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Reflections

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THE success of London 2012 Olympic and Paralympics re-emphasised Britain's unique stand amidst world nations.

And it did fulfil the purpose of Olympic Games: that is to achieve increased sense of friendship and fellowship among world nations. Multiculturalism in its opening and closing ceremonies, sportsmanship in participation and above all justice and fairness in everything that went on were distinguishing hall marks of Britain's lead of these games.

All these were not only just exercised but also were seen to be exercised. This adheres to Platonic sense of 'Theory of Justice' which is inclusive of every possible branch of science and arts. That is precisely the reason why London 2012 was special from Britain to the rest of the world.

As we stand gloriously at this epoch of national pride and triumphant achievement, we have a lot to live on from it.

We are challenged now to live and exhibit increased sense of familial bond, stronger commitment in our relationship, firmer emphasis on sense of justice in business, banking and politics and above all to live as a good human being.

As our athletes, we need practise to be virtuous people.

'Charity begins at home' and we need to begin practising it at home starting with parents and leading to infants.

St Joseph and the Blessed Virgin Mary as virtuous people enhanced Jesus' virtuous path.

None other than the holy family can be our best example whose life we know was lived and was seen to be lived.