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*"To be Christlike, strive – even if so much news from around the world is grim - to keep a positive outlook. Positivity adds joy to your life and that of your communities. – whose news is, I suspect, life-enhancing."*

Fr Vlad

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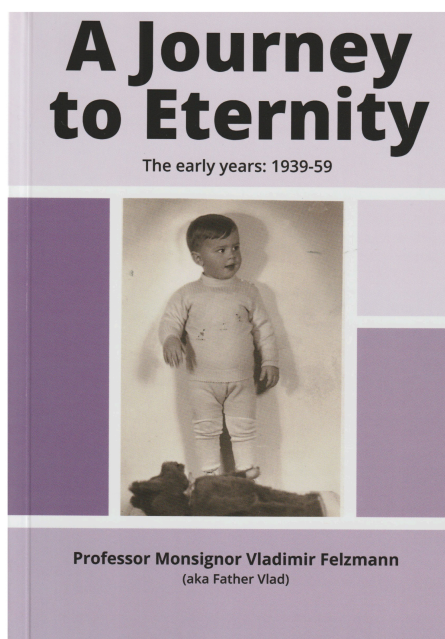
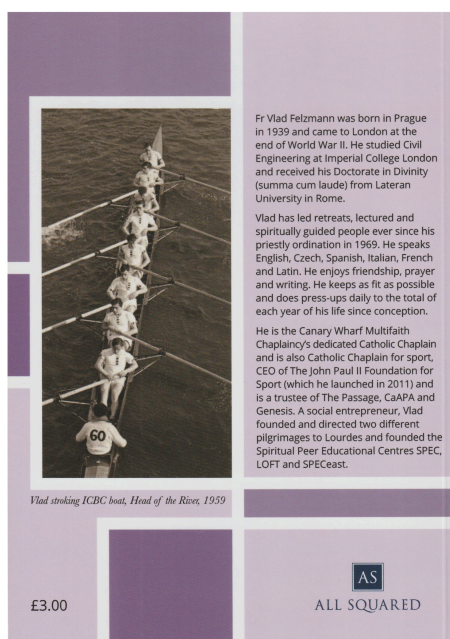
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He was director of the Diocese of Westminster's work with Young People and Canary Wharf Multifaith Chaplaincy Catholic Chaplain. For many years he was a Trustee of The Passage and is the Catholic Chaplain for Sport, founder of the John Paul II Foundation for Sport (which he launched in 2011), chair of CaAPA, and trustee emeritus of Genesis. A social entrepreneur, Vlad founded and directed two different Diocesan Pilgrimages - YAP for young people and WDP for all - to Lourdes and founded the Spiritual Peer Educational Centres SPEC, LOFT and SPECeast.

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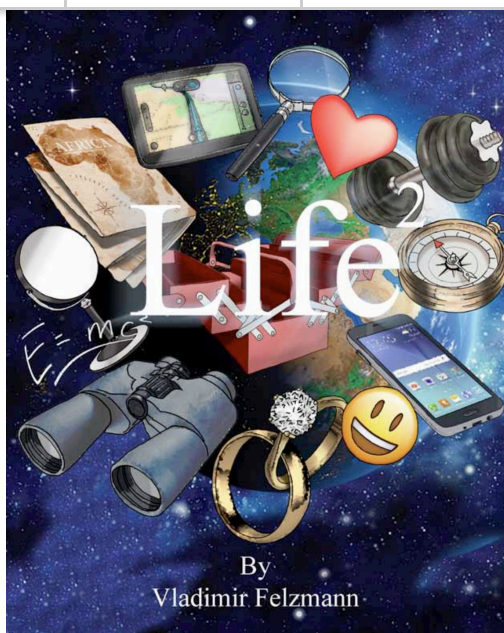
Now, that I'm coming to the end of my life, I have finally learned how to live. Time's slippage nudged me to act on my dream of passing what I have learned on to others.

*Father Vlad*

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