

Victoria Nyanza, Kagera & Shinyanga in Tanzania and Gusau in Nigeria

- 21-25 Members World Wide with their particular concerns
- 26-31 Mothers' Union representatives on the UN Council for Women

September

- 1-5 The LinkUp editor and the diocesan web site manager
- 6-10 Carlton-in-Lindrick **with** Carrington St John
- 11-15 Hospital Visitors and any we know who are in hospital
- 16-20 Selston **with** Basford St Aidan
- 21-25 Farnsfield **with** Mapperley, St Jude's
- 26-30 Diocesan Training Officer

October

- 1-5 Blyth **with** Arnold
- 6-10 Contact Centre Team and all who use the centre
- 11-15 Parenting Group facilitators and participants
- 16-20 Worksop Priory **with** Southwell Minster
- 21-25 Our Provincial President
- 26-31 All former Branch, Deanery and Diocesan office holders

November

- 1-5 Diocesan and Deanery Members
- 6-10 The World Wide President and the Provincial Presidents
- 11-15 Deanery Leaders
- 16-20 Deanery Secretaries and Treasurers
- 21-25 Prison crèche coordinator and volunteers
- 26-30 Diocesan Mothers' Union Secretary

December

- 1-5 Central Chaplain and Diocesan Chaplains
- 6-10 Branch Leaders
- 11-15 Branch Secretaries Treasurers and Committees
- 16-20 Community Development Coordinators and Trainers
- 21-25 Families throughout the world
- 26-31 Hopes for the work of the Mothers' Union in the year ahead

WAVE OF PRAYER

All Mothers' Union Dioceses World Wide are linked day and night throughout the year by the Wave of Prayer. Dioceses are grouped together so that each group is prayed for, for five days each year, by members worldwide.

The Diocese of SOUTHWELL and NOTTINGHAM in the province of YORK is linked with the Dioceses of NORTH QUEENSLAND in the Province of AUSTRALIA, GUSAU in the Province of NIGERIA, DOGURA in the Province of PAPUA NEW GUINEA and with KAGERA, SHINYANGA and VICTORIA NYANZA in the Province of TANZANIA

The World Wide Mothers' Union joins in prayer for Southwell & Nottingham and its link dioceses from August 16th – 20th every year.

The Worldwide Wave of Prayer can be found in Families Worldwide.

MID-DAY PRAYERS

... are said at noon every day in the Chapel at Mary Sumner House, our headquarters in London. Prayers are also said at any meeting anywhere in the World which is in session over mid-day, local time. These prayers can be found in Families Worldwide, in the M U diary, in the newer M U Service books and on the internet (www.themothersunion.org), where you can also find prayer meditations on the theme for the year to be used alongside these prayers.

SOUTHWELL & NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN MOTHERS' UNION WAVE OF PRAYER

We have our own Wave of Prayer for Branches (linked as Prayer Partners), officers and concerns in this diocese for use by members as part of their daily prayers. We pray that new ways may continually be found to strengthen our Branch Prayer Links. Possible ways of doing this are to:

- pray for your Link at every branch meeting, and display a group photograph of your Link
- send a card of greeting for your days in the Link calendar and also for our special diocesan Wave of Prayer days – Aug 16th to 20th
- exchange photos of individual members and set up Prayer partnerships
- arrange visits, especially for significant events in the life of your Links

January

- 1-5 The M U Chief Executive and the staff at Mary Sumner House
 6-10 Those we know who face this year in difficult marriage or family situations
 11-15 Mathersey, Everton and Clayworth **with** Beeston
 16-20 Ranskill **with** Trowell, Awwsworth & Cossall
 21-25 Ollerton and Boughton **with** St.Mary's Bulwell
 26-31 Diocesan M U Treasurer and Diocesan M U Accountant

February

- 1-5 Diocesan Trustees
 6-10 Action and Outreach Unit Co-ordinator and committee
 11-15 All who value the gift of marriage and all soon to be married
 16-20 Faith and Policy Unit Co-ordinator and committee
 21-25 Finance and Administration Unit Co-ordinator and committee
 26-28 Marketing Unit Co-ordinator and committee

March

- 1-5 Indoor Members' Prayer Circle, Honorary members and our IMPC Correspondent
 6-10 Grandparents who share in the care of their grandchildren
 11-15 Newark Team Branch **with** Wollaton
 16-20 St. Cyprian's Sneinton **with** Bingham
 21-25 Kirkby St. Wilfrid **with** Car Colston, Screveton & Flintham
 26-31 Trustees and MU Committees at Mary Sumner House

April

- 1-5 Worksop St John **with** East Bridgford

- 6-10 Mansfield St John with St Mary **with** Balderton
 11-15 Mansfield St Lawrence **with** Edwalton
 16-20 Greasley **with** Radcliffe-on-Trent
 20-25 Mansfield St Peter & St Paul **with** Stanton Hill
 26-30 Mansfield Woodhouse **with** Sutton Bonington

May

- 1-5 Sutton-in-Ashfield, St Mary **with** Keyworth
 6-10 Sutton-in-Ashfield, St Michael **with** Burton Joyce & Bulcote
 11-15 Warsop **with** Laxton
 16-20 All charities which support married couples and family life
 21-25 Our own families and the love we have received from them
 26-31 AFIA Rep, helpers and all who need AFIA holidays

June

- 1-5 M U Co-ordinator & Team
 6-10 Individuals and groups helping children grow in faith.
 11-15 Westwood **with** St Paul's Wilford Hill
 16-20 East Leake **with** Woodthorpe
 21-25 Newstead **with** Three Crosses
 26-30 Opportunities to promote the work of the M U

July

- 1-5 Kirkby in Ashfield, St Thomas **with** Hucknall St Mary
 6-10 The M U Diocesan Vice Presidents
 11-15 Diocesan Speakers
 16-20 New Members and potential members
 21-25 Retford Team & East Markham **with** Gedling
 26-31 North & South Muskham **with** Porchester

August

- 1-5 All M U neighbourhood projects
 6-10 Our Founder, Mary Sumner - may **we** keep her vision alive
 11-15 Our Diocesan President
 16-20 Our Links Rep & Link Dioceses:
 North Queensland in Australia, Dogura in Papua New Guinea,