

BUILDING PROGRESS

June's wet weather has taken its toll on the building progress, holding up some key areas of work including the laying of concrete to form the floor of the new hall's basement level. Adding this to the technical hitches we have had, the contractors have advised us that it will be nearer Easter next year, rather than Christmas, when we are able to take re-possession of the building in York Place. This was not unexpected and provision has been made. Latest photographs are on the website: www.projecttwentyone.net

FUNDRAISING

From physical endurance to artistic creations, people have been working on behalf of Project 21 over the last few months with a variety of fundraising activities to boost the giving total.

There's money still to be raised and loads of scope for more fundraising events. If you have an idea and want to discuss how you might turn it into a successful event, or don't have ideas but would like to help others, contact Andy Davis, the Project 21 fundraising co-ordinator, who is keen to talk to you. Email Andy at project21@pandgchurch.org.uk or call him on 0131 552 3333.

MARATHON SUCCESS

Congratulations to the teams and individuals who completed the Edinburgh Marathon. It was a fantastic feat which has raised more than £8,700 with funds still coming in. A huge thank you to those who trained for months to run the course, plus the support team who looked after them before, during and after the big event.

SALE OF PRINTS

Jenny Martin's screen prints of the interior of St Paul's & St George's were snapped up when they went on sale and have raised £8,555 towards Project 21. Thanks to Jenny for her creative skills and time taken to produce the prints.

BOOKSALE

Thanks to Morag Park and her team of helpers who organised the book sale in York Place in April and raised a total of £626.

BUY FOR PROJECT 21

Don't forget <http://buy.at/project21> where you can purchase goods and a percentage of the sale price goes to Project 21.

DIARY NOTE: AUGUST VENUE CHANGE

The 11am and 7pm services throughout August will be held at The Mar Hall, Mary Erskine School, Ravelston Dykes Road. Further information on location and how to get are available from the information desk. A map can be downloaded at: <http://www.esms.edin.sch.uk/Contact-Maps.aspx>

INCOME

Project 21 income to date now stands at £3,887,715. Thanks to everyone who has contributed and honoured pledges.

