paul Butler
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