

"....putting muscle and sinew in the lives of the disciples, urging them to stick with what they had begun" (Acts 14:22. The Message)

CaSS has had a busy term putting 'muscle and sinew in the lives of the disciples' working in or serving schools in Sheffield. Examples include, running an Open the Book training session for 3 churches (Methodist, Baptist & Anglican) in the Beauchief/Woodseats area. The new team is now visiting a local primary school. CaSS has written for Sheffield's Christian magazine 'Plexus', provided lesson ideas on the subject of the St. John's Gospels given out during World War I by SGM Lifewords and been part of a group (alongside the Cathedral Heritage Officer, The Star, Sheffield University Archives, The Montgomery, The General Cemetery etc.) planning a James Montgomery day for Sheffield in November. We have developed an information booklet on the work of CaSS (enclosed). Please use it to advertise our work. Thank you.

The planning for the next **CaSS Conference** is well underway. We see this as an important part of our 'resourcing and encouraging' work in the city. The conference provides an excellent opportunity for those serving schools to **connect** with each other. It will be held on Saturday 7 June at The Wilson Carlile Centre. Nick Harding will be the keynote speaker and there will be 12 – 15 exciting workshops on a wide variety of subjects, to choose from. Full details of the programme are enclosed or see www.cass-su.org.uk. We would love to see you on 7 June and would be most grateful if you would use the poster (reverse) to help us by advertising this event in your churches and amongst your friends. Fiona.





Christians and Sheffield Schools

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'Taking Light into Schools' Nick Harding

Diocesan Children's Advisor, parent, magistrate, Spring Harvest speaker, & writer. Former teacher & schools worker. A passionate, amusing & encouraging speaker with a wealth of experience.

Saturday 7 June 2014

9.15am (coffee) 9.45am (start) - 3pm.

- choose 3 workshops wide variety of subjects
- hear some Sheffield short stories/testimonies
- browse a marketplace of resources
- o experience a prayer space
- connect with others over lunch (provided)
- take the opportunity to ask questions

"Excellent" "Full of encouragement" "Inspirational" (2013 delegates)

Booking essential, information & programme of workshops at <u>www.cass-su.org.uk</u>

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