

Mothers' Union Theme for 2025-27 - Join Us and Join In!

As we start a fresh Triennium, with a new Worldwide Board and leaders around the world, we also move from our theme of "Transformation - now!" to "Join Us and Join In!"

Transformation – now! has allowed us to:

- Transform ourselves, personally and spiritually, to live out our faith.
- Transform the churches and communities we work with and of which we are a part to reflect Christ's kingdom.
- Transform Mothers' Union to be relevant for 21st century life.

As we move now towards a very exciting period when we celebrate the 150^{th} anniversary of the founding of Mothers' Union in Britain, we have the opportunity to tell our great story to those outside the movement – and invite them to become part of our family.

To **join us and join in**, whether as members, supporters, friends, donors or volunteers, enjoying fellowship together and working in churches and communities around the corner and around the world to help change the lives of women, families and the most vulnerable in our communities.

We all know that, when we share about the work of members, people get excited and want to find out more – but we also know that we have been a "best kept secret" for too long. So let us all grow in confidence, to reach out and share with those around us:

"You are the light of the world....let your light shine before others" (James 5:14-16)

To support us all to grow in confidence, throughout the Triennium, the Membership Team will be providing a range of resources including faith materials, for group activities and resources which will link to our 150th Anniversary. In the immediate term, members are invited to continue the "pray for 5, invite 1" as part of Thy Kingdom Come in May.

There will also be a conference in June, following on from the Reimagining Conference in 2022, where dioceses will share what is working well for them, and the MSH team will share what staff are and will be doing, to amplify the voice of members, so, together, we can be stronger.

For with God, nothing shall be impossible (Luke 1:37)

Bev Jullien CEO, Mothers' Union January 2025