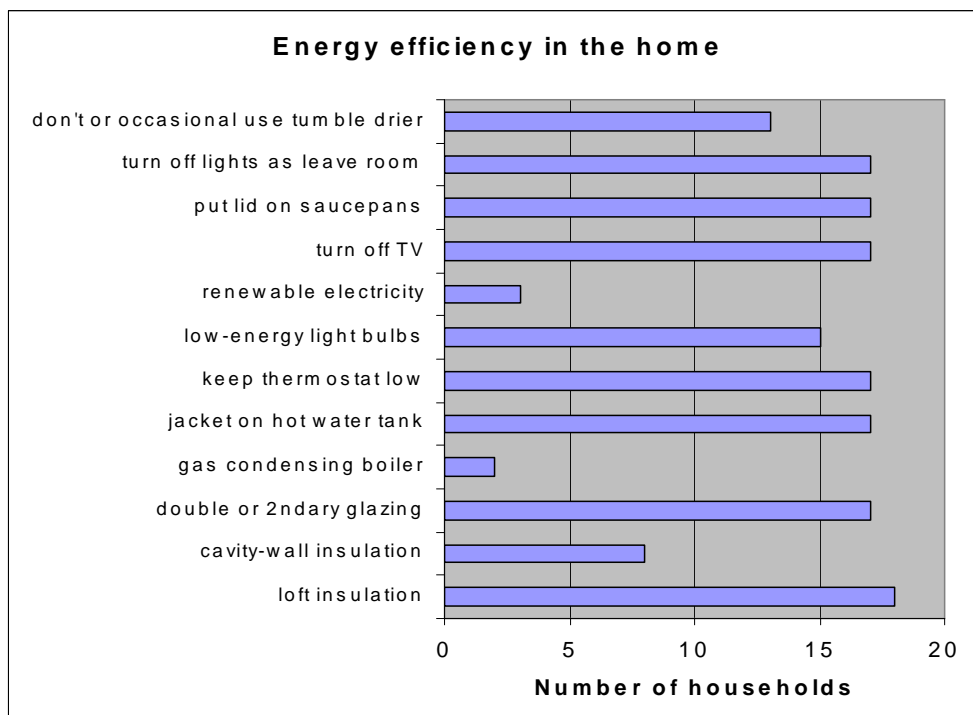
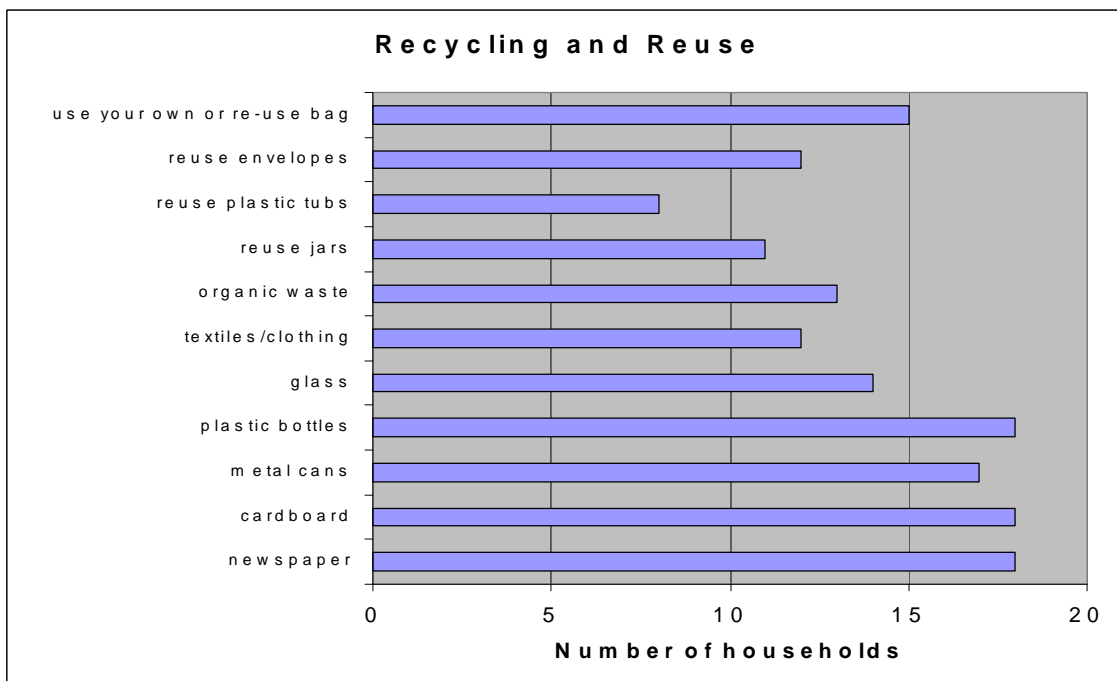


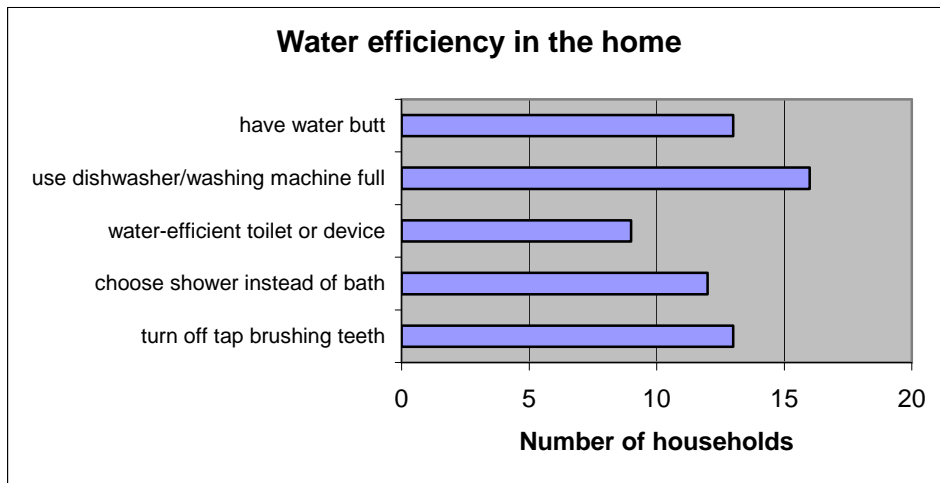
Survey Summary - How Green Are We?

Thank you to everyone who responded to the survey in August's copy of the Church magazine. We carried out the survey to get a baseline for our Ecocongregation work, so that we can come back in a year or two and see if we've made any progress. Below is a brief summary of survey responses.

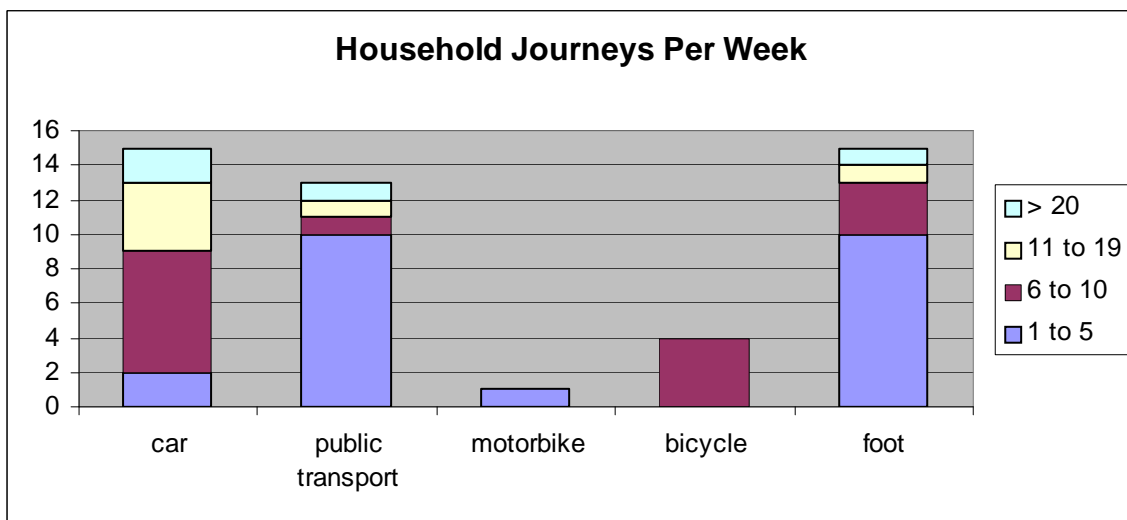
Eighteen households completed the survey, seventeen from Caversham Heights and one from Gosbrook Road. The surveys showed that everyone who took part does something to help protect the environment. Those activities that everyone takes the most significant role in are recycling and reducing energy usage in the home – see graphs below:



Every household also carries out at least one action to save water around their home:



In terms of transport the most journeys are made by car, followed by walking which probably reflects people using the most accessible forms of transport.



When people are out shopping most of them consider their impact on the Environment with 16 households choosing to buy energy efficient appliances, 16 households buying at least some local produce and 13 households buying some organic produce.

If you'd like further information on the survey please contact Jackie Outhwaite on 0118 946 3140.

Look out for our upcoming articles on environmental issues with helpful tips on how you can help the environment and save yourself some money at the same time.