

Wales Peace Road Event 2016

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Last year the Wales Peace Road Event took us around the wonderful picturesque Roath Park lake in Cardiff, the capital of Wales. This year the focus of our walk was in Cardiff city centre cycling, walking and scootering our way around the impressive Castle and into the beautiful park behind the castle. Wales was, once again, able to connect to the great global Peace Road programme.



The day began with heavy rain in the morning which looked ominous for the day ahead but fortunately, well before the event started, the sun had come out and in all its glory dried up all the last patches of rain to leave us with a clear, sunny day. And so it stayed until well into the afternoon when our event was finished showing us yet again as if we needed reminding, that God was well and truly supporting us all the way.

Our starting point for the Peace Road was in the park behind the castle and then onto the bridge that crossed over the famous River Taff connecting Sophia Gardens, all the while led by an excited and intrepid group of young scooterists, before joining the main road running through the city centre along the side of the castle. We stopped at the entrance to the castle for some photos before continuing and eventually turning back into the park on the far side of the castle while continuing to hand out our leaflets. Passersby were clearly impressed with a few more than happy to stop and chat with us about our Peace message.



A similar number of members turned out this year as last year although the youth and children outnumbered the adults. This year though, we also had a few friends of members who came along with their bikes and with younger children on their scooters who did an incredible job of handing out leaflets as they scooted their way along ahead of the

main group, we had an impressive gathering as we made our way through the city centre promoting our message of peace. All had a great day as we walked, cycled and scooted our way around the city castle and park talking, sharing, laughing and finally making that well-earned lunch break at the cafe in the park. Wales Peace Road 2016 had just ended.