

## Find out about our membership

### Mothers' Union is loving organisation open to anyone, and supportive of everyone.

We started out as a Christian group to support mothers and families and that remains at the core of our work and guiding principles, but we welcome you to join us whoever you are - you don't have to have children, be married, be a woman, or be a churchgoer. There are different ways to belong depending on what works best for you.

# However, you choose to join or support us, you will become and integral part of a global movement for change.

### How would you like to join?

**Membership** of the **global** movement is open to anyone who supports our **objectives** and has been baptised in the name of the Holy Trinity. **Friendship** is open to everyone, regardless of belief or background, who supports our

objectives. **Members** and **Friends** receive a package of benefits including our bi-annual magazine, regular campaign and project updates, our prayer diary and are invited to member-based events and networking.

**Supporter** of the **global** movement is for people who support the work and campaigns we are involved in but may not have the time to become involved in our community outreach work or to volunteer. They receive regular updates on our work and the impact we have. You can also **join locally as a member**. Local groups are 'affiliated' to Mothers' Union and sit within their own dioceses and receive the same benefits as a global member or friend. We are looking to introduce a **parish-based membership** in Britain and Ireland. Working closely with the clergy, this new type of membership will reach out to new churches and new congregations so they can get to know more about what we do and about how to get involved in delivering key MU community projects.

### Where would you like to join?

**Joining the global movement directly as a member, friend or supporter** is likely to be the right path for you if you are particularly interested in finding out more about Mothers' Union and supporting our work. You will become part of our global family, a community of action and prayer.

**Joining Mothers' Union locally** is likely to be the right path for you if you are particularly interested in getting involved actively to make a change in your local community, and in joining together with others for faith, fellowship, and friendship.

For more information, please visit: <u>https://www.mothersunion.org/get-involved/join-us-today</u>