

Upcoming events



National Conference 2022
New Times: Old Agenda
– knowing, feeling and living well as a disciple of Christ

29 April-1 May 2022
Yarnfield Park, Stone, Staffs.
For news, further information about seminars, and bookings, go to cmf.org.uk/nationalconference



Who is my Neighbour Now?
14 May, Edinburgh.

Exploring your calling to global health and mission. Further details and booking at cmf.li/WIMNN-Ed-22



Developing Health Course (DHC)

10-16 July 2022, London School of Theology, Northwood, Middlesex. If you are committed to global health, whether you are preparing to go outside of the UK to work or returning for a short break, the DHC in an essential clinical and spiritual update. Face-to-face for the first time in two years! Details and booking at cmf.li/DHC2022.



NAMfest on Tour

26-29 August at the David's Tent festival, West Sussex. Camp with us in our own designated area, engaging as much as you like with the main event's sessions, or simply hanging out with other nurses and midwives at base camp. We can't wait to connect with you in person! To find out more go to cmf.li/NAMfestOnTour



Serving not Sinking

Saturday 17 September, Johnson House, London. A day conference for current and aspiring Christian healthcare leaders and managers cmf.li/CHLN

Check our website regularly for updates at cmf.org.uk

Obituaries



Alan Loveless

Alan Loveless (b 16 June 1919, q 1943 Cambridge, d 28 June 2021) enjoyed nearly 80 years as a medic! He had a brief spell as a junior doctor in the Midlands following his graduation. In an era where antibiotics were only just being discovered, he encountered significant morbidity and mortality, especially on a children's ward, with a 25 per cent mortality rate.

Towards the end of World War Two, while stationed in the Far East, he faced one of his greatest challenges. He performed a successful appendectomy on a young Japanese officer in Changi jail who was on death row for war crimes. My father took a considerable interest in this man and led him to faith in Jesus Christ. He regained contact with the man's family in later years through an Anglo-Japanese link.

From its early years, Alan was a keen supporter of CMF. He served on several committees and 'led from the front'. His enthusiasm for both medicine and his Christian faith is illustrated by his appointment as a medic at a Christian hospital in North India at the age of 88, where he brought great encouragement to both patients and staff.

He married Mary in 1951. Together they established a lovely home for their six children (and many friends) in East Kent, where he served as a GP. The theme of his funeral was that of 'living hope' (1 Peter 1:3). Prayers in the service included the words 'May we be encouraged to follow in his footsteps and discover the same living hope'.

Dr Richard Loveless

Peter Campion (b 1946, q 1970 Oxford/London, d 28 December 2021)

Staff movements



Dianne Jarrett

Leaving

Dianne Jarrett retires from her role as CMF Resources Coordinator in April. CMF staff and volunteers wish her well for her retirement.



Bex Lawton

Joining

Bex Lawton joined CMF in the autumn as the Associate Head of Nurses and Midwives. She is a staff nurse in a paediatric ITU, a worship leader and poet (you can see performances of her Christian, nursing focused poetry on Instagram as *possiblybex*).



Kevina Kiganda

Kevina Kiganda joined us in March as the Digital Communications Coordinator, developing CMF social media and digital communications strategy and resources.

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Dates for your diary

APRIL

25 **CMF Psychiatry network online gathering** (on Zoom)
29- **CMF National Conference**
1 May *New times: old agenda*
Yarnfield Park Conference Centre, Staffs

MAY

7 **CMF Board meeting**, London.
14 **Who is my Neighbour Now?**
Edinburgh

JUNE

11 **AGM** - London and on Zoom

JULY

10-16 **Developing Health Course**,
London School of Theology

AUGUST

26-29 **NAMfest on Tour**
David's Tent Festival, West Sussex

SEPTEMBER

17 **Serving not Sinking**
Johnson House, London

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