# **Safe Church Awareness Workshop**

# Saturday 9 September 2017

St Paul's Cathedral Hall, Bendigo 8 Myers Street **BENDIGO VIC 3550** 

### 9.30am - 4.00pm

Please arrive by 9.15am to sign in

### \$30 per person

**BYO** lunch

# **RSVP**

Bookings close Wednesday 6 September Pre-registration is required Places are limited

Presented by the Baptist Unions of Vic and Tas, the Anglican Diocese of Bendigo and Gippsland, Uniting Church (Vic/Tas), Australian Christian Churches (Vic) and the Seventh Day Adventist Church (Vic), this workshop is intended to provide an introduction to Safe Church foundations, policies and procedures.

This introductory workshop is designed for all congregational members, all ministry leaders, children, youth and family leaders.

#### We will be covering:

- duty of care, codes of conduct, power, transparency and accountability
- protecting vulnerable people, indicators of abuse, responding to abuse and protective behaviours
- training, recruiting and supervising leaders
- how to establish and run safe church ministry programs (risk management)

# Registration

Follow the link on the Safe Church Workshop page on the diocesan website (www.bendigoanglican.org.au) or phone (03) 5443 4711

# **Enquiries**

Contact Heather Marten on (03) 5443 4711 or mdo@bendigoanglican.org.au for more details

#### Endorsed National Council of Churches in Australia Safe Church Training Agreement



The Baptist Unions of Victoria and Tasmania, the Uniting Church (Vic/Tas), the Anglican Diocese of Bendigo and Gippsland, Australian Christian Churches (Vic) and the Seventh Day Adventist Church (Vic) have joined with other denominations in recognising the Safe Training Agreement Church Awareness Workshops of other denominations as part of the National Council of Churches in Australia's SAFE CHURCH TRAINING AGREEMENT (SCTA). Safe Church Training will be carried out by endorsed training partners based on national standards and recognised by all the SCTA members.

