

PRACTICAL ACTIONS FROM WYDALE
BASED ON THE FIVE OBJECTIVES OF THE MOTHERS' UNION

To uphold Christ's teaching on the nature of marriage and to promote its wider understanding

We will increase our involvement in marriage preparation and enrichment

We will articulate our support for marriage

We will promote the sanctity of marriage and speak out against harmful cultural practices

To encourage parents to bring up their children in the faith and life of the Church

We will continue to teach the significance of good parenting to men and women

We will emphasise the spiritual importance of parenting

We will increase our training of women, young and old, to participate and lead in the Church and community

To maintain a world-wide fellowship of Christians, united in prayer, worship and service

We will rejuvenate all our links for practical action

We will endeavour to build teams of Provincial Presidents, Workers and Trainers to work well together.

We will encourage everyone everywhere to use the Wave of Prayer.

To promote conditions in society favourable to stable family life and the protection of children

We will empower women and speak out for children and the marginalised by helping our members to voice their concerns, alerting them to the *size* of their voice and providing them with the information they need

We will strive to expand the Literacy & Development Programme

We will challenge our governments with the Millennium Development Goals

To help those whose family life has met with adversity

We will encourage all our members to be involved in practical action in their own communities.