

## T.W.I.G. MEETING HELD ON 21.7.2016

- 1) Present : Paddy Spiller, Vivien Drake, Christine Acomb, Shaun & Julia Radcliffe.
- 2) Apologies : Anne Trotter, Clare Howarth, & Margaret Abbott.
- 3) Minutes of last meeting: taken as a true account - no matters arising.
- 4) Treasurer's Report : Donation sent for £200 to Friends of the Holy Land since the last meeting. They run a school for children affected by the Syrian War.
- 5) Use of funds : this coming Sunday's collection for T.W.I.G. will be for " Aid to the Church In Need". Julia to email Fr Sean to ask him to announce this at all Sunday's Masses( 24/7/16). After leaving £200 in the account for any emergency, the balance of £122 will be added to whatever our tax rebate on Gift Aid will be. Shaun has ordered the necessary claim forms. It was agreed the money would go to Cafod's work in Syria.
- 6) Correspondence: Cafod update bulletins have been received by members electronically and a "Survive Miva" bulletin was available for members perusal.
- 7) Any Other Business : a prayerful meditation has been devised using Lampedusa cross images by Cafod following a similar format to the Stations of the Cross. Lampedusa is an island off Italy where a number of refugees lost their lives and where their wrecked boat was washed ashore. An Italian carpenter has made a number of crosses using wood from the wreckage. Paddy is to approach Fr Sean to ask if it would be possible to do the Lampedusa Stations after an evening Mass sometime in the future.
- 8) Date of next meeting : 20/10/16.