

## TWIG (Ordinary) Meeting held on 16 April 2015

1. Present – Paddy Spiller, Margaret Abbott, Helena Harrington, Moira Smith, Vivien Drake, Julia & Shaun Radcliffe.
2. Apologies – Anne Trotter & Christine Acomb.
3. Minutes of meeting held on 22 January 2015 – agreed as a true account but Paddy clarified that Cafod Leeds Office will have one paid employee supported by volunteers. An office at Leeds would be maintained.
4. Matters arising – Cafod had been contacted by Shaun to find out their opinion about the use of the Overseas Budget by the Government to commit it too the Green Climate Fund. Cafod is considering the ethics involved.
5. Treasurer’s Report – Shaun referred to the same accounts circulated at the AGM. Current balance is now £1627.49. A cheque was being sent to Cafod for £1229.71 for the balance of the Lent Project & Family Fast. This will leave a balance of about £400.
6. Use of Funds - £400 to be sent to “Aid to the Church in Need” charity for their work in Syria.
7. Correspondence – the e-mail from Colin Spiller was discussed. Last year’s AGM Minutes were distributed by hand due to computer problems at the time so Paddy’s copy was available to Colin after all. Colin would have expected an electronic version. Members thought that for the Parish web-site, under the section for TWIG, all that is required, is the last AGM Minutes plus the last ordinary meeting minutes. Shaun will contact Colin.
8. Forthcoming July 2015 collection – a discussion took place about future projects after the collection & members were asked to bring ideas to the next meeting. Cafod’s web-site is a good source for reference.
9. Under AOB, Shaun read out an article from Oxfam’s newsletter. It reported all the positive matters that resulted from “Make Poverty History” campaign which was most encouraging.

**Date of next meeting – 9 July 2015**