

THE FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

England & Wales · Charity number 1061247

Details

Other names	FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	1997-03-13
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

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Activities

Objects: (A) TO ADVANCE THE CHRISTIAN FAITH IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATEMENT OF BELIEFS APPEARING IN THE SCHEDULE HERETO IN LONDON AND IN SUCH OTHER PARTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OR THE WORLD AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME THINK FIT (B) TO RELIEVE PERSONS WHO ARE IN CONDITIONS OF NEED OR HARDSHIP OR WHO ARE AGED OR SICK AND TO RELIEVE THE DISTRESS CAUSED THEREBY IN LONDON AND IN SUCH OTHER PARTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OR THE WORLD AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME THINK FIT (C) TO ADVANCE EDUCATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHRISTIAN PRINCIPLES IN LONDON AND IN SUCH OTHER PARTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OR THE WORLD AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME THINK FIT (D) TO PROMOTE AND FULFIL SUCH OTHER CHARITABLE PURPOSES BENEFICIAL TO THE COMMUNITY IN LONDON AND IN SUCH OTHER PARTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OR THE WORLD AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME THINK FIT

Activities: Preaching and teaching based on the christian religious faith.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space
- **What:** Religious Activities
- **Who:** Children/young People, People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** LONDON AND OTHER PARTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OR THE WORLD
- Essex
- Throughout London

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£22,244	£155,284	-	-
2024-03-31	£23,250	£20,612	-	-
2023-03-31	£25,915	£27,975	-	-
2022-03-31	£30,112	£29,466	-	-
2021-03-31	£60,948	£60,711	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
CAROLINE AJIBOLA TELLA		2017-01-01
Olueaseyi Patience Raufu		2025-08-01

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REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

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Independent Examiner	Lance Kadiri 333 Edgware Road London NW9 6TD
Bankers	Barclays Bank Plc

Trustees' Report for the year ended 31 March 2022

The trustees present their report along with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2022. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 7 and comply with the charity's memorandum and articles of association.

Trustees

The following were the trustees for the period under consideration.

Name

Joseph A M Akinwande
Oludare D Fatoke
Rachel T Tella

All the above Trustees were appointed on 1 January 2017. The principal custodian of the charity is the Board of Trustees.

Appointment of trustees is governed by The Memorandum and Articles of Association. The Board of Trustees is authorized to appoint new trustees to fill vacancies arising through resignation or death of an existing trustee.

Investment Powers

The Memorandum and Articles of Association authorizes the trustees to make and hold investments using the general funds of the charity, but no such investments are presently held.

Constitution, objects and policies

- (i) The Charity's governing document is the Trust Deed, which is kept at the charity's principal address.
- (ii) The objects of the charity continue to be:
- (iii) The advancement of Christian religion and education
- (iv) Counselling in relation to marriage, youth, career, parenting, bereavement
- (v) Support for families
- (vi) Training leaders
- (vii) Enhancing social and community integration

Development, activities and achievements

The trustees consider that the performance of the charity this year has been most satisfactory. During the year the charity gained some new members and it is expected that the congregation will continue to grow in the future.

The charity would not be able to operate without the continued support of a large number of willing support staff who give their services voluntarily, to assist the church on a freelance basis.

Financial review

A substantial increase in donations by individuals was achieved this year, mainly due to the publicity we received in the media, which featured the church's activities. In addition, our fundraising activities continue to be successful, thanks mainly to the kind donations of members. Office overheads were generally unchanged this year. Funds available are sufficient to permit the charity to continue in operation in the medium term.

Risk Management

The trustees actively review the major risk which the charity faces on a regular basis and believe that maintaining reserves at current levels, combined with an annual review of the controls over key financial systems, will provide sufficient resources in the event of adverse conditions. The trustees have also examined other operational and business risks faced by the Charity and confirm that they have established systems to mitigate the significant risks.

Future Developments

The trustees are confident that the charity will continue to grow in strength in the foreseeable future.

Report of the trustees for the year ended 31 March 2022

Reserves policy

It is the policy of the charity to maintain unrestricted funds at a level which equate to approximately 12 months unrestricted expenditure. This provides sufficient funds to cover management and administration and support costs. Unrestricted funds are maintained at least this level throughout the year.

Statement of trustees' responsibilities

Law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true fair view of the charity's financial activities during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- (a) select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- (b) make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- (c) state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- (d) Prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approval

This report was approved by the trustees in November 2024 and signed on their behalf.

J Akinwande
Trustee

FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Report of the Independent Examiner to the Trustees of FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE On accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- Examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act,
- To follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Charities Act; and
- To state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent examiner's statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with general Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently, no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair' view and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- (i) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in, any material respect, the requirements:
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Acthave not been met; or
- (ii) To which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Lance Kadiri
333 Edgware Road
London

November 2024

FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Statements of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 March 2022

	Restricted Funds 2022 £	Unrestricted Funds 2022 £	Total Funds 2022 £	Total Funds 2021 £
<u>Incoming Resources</u>				
Tithes and offering	-	30,112	30,112	60,948
Total Incoming resources	-	30,112	30,112	60,948
<u>Resources Expanded</u>				
Rent, rates and hall hire	-	12,000	12,000	14,125
Storage	-	2,500	2,500	-
Insurance	-	2,200	2,200	5,594
Light and heat	-	1,350	1,350	225
Honorarium	-	2,250	2,250	-
Telephone and fax	-	545	545	990
Travel expenses	-	243	243	10,881
Repairs and renewals	-	3,463	3,463	240
Books, software and other resources	-	20	20	-
Welfare	-	1,069	1,069	-
Waste disposal	-	3,200	3,200	-
Subscriptions	-	144	144	-
Advertising	-	482	482	-
Printing and stationery	-	-	-	54
Ministers Allowance	-	-	-	12,370
World outreach	-	-	-	10,406
Bank charges	-	-	-	161
Accountancy	-	-	-	750
Equipment hire	-	-	-	420
Sundry expenses	-	-	-	3,169
Other Legal and professional	-	-	-	60
Depreciation	-	1,013	1,013	1,266
Total resources expanded	-	30,479	30,479	60,711
(Deficit)/surplus for the year	-	(367)	(367)	237

There were no recognized gains or losses for 2022 other than those included in the Statements of Financial Activities.

FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Balance Sheet As at 31 March 2022

	Note	2022	2021
		£	£
Fixed Assets			
Tangible Assets	3	4,051	5,064
Current assets			
Debtors	4	149,069	129,069
Cash at bank and in hand		3,254	23,109
		<u>152,323</u>	<u>152,178</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	5	<u>(19,769)</u>	<u>(20,270)</u>
Net current assets		132,554	131,908
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>136,605</u>	<u>136,972</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due after More than one year		-	-
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>136,605</u>	<u>136,972</u>
Funds			
Unrestricted funds	5	136,605	136,972
Accumulated unrestricted funds		<u>136,605</u>	<u>136,972</u>

Approved by the trustees in November 2024 and signed on their behalf.

J Akinwande
Trustee

FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022

1. Accounting policies

1.1 Basis of preparation of accounts

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with FRS 102, The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (as applied to small entities by section 1A of the standard).

1.2 Fund accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the church and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by donors which have been raised by the church for particular purposes. The cost of raising and administering such funds are charged against the specific fund. The aim and use of each restricted fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Investment income, capital gains and losses are allocated to the appropriate fund.

1.3 Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when the church is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Income tax recoverable in relation to donations received under Gift Aid is recognized at the time of the donation.

1.4 Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been included under expense categories that aggregate all costs for allocation to activities. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular activities they have been allocated on a basis consistent with the use of the resources.

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Tangible fixed assets for use by the charity are stated at cost less depreciation.

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost or valuation of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Equipment and furniture	20% reducing balance method
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2. Tangible fixed assets for use by the Charity	Plant & Machinery £	Motor vehicle £	Total £
Cost			
At 1 April 2021	2,121	17,550	19,671
Additions	-	-	-
At 31 March 2022	2,121	17,550	19,671
Depreciation			
At 1 April 2021	1,999	12,608	14,607
Charge for the year	24	989	1,013
At 31 March 2022	2,023	13,597	15,620
Net book value			
At 31 March 2022	98	3,953	4,051
At 31 March 2021	122	4,942	5,064

3. Debtors and prepayments	2022 £	2021 £
Other debtors	149,069	129,069
	149,069	129,069

4. Creditors: Amounts falling due with one year	2022 £	2021 £
Other creditors	19,769	20,270
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5. Unrestricted funds	2022 £	2021 £
At 1 April 2021	136,972	136,735
(Deficit)/Surplus for the year	(367)	237
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London

August 2022

FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Statements of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 March 2021

	Restricted Funds 2021 £	Unrestricted Funds 2021 £	Total Funds 2021 £	Total Funds 2020 £
<u>Incoming Resources</u>				
Tithes and offering	-	60,948	60,948	268,860
Other operating income	-	-	-	59,193
Total Incoming resources	-	60,948	60,948	328,053
<u>Resources Expanded</u>				
Rent, rates and hall hire	-	14,125	14,125	54,311
Storage	-	-	-	28,260
Insurance	-	5,594	5,594	5,287
Light and heat	-	225	225	997
Honorarium	-	-	-	28,000
Telephone and fax	-	990	990	8,265
Travel expenses	-	10,881	10,881	17,009
Repairs and renewals	-	240	240	38,895
Books, software and other resources	-	-	-	2,645
Printing and stationery	-	54	54	10,917
Ministers Allowance	-	12,370	12,370	12,000
Staff Training and Welfare	-	-	-	3,600
World outreach	-	10,406	10,406	37,500
Bank charges	-	161	161	251
Accountancy	-	750	750	2,000
Equipment hire	-	420	420	50,947
Sundry expenses	-	3,169	3,169	29,574
Other Legal and professional	-	60	60	4,010
Advertising	-	-	-	5,725
Depreciation	-	1,266	1,266	1,582
Total resources expanded	-	60,711	60,711	341,775
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	-	237	237	(13,722)

There were no recognized gains or losses for 2021 other than those included in the Statements of Financial Activities.

FAITHFULS INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Balance Sheet As at 31 March 2021

	Note	2021	2020
		£	£
Fixed Assets			
Tangible Assets	3	5,064	6,330
Current assets			
Debtors	4	129,069	129,069
Cash at bank and in hand		23,109	20,856
		<u>152,178</u>	<u>149,925</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	5	<u>(20,270)</u>	<u>(19,520)</u>
Net current assets		131,908	130,405
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>136,972</u>	<u>136,735</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due after More than one year		-	-
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>136,972</u>	<u>136,735</u>
Funds			
Unrestricted funds	5	136,972	136,735
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J Akinwande
Trustee

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Investment income, capital gains and losses are allocated to the appropriate fund.

1.3 Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when the church is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Income tax recoverable in relation to donations received under Gift Aid is recognized at the time of the donation.

1.4 Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been included under expense categories that aggregate all costs for allocation to activities. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular activities they have been allocated on a basis consistent with the use of the resources.

1.5 Tangible fixed assets for use by the charity and depreciation.

Tangible fixed assets for use by the charity are stated at cost less depreciation.

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost or valuation of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Equipment and furniture	20% reducing balance method
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Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2021

2. Tangible fixed assets for use by the Charity	Plant & Machinery £	Motor vehicle £	Total £
Cost			
At 1 April 2020	2,121	17,550	19,671
Additions	-	-	-
At 31 March 2021	2,121	17,550	19,671
Depreciation			
At 1 April 2020	1,969	11,372	13,341
Charge for the year	30	1,236	1,266
At 31 March 2021	1,999	12,608	14,607
Net book value			
At 31 March 2021	122	4,942	5,064
At 31 March 2020	152	6,178	6,330

3. Debtors and prepayments	2020	2020
	£	£
Other debtors	129,069	129,069
	129,069	129,069

4. Creditors: Amounts falling due with one year	2020	2020
	£	£
Other creditors	20,270	19,520
	20,270	19,520

5. Unrestricted funds	2021	2020
	£	£
At 1 April 2020	136,735	150,457
(Deficit)/Surplus for the year	237	(13,722)
At 31 March 2021	136,972	136,735