

## Knowle Members' Bulletin - February 2021

**We continue to pray that you are all keeping well at this time.**

### For Our Prayers

We give thanks for all on the frontline and pray that our leaders will make wise decisions throughout the pandemic, whilst we continue to follow the health rules. We include in our prayers Jo Gandy who is still recovering from a fall at Christmas.

### Wave of Prayer Dioceses

9-11 Feb Lainya in South Sudan; Ankole in Uganda; Abuja & Lagos-West in Nigeria; Lichfield in England and Karnataka North in India

12-14 Feb Matana in Burundi; South Ankole in Uganda; Morogoro in Tanzania; Ohaji/Egbema in Nigeria; New Westminster in Canada and Dornakal in India

**February meeting by Zoom:** Our next Branch meeting is at 2pm on Thursday 11 February, when we hope you will join us to hear Claire Carter, from Knowle Parish Church, speak on 'Loving our Neighbour through the Food we eat.' Claire runs a website called 'The Real Meal Deal,' [www.therealmealdeal.com](http://www.therealmealdeal.com) and will speak about how the choices we make around the food we eat, have a direct impact on the Climate Emergency and on people in Developing Countries.

The Parish Office will send out an invitation to join; just accept the invitation and you will be sent details of the meeting and there will just be a link to click on – no need for an ID or password to join. If you do not get an invitation and would like to join the meeting, please contact the Parish Office to ask to be included. Helen Allen on 01564 779123 or email: [office@kpc.org.uk](mailto:office@kpc.org.uk) If you have not joined us on Zoom yet it is very easy with a PC, iPad or iPhone – feel free to ask us and we will guide you through the steps. Contact details at the end of this Bulletin. Last month's bulletin is available on the church website under Gatherings Mothers Union.

**Subscriptions for 2021:** We have had a good response to payments of the 2021 subscription which is £30. The increase has been necessary to ensure the continuation of Mothers' Union as we explained in the January Bulletin.

You can pay this either by cheque payable to "Knowle Mothers' Union" or direct to our bank account. Contact Adrian for the bank details at [adrianharris17@aol.com](mailto:adrianharris17@aol.com) or phone 01564 730253 or send or deliver your cheque to 17 Hallcroft Way, Knowle, B93 9ET.

**Wave of Prayer – Overseas fund:** Thank you all of you that have donated to the W of P Overseas fund we have collected £290 so far. There is still time if you want to donate: just add an amount to your subscription payment or cheque (payable to Knowle Mothers' Union). If you have already paid your subscription you can still donate.

### **A Bible verse for Lent**

John 8:12

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life."

### **Still to come ... branch meetings, 2021 at 2pm, via Zoom**

**11 March**, Christian Hughes, All Creatures Great & Small

**8 April**, Penny Everness de Marces, Easter in Peru

**13 May**, Ruth Tuckwell, Medicine and Mission in Vellore

**10 June**, Ann Hitchiner, The Surprises of Chaplaincy

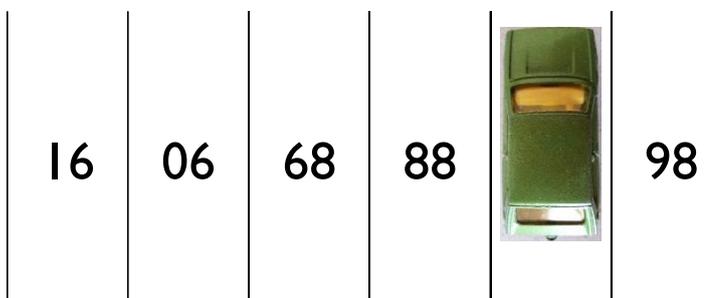
**Volunteers:** The committee would welcome any member who would like to lead our prayers or a reading at our future Zoom meetings - please contact Jill Harris (see below).

### **Where's my car?**

Before lockdown, we used our cars much more, but can we always remember where we parked them? One of our members admits to crossing Knowle High Street three times in an effort to find her car, when her children were small!

Can you work out the number of the parking space where the green car is parked?

(Answer at the end of the bulletin.)



**Your own needs at this time.** We are happy to help where we can. If you would like to talk to a member of the committee for any reason, their numbers are:

Carolyn Cornfield: 01564 774657 or 07946 356904

Adrian & Jill Harris: 01564 730253 or 07972 340598

ANSWER: Where's my car? The parking space is number 87. Clue: turn it upside down!