


Stockton Unitarians are proud
of their dissenting heritage

Our roots go back to 1688
We are the oldest non-conformist
congregation in  Stockton-on-Tees



Here is our story



*Original music "Three To See The King," composed and played
by Never Equalled Daniel Dancer, and used with permission*



Our first place of worship



The Victorian church
opened in 1873 and closed in 2005



Our final service in the old church was an emotional event



March 2006–Demolition
- so many dramatic scenes like this



Recognition for recycling the organ and other fittings from the old building



October 2006
The new building takes shape



September 2007 – open at last as the Mayor of Stockton cuts the ribbon



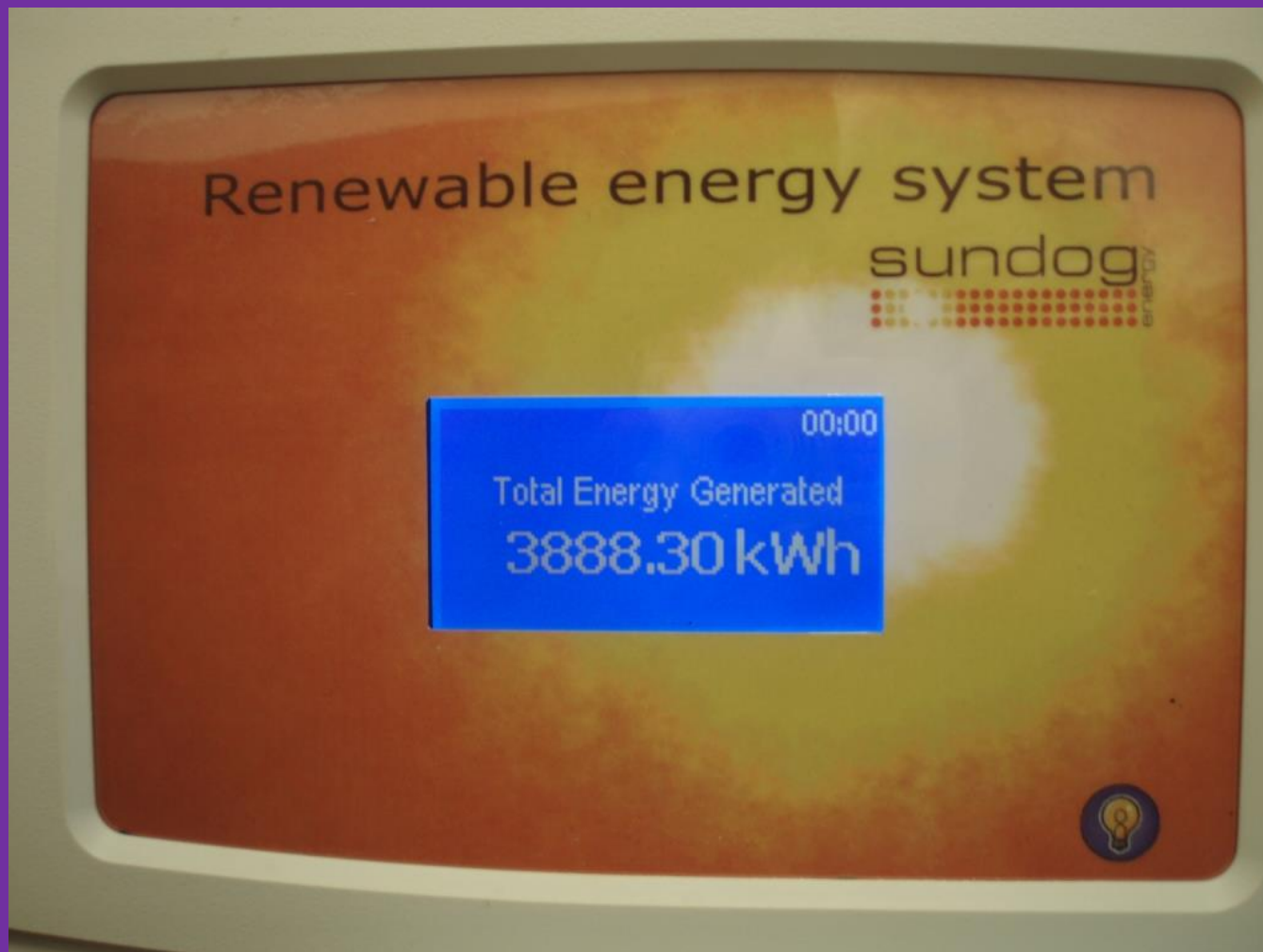
We celebrated with three special services



The Balloon Race
- great for fundraising and publicity



The energy efficient building
has photo-voltaic tiles on the roof



Almost 4,000 units of electricity have been generated so far – with the majority of it exported to the National Grid



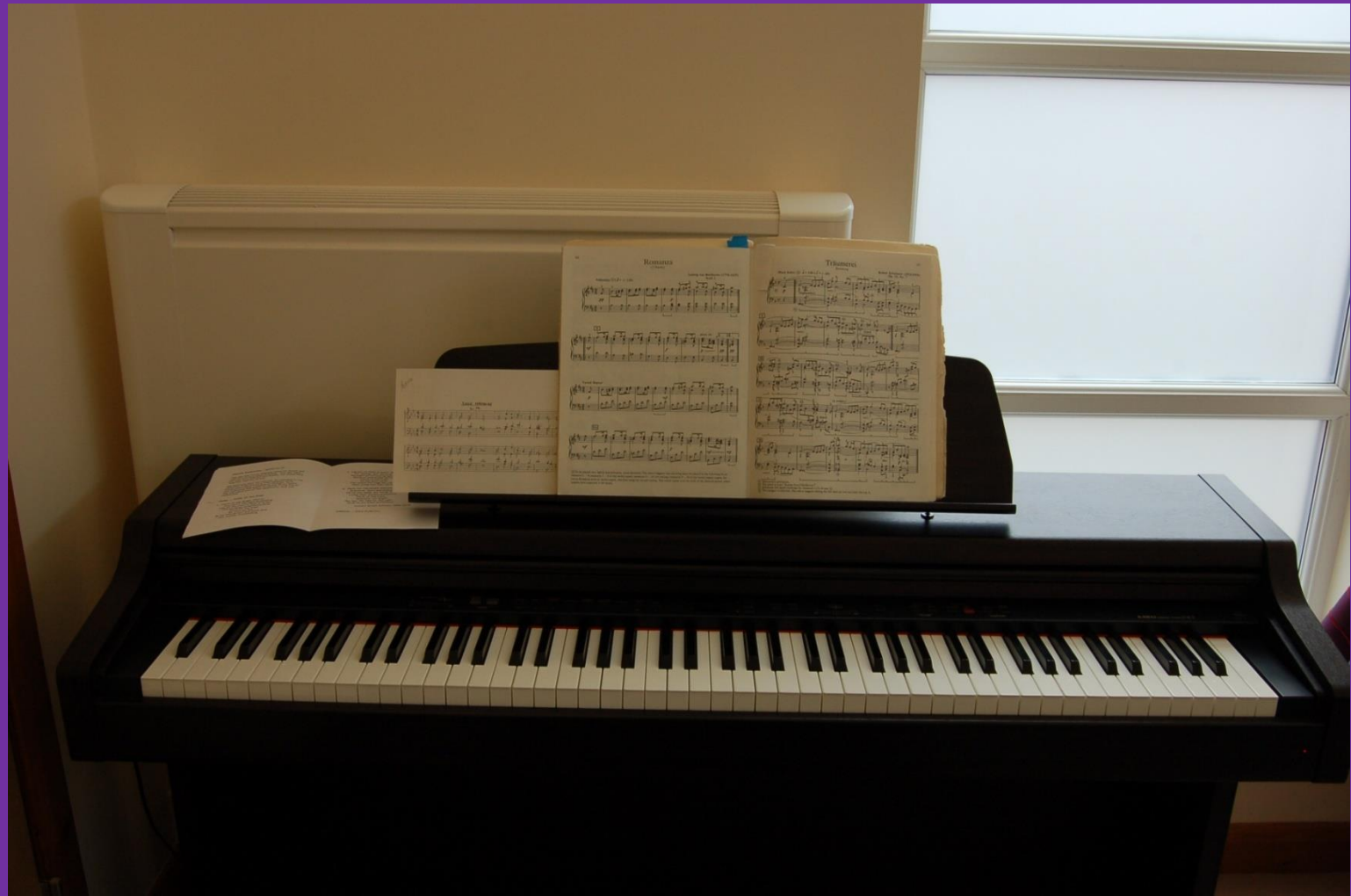
The notice board highlights some of our history



A chalice on the carpet
immediately identifies who we are



These stained glass windows are a link to the previous church building



Four organists provide the music for our services on the new Clavinova



We have commissioned a Yorkshire woodcraftsman to make new furniture from English Ash



Mark Laycock working on the lectern



We have no minister - members of the congregation regularly take services



An important part of each
worship service is the chalice lighting



We like variety in our worship—here we celebrate Diwali in a service about “Light”



Story time in the
Christmas “Tree Dressing” Service



We enjoy fellowship with visitors
from other Unitarian congregations



Tea and conversation after the service



The sponsored walk
- raising money for a local charity



Presenting the cheque
at our annual Charity Service



Our Harvest produce was given to local Asylum Seekers



The monthly Traidcraft stall



Coffee mornings
- every Saturday in the concourse



“Pete’s Pantry”
- a popular monthly activity



A discussion group considers
“The British Unitarian Journey” course



A new experience
- Walking the Labyrinth



A visit from the GA Vice-President



Our table at the annual
Thornaby Summer Show



We visit Whitby Chapel each summer

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Stockton Unitarian Church in the snow on 3rd January 2010

CALENDAR FOR
FEBRUARY 2010



Read more in our calendar on
www.stocktonunitarians.org.uk



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