Dreams and Visions President's Letter February 2022

Dear Sisters,

As you are aware we had planned to hold the Central Committee meeting and Away Day at Dukinfield and Fairfield, respectively. This was to be 29th and 30th April, 2022. The Executive Committee met on Saturday 15th January to discuss plans for this. Reluctantly, due to the current situation, and not having a 'crystal ball' to indicate the next three months it was decided to hold both events on zoom as we did in 2021.

The service in 2021 was very well supported and perhaps circles could be aware that there are members who do not have zoom. If your Church / Sunday School buildings have internet you could meet together and stream the service. Members with the facility to be on zoom could invite other members to join them. It would be good if we could do even better than last year and show that we can still be together even if it is in a virtual meeting.

Sr Jean Parker will have sent you the questionnaire to complete which will include your suggestions for Themes, Projects etc. The roles of Secretary and Treasurer are up for election and both positions will be vacant. Sr Jean will have completed her maximum nine years and as you know I am still doing the Treasurers post, which is not ideal. Please give prayerful consideration to all these positions and I do hope that we can find members willing to stand for election. I know that it has been difficult to raise funds for the projects but if anyone has any project money, I would be grateful if you would send this to me.

The Executive have also decided that the Away Day should not be totally cancelled but postponed. We are therefore planning a gathering in October (date to be announced). Hopefully by October people will be happier to travel and we will be able to meet in person once more. I am praying that this will be the case as I, for one, have missed the contact with my sisters from around the Province.

Please look after yourselves and prayer for all those who have experienced losses during the last two years.

Until next month.

The Lord watch between me and thee when we are absent one from another.

Amen

Sr Gillian Taylor

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