# Reducing carbon consumption at Salisbury Cathedral successes, challenges, next steps



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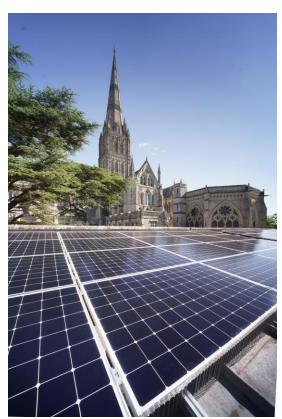




#### Progress to date

- Solar panels (2019)
- Eco Church Gold award (2021)
  - Ecological care flora and fauna
  - Congregational and community engagement
    - preaching and liturgy
    - youth day; adult tour
  - Green tariff electricity Parish Buying

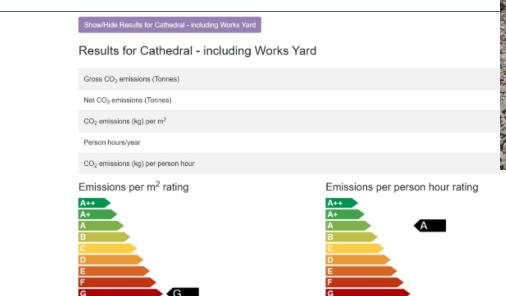






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- LED relamping begun (2022)
- Carbon footprint calculated (for 2022)
  - CofE Energy Toolkit







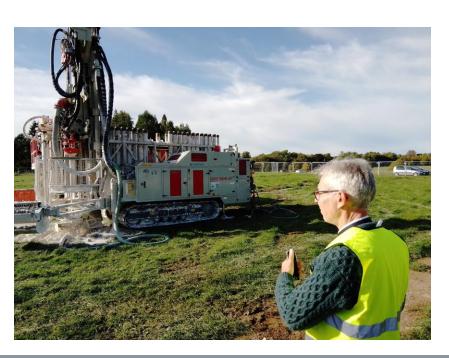
### Next steps - structural

- •• new Environment Committee (2023)
  - oversee
    - Environmental Policy and Plan
  - aligns with
    - new constitution
    - 2023 diocesan and cathedral strategies
    - Routemap to Net Zero principles



## Next steps - projects

- Electricity monitoring
- Encouraging and facilitating greener transport
  - Electric Vehicle charging
  - Bikes
- Scoping out heating options
- Close properties
  - EPCs and targeted interventions
  - Engaging residents
- Leaden Hall
  - GSHP
  - Solar panels





## Challenges

- Wisdom
  - carbon reduction experts and companies are in short supply!
- · Cost
- Heritage context / Planning hurdles
- General Cathedral complexity (diary and priorities)

