

## Good Bye Lunch Party for Rev. David Picken

The CCMR held a Good Bye Lunch Party for Rev. David Picken, who leaves us to take up an Arch Bishops post.

It was during the troubled times for the High Wycombe in 2006, that David organised and led discussions with the Muslim Community leaders. To assure the whole local Muslim community, they were not alone and isolated, that they had friends from the Christian community in High Wycombe.

This led to the formation of the present day CCMR, with David as an active Vice-Chairman.

Many genuine and well deserved tributes, thanks and best wishes were given to David. Led by Shafique, the Chairman.

The ever-dependable Paul Goodman injected his incisive humour, comparing the proceedings to an 'Oscar' ceremony. He was right of course. For us this was exactly right, a wish to say thank you in our way, to David, for this brilliant real life performance, with his character, his bon amie, and charm.

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