

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2010

**Present:** Denzil, Muriel, Oswald, Jean, James, Lara

## **Almanac**

Questions arose concerning the print and circulation of the almanac. How are we printing? Has this been agreed? Most felt that it would not be of much interest to people outside of church, unless a member of the congregation were to pass a copy to someone inviting them to visit St Agnes'. Further, that not everyone on the electoral roll would require one; it is more likely to be one per household. It was therefore suggested that before the almanacs are printed we take orders.

## **Neighbour's Day**

Lara fed back on the organization of the event and the set-up of the St Agnes' stall. James gave an overview of running the stall and those who expressed an interest in the presence of St Agnes' at the festival. It was suggested that if the event occurs again next year, St Agnes' should consider having a stall to sell cake and food to raise funds for the church. The group extended their thanks to all who were involved.

## **Mosque Twinning Agreements**

It was noted that Fr Stephen wished to be present for this particular discussion. All agreed that it should be added to the July agenda.

## **Peace and Justice for Palestine**

Lara outlined the present scheduling conflict and proposed that the prayer vigil might take place as part of the Weekend of Prayer. All agreed that this was best. Lara suggested possible prayer stations that might be present at the event. The following points were covered in discussion:

- It was proposed that the event take place on the Sunday as last year quite a few people stayed after the service.
- Will there be lunch?
- What will the format be?
- Supporting a charity that is working with Jews and Muslims together towards peace was felt to be very effective. However, at the July meeting the group has asked for more information about which organizations might receive our support. If possible this information should be circulated in advance of the meeting.
- Concrete ideas are imperative for the July meeting, as nothing happens in August and September is then not far off, particularly as any decision on this matter should also go before the PCC.

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2010 at 11.30am