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I have lived in Penn for 45 years and have attended St Michael's church for all of that time. It is the only Catholic Church in Penn and has a covenant with other churches, St Bartholomew's Anglican Church, Springdale Methodist Church and Penn United Reform Church to provide services for the area - for example, the Food Bank to provide for the needs of local families. It would be very regrettable to lose the link with these other churches if the boundaries were to change. The Penn Ward has similarities, in terms of numbers, with Merry Hill, Tettenhall Regis and Tettenhall Wightwick and yet, these wards have been recommended by the LGBCE and the local council to remain as they are. This seems perverse. Within these proposals, there is no definable boundary for Penn. The Penn Road is a such a definable boundary, but placing Coalway Road and its surrounding roads in the Graisleys Wards loses its definition as an historical part of Wolverhampton. I truly hope that these Ward are rejected as I fear the changes will greatly affect the Penn area.

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