

**APOLOGIES** 

## MINUTES OF THE ABERDEEN AND ABERDEENSHIRE ECO NETWORK MEETING WEDNESDAY 9 OCTOBER 2013 HOLBURN WEST CHURCH ABERDEEN

PRESENT Sheila Gray, Ann Findlay and Anne Paterson Skene Parish

Karen McCrossan

Helen Kelbie and Donald Brown

**David Atkinson** 

Bill Craigie and Joan MacDonald

Joy Doorghen Neil Paterson Ann Ralph

Fiona Graham

Gill Redman and Hugh F Kerr

**Banchory Ternan West** 

Torry St Fittick's Parish

St Mary's, Inverurie

**Cults Parish** 

Queen's Cross

Inverurie West

Mannofield

Ferryhill Holburn West

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INTRODUCTION: The meeting was opened with a warm welcome from Gill Redman of Holburn West Church and she followed this with a prayer. She introduced the speaker, Rev Trevor Jamison, the new chaplain for o Congregation Scotland.

TALK: Trevor introduced himself to those present and each person did likewise. Trevor explained that his talk would be entitled The Theatre of God's Glory – Resources for Worship that's Grounded in God's Creation. To illustrate the talk, Trevor used a Powerpoint Presentation. The talk was divided into four sections – Worship – why, when, where and how. Trevor talked about each section, giving background, texts, ideas and thought provoking theories. We also prayed together and sang together.

The talk was followed by a question and answer discussion. It was apparent that those present were caught up in Trevor's enthusiasm and discussions about ideas and opinions continued to be discussed over a welcome cup of tea or coffee. Trevor had prepared a resources handout (attached with these notes) for everyone.

Bill Craigie thanked Trevor for coming along and addressing the group.

The meeting drew to a close.

## Addendum 1

As Eco Chaplain Trevor would happily make himself available to preach to churches in the Network area. Ideally he would then host a related discussion in the afternoon - justifying his "away day". Email: <a href="mailto:trevor@ecocongregationscotland.org">trevor@ecocongregationscotland.org</a>

## Addendum 2

Future meetings of the Network group will be arranged in due course and dates and topics sent out to members by email.

Sheila Gray 10 October 2013