

Mothers Union Hymn

This hymn has been written by a Mothers' Union member, Joan Atkin, from York Diocese, and can be sung to the well-known hymn tune of Abbot's Leigh.

Praise you Lord for all the caring
love for families all around.
Through the work of Mothers' Union
may the love of Christ be found.
Thanks for all the groups and branches
joined in fellowship and prayer,
helping bring relief of suffering
To the world for which Christ cares.

Families who have met with trouble
may we in your love draw near.
Show the world Christ's living presence
helping those in doubt and fear.
From a vision of Mary Sumner
years of dedication led
Mothers' Union and its members
in the name of Christ, its head.

Inspire us, fill us, keep us growing;
make us what you'd have us be
'til our work for you is ended,
'til we are in Christ set free.
In the power of your Spirit
let your voice through us be heard.
May we go and spread the gospel,
feeding on your Holy Word.