NFN Website Report 2022 (for Jan 2023 AGM)

As before, the website continues to serve its purpose well in so far as it provides a basic reference point for all our news, forthcoming events and archives of articles, newsletters and other materials created over the last 10 years. A website working-group was established in 2022 and much effort was put into discussing the website and conducting research and surveys of NFN members views. I have no detailed information about this since September 2022 but perhaps the working group will produce their own report on any developments. At January 2023 we have (according to Wordpress) 272 persons 'following' the website (2022 - 247).

In 2022 we had (according to Wordpress) 5336 visitors to the site (2021 - 5959, 2020 - 4597), with 15422 page views including 8830 from the UK (2021 - 8803) and 3942 from the USA (2021 - 2840). (According to our flagcounter.com page counter, we have had 4732 GB visitors and 3382 US visitors since October 2020 with a total of 9736 from 75 countries (2021 - 6099, 61 countries)).

Views per page recorded as follows:
Welcome to the NFN (Homepage) 2437
NFN monthly Quaker Meeting and Creative Conversation 1823
Home page / Archives 1193
Events 1,117
Nontheism? 559
The Faith of a Quaker Humanist 429
Aims of the Network 418
NFN Membership 376
About 340
FAQ 244

The following pages and posts (**P**) also had over 150 views:

NFN Newsletter Issue April 2022 (P) 229

David Boulton - Friends and the Secular World 225

Piers Maddox, Path of rightness in time of civilisational change 219

Organisation of Nontheist Friends Network - since AGM Feb 2022 209

Documents in advance (just!) of our February 2022 AGM (P) 196

How to? 184 Articles 182

Tim's reflections on 'Exploring New Ways of Believing and Belonging', our

Creative Conversation on 1/9/22 (**P**) 181

Contact 177

The Quakers are right. We don't need God. (P) (from 2018!) 171

How do I, a nontheist Quaker, relate to deeply Christian Quakers? (P) 170

NFN Constitution 166

Newsletters 158

Three Woodbrooke Courses in Spring 2022 (Events) 157

(Full details on request).

(The 2021 website report can be found here:

https://nontheistquakers.files.wordpress.com/2022/02/2022-02-17-

websitereport.pdf) (You may have to copy and paste this link).

There have been nearly 500 comments in 6 years. I think visitors' comments are a significant feature of the NFN website and would like to repeat what I said last year that I have found that a number of people who have contacted us through the website have welcomed the views expressed with relief and open arms - some of them Quakers and some of them new and prospective attenders/members. Some have made contact just before or just after their first Meeting and are looking for some support! Over the years, at least 4 or 5 past or present members of our Steering Group have found us initially through the website.

2588 documents (pdf, doc, xls, mp3) were downloaded or viewed in 2022 and of these, the top 20 were:

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/2020/12/nfn-constitution-2020.pdf
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/2021/11/nfn-newsletter-november-2021-.pdf 98
/2021/06/nfn-newsletter-june-2021.pdf 71
/2016/09/continuing-revelation.pdf
/2022/01/path-of-rightness-transcript.pdf
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/2016/09/newswletternovember-2016.pdf
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/2019/07/jesus-today-book.pdf
/2016/10/nfn_newsletter_sep2016.pdf
/2022/02/2022-02-17-clerkreport.docx 53
/2022/02/2022-02-17-creativeconversationsreport.docx
                                                        48
/2016/09/nfn_newsletters_2014.pdf
/2022/02/2022-02-17-conferencereport.docx 43
/2021/05/nfnmwfcc_-john-senior4.3.2021.mp3 42
/2022/02/2022-02-17-creativeconversationsreport.pdf
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/2022/02/2022-02-17-membershipreport.docx 41
/2022/02/2022-02-17-conferencereport.pdf
                                            40
/2022/02/2022-02-17-clerkreport.pdf
/2022/02/2022-02-17-membershipreport.pdf
                                            38
/2022/02/2022-02-17-websitereport.doc
                                            36
/2021/05/to-thine-own-self-be-true-a-spiritual-journey-and-reflection-by-
howard-grace.pdf
                   35
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(Full details available on request).

As always I would like to encourage 'members and attenders' to comment on any page or post (including past articles). For pages and posts there is a comment box at foot of almost every page. You can 'like' any page or post if you like! (Where shown at the foot of the page and **Share** in any of these ways: *Twitter*, *Facebook*, *Email*, *LinkedIn*, *WhatsApp*, *Print or Skype*.).

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