## Justice and Peace Group Minutes 21<sup>st</sup> April 2009

Venue: Cathie

Present: Barbara, Kirsty, John, Sandra, Cathie, Bishop Tripp, Apologies: Julie K, Christine, Julie S, Beryl, Liam, Michael, Tom

Minutes: Kirsty

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Meditation		Bishop Tripp held a meditation on 'The Integrity of Creation'. This focused on the philosophy of the whole of creation belonging to the whole human race, and led to us discussing the importance of 'sharing' creation.	
Discussion	Next month – Prisoners of Conscience – Liam to lead discussion	Last month we had a discussion about Zimbabwe and <b>Agreed</b> to watch some of the large amount of further relevant information on the internet (U-tube, CAFOD,). <b>Individuals</b> to discover which Charities are "worthwhile".	
	G20 Summit in London, 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Despite police performance taking so much media coverage, we felt as a group that, in general, the G20 had a fairly positive outcome.	
Ethical Activities	April – buy FairTrade Easter chocs etc	CATHIE to put notices up each month on notice board.  Agreed:  May: Get a water butt for roof drainage.	
	DEADLINE for next Talkabout is 22 <sup>nd</sup> May, and so after our next meeting – we need activities for July, August and Sept. for next meeting. <b>Please can</b>	June: Make sure you are composting kitchen waste.	
		Beryl's great-niece, Frances, has provided notes on Reduce, reuse, recycle. <b>Beryl</b> will prepare for Talkabout.	
	everyone have a thought and bring it to the next meeting! – or email it to me.	(Group members agreed to recycle jam jars to Christine).	
Talkabout		Thank you for items on FIA – Beryl and Peace Sevice - John	



Informing Others		
Charity of the year	International Event – Sat. 9 <sup>th</sup> May	Delegation of Tasks:
	Basic Programme:	Entertainment – Canute
	7pm – Start – and Canute can provide music	Talk – Jenny Cairns, Agreed we could use DVD at another time
		Food – If possible can each group member provide some food
	7.00 7.45 (	Purchasing of food and drink - Sandra, Barbara & Kirsty
	7.30-7.45 food	Provide cutlery, plates and napkins <b>Beryl and Christine</b> – can provide 100 pieces of cutlery and plates
	7.45 – 8.15 eating time	Barbara to check with how many cups are available at hall
	8.15 – talk and passing round basket	Information on FIA – Jenny will bring on the night
	8.30 -9.30 Music and performances/involvement of everyone	Table decorations – Steve to source mini flags, Barbara to visit John's cupboard.
		Room decorations – <b>Sandra</b> to seek cloth flags, <b>Liam</b> to ask Felicity re posters JEG
		Duties on the night - 2/3 of us at any one time serving drinks – organise rota- Barbara, Julie S, Sandra, ?Margaret Redding
		Provision of basket for donations- John will provide 2/3 and he, Barbara and Liam will pass round after talk
		Welcomers - John and Cathie
		Setting –up from 2pm until approx. 4.30pm - Kirsty, Liam, Barbara, John, Sandra, Julie S, Bishop Tripp
Pax Christi	Peace Issues	Pax Christi AGM 16 May 2009 - London
		National J&P conference to be held at Swanwick 17 ~ 19 July.
		Museum of Peace - Bradford

Any other business: CAFOD – Agreed that Tom Kavanagh to be asked to publish the amount sent from the Cafod Box at regular intervals – Kirsty has spoken to him regarding this

To consider possibility of another fundraising Coffee Morning like last years and discuss at meeting – I will come up with some possible dates and see if any are viable with other group members.

Treasurers report: £94:00

Final prayer: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all for evermore, Amen.

Next meeting: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May, Minutes: Barbara, Meditation: Beryl, Venue: Kirsty

