

Dr Jill Brock

(b 1937, q 1962, Oxford, d 2 August 2023).

Medical Oncologist. Jill was the founding medical director of Wirral Hospice St John's. She worked as a consultant oncologist at Clatterbridge Hospital and also treated paediatric oncology patients at Alder Hey, continuing for twelve years as hospice medical director.

Dr Vijula Thangamalar Jeyaraj

(b 30 November 1969, q 1993, d 16 March 2024 in her home town of Tirunelveli in Tamil Nadu, India).



Vijula had worked for a few years in Basildon as a specialist in elderly care and general (internal) medicine. She had become a well-loved member of the local

CMF group in that time and was well respected professionally. She had taken a sabbatical to her home country for a few months when she tragically succumbed to a cardiac arrest in the town of her birth.

Other members who have died recently:

Lucy Ault

(b 1973, q 1995, Aberdeen, d 2024), worked in general psychiatry

Dr Leon Le Dune

(b 1934, q 1956, Newcastle, d 2023), GP in Co. Durham

Mr Colin MacKay CBE FRCS

(q 1961 Glasgow, d 17 December 2023), former President of the Royal College of Surgeons of Glasgow (1997-2000), Colin was a renowned gastro-intestinal surgeon.

Dr Caroline Martin

(q 2007, Belfast, d 15 February 2024), consultant anaesthetist and a much-loved member of the CMF Northern Ireland family.

Dr Vivien A. Millar

(q 1971, Guys, d 8 May 2024, Liverpool), was a consultant psychiatrist in Liverpool, and involved in convening the Association of Christian Psychiatrists (Northwest Group) in the late 1990s.

Dr Jennifer Salisbury

(q 1965, Cambridge)

Dr Sheila Scotchmer

(q 1945 Glasgow, d 2024, Gloucestershire), consultant in Obstetrics and Gynaecology.

Dr Ronald Stout

(q 1973, Liverpool, d 2024), consultant oncologist in Manchester

CMF GOVERNANCE

CMF's Trustees gave thanks for many things at this year's second Board meeting on 11 May. These included: looking forward to the celebrations to mark 75 years of CMF; a wonderful National Conference with associated pre-conferences; three new prospective Trustees from the membership; Euan McRorie's term as Chair (he hands over to Alice Gerth at the AGM on 15 June); the receipt of two legacies; and work done by our Membership Engagement Developer, Naomi Buckler, which is showing promising results for increasing regular income for CMF.

Financial encouragements meant that discussions on trimming the budget for the rest of the year were not required, and we have been able to extend Naomi's contract with us to the end of 2024. Challenges will continue, however, as this year's £30k deficit budget will need to become a break-even budget for 2025.

Please pray for the Trustees. Look out for a renewed page showing who they are on the new website in the coming weeks. Please pray especially for a new Treasurer: could you help us find one? Is there someone in your church with the heart and financial skills to support our work?

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Thank you for your ongoing prayers for the work. ◉

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