



2024

Mothers' Union

Cirencester Branch

Programme

Members and Friends welcome to all
Services, Meetings and Events

All afternoon meetings at 2.30pm
held in The Parish Hall, Watermoor

Bi-monthly evening "Chill & Chatter" at 7.30pm
held in The Vicarage, Rendcomb Drive

Branch Contact

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2022 - 24 Theme:
Transformation – Now!

Cirencester Branch is run by Committee

Note: Please add new events when they are published.

January

Wednesday 3rd – 2.30pm
Poems by Pauline Farman

Thursday 25th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

Thursday 25th – 7.30pm: Chill & Chatter

February

Wednesday 7th – 2.30pm
AGM
Bring and Buy

Wednesday 14th February
ASH WEDNESDAY

Thursday 22nd – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

March

Friday 1st
World Day of Prayer

Wednesday 6th – 2.30pm
Reverend Rosemary Franklin
“Lent Reflections”

Wednesday 6th – 1.00pm
Members Day (Bring Lunch)
St Phillip and St James Church, Hucclecote

Saturday 9th – 9.30am – Noon
Holy Trinity Church, Watermoor
Making Posies for Mothering Sunday

Sunday 10th – MOTHERING SUNDAY

Thursday 21st – 7.30pm: Chill & Chatter

Sunday 24th – 9.00am for after service sale
PALM SUNDAY – Cake Stall
Parish Hall, Watermoor

Thursday 28th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion
MAUNDY THURSDAY

Sunday 31st – EASTER SUNDAY

April

Wednesday 3rd – 2.30pm

Speaker: Karen Martin

Bring and Buy

Wednesday 10th – 12noon–1.15pm

Soup Lunch

Parish Hall, Watermoor

Thursday 25th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

May

Wednesday 1st – 2.30pm

Speaker: Margaret Edwards

“Gloucester City Mission”

Wednesday 22nd – 10.30am

AGM & Diocesan Council Meeting

St Phillip and St James Church, Hucclecote

Thursday 23rd – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

Thursday 23rd – 7.30pm: Chill & Chatter

June

Wednesday 5th – 2.30pm
Speaker from “Age Concern”
Bring and Buy

Wednesday 5th or Thursday 6th
DEANERY QUIET DAY
Venue: TBA

Wednesday 12th
RETREAT DAY
Harnhill

Thursday 27th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

July

Wednesday 3rd – 2.30pm
Closing Service
followed by Bring & Share Tea

Thursday 25th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

Thursday 25th – 7.30pm: Chill & Chatter

August

Wednesday 7th – 2.30pm
Tea & Chat

Friday 9th
Mary Sumner Day Picnic
Venue TBA

Thursday 22nd – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

September

Tuesday 3rd – Thursday 5th
WAVE OF PRAYER

Wednesday 4th – 2.30pm
Speaker: Revd Julian Wilson
“My Journey to Priesthood”
Bring and Buy

Wednesday 18th – 1.00pm
Members Day (Bring Lunch)
St Phillip and St James Church, Hucclecote

Tuesday 24th – Thursday 26th
RETREAT
Holland House, Cropthorne

Thursday 26th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

Thursday 26th – 7.30pm: Chill & Chatter

Friday 27th – 12noon
Cathedral Prayers
Cirencester with Fairford Deanery

October

Wednesday 2nd – 2.30pm
Speaker: Michael Gibbons
“GARAS - Gloucestershire Action for Refugees and
Asylum Seekers”

Wednesday 9th – 12noon–1.15pm
Soup Lunch
Parish Hall, Watermoor

Wednesday 23rd – 10.30am
Diocesan Council Meeting
St Phillip and St James Church, Hucclecote

Thursday 24th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

November

Wednesday 6th – 2.30pm

Speaker from “Charlies Cancer Support”

Bring and Buy

Friday 22nd – 12noon

Cathedral

Midday Prayers for 16 days of Activism against
Gender Violence

Monday 25th Nov – Tuesday 10th Dec

16 days of Activism against Gender Violence

Wednesday 27th – 10am – 1pm

Forum

St Phillip and St James Church, Hucclecote

Thursday 28th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

Thursday 28th – 7.30pm: Chill & Chatter

December

Wednesday 4th – 2.30pm

“Christmas Theme”

TEA & MINCE PIES

Friday 6th – 9.00am – 12noon

PARISH CHURCH

“CHRISTMAS CAKES & CRAFT STALL”



Thursday 26th – 10.30am: Corporate Communion

The Mary Sumner Prayer

All this day, O Lord,
let me touch as many lives
as possible for thee;
and every life I touch,
do thou by thy spirit quicken,
whether through the word I speak,
the prayer I breathe,
or the life I live.
Amen.

Services to note:

Mothers' Union Corporate Communion

10.30am in the Parish Church of
St John Baptist
on the **4th Thursday of each month.**

*All welcome to attend – we look forward to
more members joining us for this very
special part of our fellowship.*

*Please contact Rosemary Roberts if you would like more information
or would like to do a reading or prayers.*

Little Angels

Service for Children under 5 and their carers

9.30am in the Parish Church
EVERY MONDAY
Followed by Tea and Biscuits

Please encourage family members and young friends

Our aims and objectives are:

- 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
- To promote and support married life

The Mothers' Union 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.