

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

Here is your 124<sup>th</sup> Midland Unitarian Association Bits & Pieces for November 2018. If you want any news from your congregation included here, please send it to me (details below)

**MALCOLM SADLER, 1935-2018**

Some of you may already have seen in UNI-News, that Malcolm Sadler passed away in hospital on 17<sup>th</sup> October. Malcolm was Lay Preacher and accompanist to both Banbury Unitarian Fellowship and Warwick Unitarians, the latter for over fifty years. He was also President of the then Midland Union, from 1987-89 and founded and edited our magazine, *MU Now*. Many of you will have known Malcolm – his genial kindness to many will be sadly missed.

His funeral will be on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, at High Street Chapel, Warwick CV34 4AX, at 12.30 pm. It will be conducted by Rev. Ant Howe. All are welcome. There will be refreshments afterwards and it would assist with arrangements if you could let Malcolm Burns know if you will be attending (e-mail: [jmalcolmburns@btinternet.com](mailto:jmalcolmburns@btinternet.com))

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**\*\*\*LAST CHANCE TO BOOK!\*\*\***

**MUA OF LAY PREACHERS & SERVICE LEADERS AUTUMN TRAINING DAY**

**Topic:** Putting the Worth Back into Worship  
Led by Rev. Ant Howe

**When:** Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2018

**Where:** Kingswood Meeting House, Packhorse Road, Hollywood B47 5DQ

**Times:** 9.30 for 10.00 am – 4.15. pm

A flyer has already gone out to all interested parties – it's going to be a good day – please send me your booking form as soon as possible (closing date Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November)

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**CHRISTMAS SERVICES 2018**

In past years, this news-sheet has recorded dates and times of Christmas and Carol Services around the District. I have already received information about a few, but it would be great to be able to publish a full set. Please send details to me at the contact details below. Thank you.

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**SUBJECT INDEX TO 'SING YOUR FAITH'**

I have produced a Supplementary Subject Index to the purple hymnbook, using many of the terms from the Thematic Index in 'Hymns for Living'. It is available free of charge (please e-mail me) but a donation to Send A Child to Hucklow would be welcomed (please send donations to SACH, not me) <http://sendachildtohucklow.org.uk/make-a-donation.htm>

**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](mailto:revsuewoolley@gmail.com) Thank you!**