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Dear Parents,

In April, we reported to you that Miss Tumelty has now been appointed substantive Headteacher at St Gilbert's and we also reported the happy news that she and her husband are expecting their first child. We are now in a position to update you on how we will continue to offer the best opportunities for your children during her forthcoming maternity leave.

With the ongoing assistance of the Diocese, we are pleased to announce that Mr Jim Graves, Headteacher at St Joseph's RC Primary School in Ramsbottom, has agreed with his school Governors to come to St Gilbert's in September as temporary Headteacher during Miss Tumelty's absence. St Joseph's is a school judged 'Outstanding' by Ofsted, and we are confident that Mr Graves will not simply maintain what we already have at St Gilbert's but will, in accordance with Miss Tumelty's own vision for the school, actively advance our continued programme of school improvement.

We look forward to working with Mr Graves in the coming months, and we offer Miss Tumelty our prayers and good wishes.

Kind regards.

Anne Marie Horrocks
Chair of Governors



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