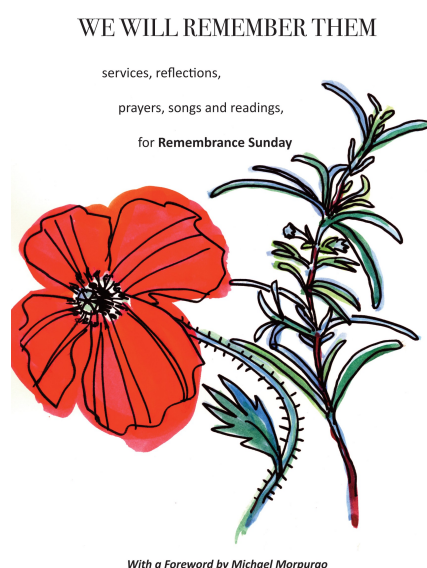


# The Movement for the Abolition of War

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## MAW booklet offers a new way to remember



A beautiful and inspiring booklet for parish clergy, teachers and youth leaders charged with devising Remembrance services has been produced by a leading peace organisation.

*We Will Remember Them* - produced by the Movement for the Abolition of War (MAW) has a collection of reflections, prayers, songs and readings, all of which are suitable for use in a variety of settings.

MAW committee member Sue Dowell, who led the project to produce the booklet with help from MAW supporter Bob Gilmurray, says: "How should we remember those who died in war? Many people - from peace activists to retired military personnel - ask this question. *"We Will Remember Them"* sets out to address this concern.

“The question of how and who we remember has now taken on a renewed urgency as people across the country prepare to commemorate the centenary of the start of WWI in August.”

The beautiful poppy-inspired cover of the book, which has a forward by renowned author Michael Morpurgo, was drawn by distinguished cartoonist and illustrator Angela Martin.

The booklet is priced at £3, plus postage. It can be order via the MAW website ([www.abolishwar.org.uk](http://www.abolishwar.org.uk) ) or from Sally Reynolds, 1 Thesiger Road, Abingdon, OX14 2DY.

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### **Notes to editors**

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The Movement for the Abolition of War aims to challenge popular thinking about the acceptability of war and raises awareness of constructive alternatives non-partisan, of all political and religious persuasions. MAW was formed in 2001 following the Hague Appeal for Peace in 1999. The founder president was Professor Sir Joseph Rotblat FRS, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate and the founder chair was Bruce Kent.