

BITS AND PIECES . . . AND PLEASE KEEP THEM COMING IN!

Here is your 182nd Midland Unitarian Association Inc. Bits & Pieces for September 2023. If you want any news from your congregation included here, please send it to me (details below)

MUA Inc. AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- Support congregations
- Make things happen by providing leadership and initiating projects
- Find resourceful solutions
- Connect Unitarians in the Midlands.

LAST CHANCE TO BOOK:

AUTUMN TRAINING / RETREAT DAY

Theme: Paths to Inner Peace

Course Facilitators: Revs. Sue Woolley and Sheena Gabriel

When: Saturday 7th October 2023

Where: Kingswood Meeting House, Packhorse Lane, Hollywood B47 5DQ

Times: 10.00 am – 4.15 pm

Please contact Sue Woolley if you'd like to attend. A flyer will be circulated again with this issue of *Bits & Pieces*.

Please let me know by Monday 11th September if you are planning to attend, as I will need to pass the information on to my co-facilitator, Rev Sheena Gabriel, before the 12th

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THANK YOU to all those people who have sent me an article for the Summer / Autumn issue – it is going to be a bumper one! It will be going to the printer during the first week in September, but will not be circulated until the end of the month, as I am going to be away on holiday for two weeks.

ADVANCE NOTICE OF DISTRICT MINISTER'S SICK LEAVE

I will be having an operation on my left foot in early December (unless it is postponed) and have been advised by my consultant that I will not be able to drive any distance for three months afterwards. Therefore, I will be unable to lead worship in MUA churches, chapels and meeting houses between December 2023 and March 2024 (depending on the date in December). But I hope to be able to continue to do most of the rest of my work from home...

If you have any contributions for the next *Bits & Pieces*, please send them to me at 5, Martins Road, Piddington, Northampton NN7 2DN or via e-mail to revsuewoolley@gmail.com Thanks!