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Dear Bibliodrama friends

Welcome to this newsletter! It has been a few months since the last one and as we all know the planning of various events has still been affected very much by the pandemic but we hope now that most of the events that are mentioned here will be able to go ahead. People are

now beginning more and more to meet face to face. Nevertheless meetings online are continuing and will probably remain a permanent part of our way of working in the future. You will see two initiatives here that are coming up but perhaps the most useful thing to say is that most of this information can be found on the EBN website which can, of course, be kept updated whenever necessary so it's a good place to keep looking if there is something mentioned in the newsletter that you are interested in. The website address is given above. We hope it's hard to miss!

The latest information is given below and some of that will only appear on the website when things have at least started to be planned with some dates.

# 'Bibliodrama Café'

This is an online and informal exchange platform for bibliodrama leaders. On Thursday 18th November 2021 from 1930 – 2030 (CET) You can register via the link <u>here</u> and you will be sent a link by which to participate.

# 'European Bibliodrama Online III'

The third opportunity to engage with others across Europe and beyond using online techniques. When the day comes, we ask ourselves: where can we find light in this never ending shade? You can download the information flier <u>here</u>

6 separate workshops the first starting on November 24<sup>th</sup> then on through December and January Don't delay, book today!

# In 2022

#### 'Maria in Bibel und Koran' / 'Mary in the Bible and the Koran'

An interreligious European Bibliodrama-Workshop. **17.-21. January 2022 in Liechtenstein** in German and English

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The information can be found and downloaded

<u>here</u>

and also focussing on Mary, but taking a different approach.....

#### 'What About Mary +'

This is a course that had been set up to run before the pandemic and then had to be postponed. It will run again now with some change of leadership and some refocussing of content. Details are still being finalised but we can say that it will happen

From March 8<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> 2022 in Vilnius

in basic English

For more information follow the link here

### **European Bibliodrama Facilitator Training**

The next Basic Course is planned as a two-week course in Bromma, Sweden this will take place from 27 June – 9 July 2022. The information about this can be found here.

The Advanced Course is still planned for 2023/24 and will be led by Wolfgang and Andrea. See the link above for the information when it becomes available.

#### 2022 annual Workshop

Details of our annual gathering (previously known as the congress) are now available.

#### It will take place from August 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> in Wuppertal, Germany.

Details can be found here

## 2023 Annual Workshop

It's not possible to give details of the workshop for 2023 except to say that by then we very much that meetings will be fully back to normal and that at the time of this newsletter the possibility is being explored of holding it in Italy at the centre of the Waldensian Church at Torre Pelice. This had been hoped to be the meeting for 2022 but had to be cancelled due to the uncertainties. So we can't give a link at the moment and information will be given in the next newsletter and on the website. For those who know nothing of the Waldensians (Chiese Valdese) this link to Wikipedia might be of interest to you. They have a fascinating history.

That's it for the moment. If there is information that you would like to have circulated or news that you would like to share, please let me know. If necessary I can also send out supplementary information or corrections quite easily. It may seem a little early to wish everyone a happy and blessed Chrsitmas and a peaceful New Year.... But on behalf of the secretariat, I do anyway. You can email me at <u>davetatem@gmail.com</u>

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