

Programme for Environment Weekend St Chad's, Far Headingley, 13 & 14
June 2015

To celebrate "Cherishing Churchyards" week and "National Picnic" week

Saturday 13 June **The church open from 10.00 am – 3.35 pm.** Refreshments will be served in the church throughout the day. A small exhibition will feature parishioners from the time the church was dedicated in 1868. Visitors are welcome to picnic in the church grounds or Community Orchard. Gazebos for picnics will be in the Community Orchard & near the church sundial.

Two Trail Leaflets - "A Walk Round St Chad's Churchyard" & "A Geological Trail of the Church & Churchyard" also quiz sheets for children will be available all day.

10.30 -11.30 am Talk by Prof. Andy Heyes (Chair of Energy Technology & Environment at the University of Leeds) *"Perspectives on sustainable energy"*. This will be an informative and entertaining review of how we got into our current fix and the energy trilemma of providing secure, clean and affordable energy. The challenge is then addressed by a shamelessly and possibly uniquely optimistic vision of our energy future in the 21st century.

12 noon – 1.00 pm the **Ringin' Chamber** in the church tower will be open – fantastic views but steep access steps.

12 noon – 1.30 pm Volunteers who work in the adjacent **Community Orchard** will be on hand to talk about their work & answer questions

1.30 – 2.00 pm Guided Walk round the churchyard with a member of St Chad's Green Team.

2.00 – 3.00 pm Guided walk with Dr John Varker on the "Geology of the Church Building and some Churchyard Memorials".

3.00 – 3.30 pm Guided walk round the churchyard with a member of St Chad's Green Team.

Sunday 14 June the theme at the 9.30 am **All Age Church Service** will be *Global Warming – an urgent & necessary concern for all.*

Everyone is very welcome to join us for our environment Weekend activities; we hope to see you.