<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Leader</u>	
Thurs. 19 Jan. 2pm	AGM	Mary	Wed 13 Sept. 7-9pm	Diocesan Songs of Praise		
Thurs. 16 Feb. 2pm	Project afternoon	Gill		at St John Harpenden		
Sat 11 March 9.45am-2.30pm	Diocesan Spring Sharing Day at All Saints, Croxley		Thurs. 21 Sept. 2pm	Discussion afterr	noon Gill	
	Green (bring own lunch)		Fri.&Sat. 29-30 Sept. General Meeting in Edinbu		g in Edinburgh	
Thurs. 16 March 2pm	Faith in Action	Val	Thurs 19 Oct 2pm	Deanery St Lukes	•	
	talk by Jean McIntosh			Communion at F		
Fri. 24 March <b>9.30am</b> Lady Day Communion Richard Winslade followed by making Mothering Sunday posies			Sat 11 Nov 9.45-2.30pm Diocesan Autumn Sharing Day at Welwyn  Civic Centre (bring own lunch)			
Sun 26 March	6 March Cake stall after 10.30am service		Thurs. 16 Nov. 2pm	Christmas planning Flora		
Thurs. 20 April 2pm	Bring an item with memories	Flora	,	and project afternoon		
παι3. 20 Αριπ 2ριπ	of your childhood		Fri. 1 Dec. <b>10am</b>	Making Christingles		
Thurs. 18 May 2pm	A day trip to Iceland	Sonia	Thurs. 21 Dec. 2pm	Christmas celebr	ristmas celebration	
	talk by Patricia Yates					
Thurs. 15 June 2pm	Corpus Christi talk by Richard Winslade	Val	Wednesday MU Communion			
Sat 17 June 9.45am-2.30pm	Diocesan Annual Meeting at St Andrew (bring own lunch)	v, Bedford	Date Reader	Date	Reader	
				July 5	Sonia	
Fri 23 June <b>3-3.30pm</b>	Wave of Prayer Service (in church)	Mary	Feb. 1 Gill		Gill	
Thurs. 20 July 2pm	Making the Diocesan Banner talk by Jill Thompson	Pat		· ·		
			Mar. 1 Ash Wed.	·	Mary	
Wed 9 August	Mary Sumner Day		Apr. 5 Sonia	Oct. 4	Val	
			May 3 Cheryl/Val	Nov. 1	Cheryl/Mary	
			June 7 Mary	Dec. 6	Mary/Val	

**Vision:** Our vision is of a world where God's love is shown through loving, respectful and flourishing relationships.

**Mission:** To demonstrate the Christian faith in action by the transformation of communities worldwide through the nurture of the family in its many forms.

## **Objectives:**

- To promote and support married life
- To encourage parents in their role to develop the faith of their children
- To maintain a worldwide fellowship of Christians united in prayer, worship and service
- To promote conditions in society favourable to stable family life and the protection of children
- To help those whose family life has met with adversity

## **MU Prayer**

Loving Lord, we thank you for your love so freely given to us all.

We pray for families around the world.

Bless the work of the Mothers' Union as we seek to share your love

through the encouragement, strengthening and support of

marriage and family life.

Empowered by your Spirit, may we be united in prayer and worship,

and in love and service reach out as your hands across the world.

In Jesus' name.

Amen



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