

# LIVING FAITH BIBLE CHURCH TRUST

England & Wales · Charity number 1063866

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** Other

**Registered** 1997-08-08

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

## Contact

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**Address** Flat 57  
Marine Tower  
Abinger Grove  
London  
SE8 5UY

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## Activities

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**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 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.

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## Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Human Resources, Provides Services
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Religious Activities
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- **Area of benefit:** ESSEX
- Throughout London

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-12-31	£33,849	£17,335	-	-
2024-12-31	£34,055	£31,722	-	-
2023-12-31	£30,878	£33,542	-	-
2022-12-31	£34,330	£30,727	-	-
2021-12-31	£33,824	£28,827	-	-
2020-12-31	£30,061	£23,680	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Rev EMMANUEL ONOTOTA	Chair	
ADEBUNMI IKPEFURAN		
BAMIDELE ODEBODE		
KENNETH IKPEFURAN		2014-01-01
PASTOR SYDNEY AHAMEFULA		
RACHEL ONOTOTA		

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# Accounts

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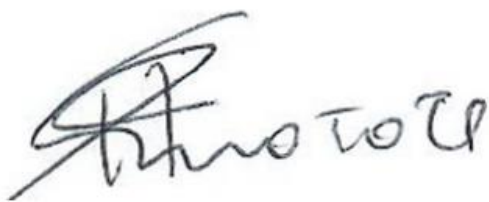
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Date: 03/05/2026

Name: David Robinson

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**Financial Statement for the year ended 31st December 2025**

<u>Receipts and Payments Account</u>	2025	2024		
<u>Donations</u>				
Offerings				
Tithes	22017			17892
Offering	4109			8561
Building Fund	0			100
Missionary	635			1106
Tax Refund	6339			5551
Interest Received	749			845
	<u>33849</u>			<u>34055</u>
 <u>Charitable Activity Direct Expenditure</u>				
Youth Ministry	0			
Missionary Gifts	15030			17417
Tithes	0			403
Offerings	0			0
Benevolent Gifts	2305	17335		1820    19640
 <u>Premise Costs</u>				
Rent & insurance	1410	1410		1086    1086
 <u>Outreach</u>				
Outreach		0		574    574
 <u>Adminstration Costs</u>				
Stationery	365			873
Post & Telephone	1802			1770
Travel & Sundries	13604			5936
Petty Cash	1935	17706		1843    10422
	<u>36451</u>			<u>31722</u>
Excess of Payments over Receipts		2398		2333

**Summary of Receipts and Payments**

Balance as at 31st December 2025	82278
	<u>2398</u>
	<u>84676</u>
 Represented by:	
Bank Current A/c	30886
Bank Instant Access A/c	53790
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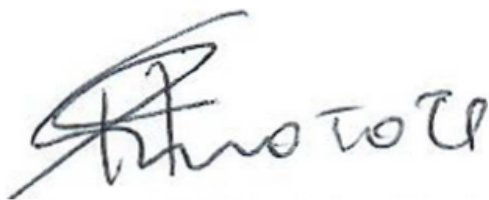
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Date: 26/04/2025

Name: David Robinson

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<u>Receipts and Payments Account</u>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>		
<u>Donations</u>				
Offerings				
Tithes	17892	17150		
Offering	8561	5516		
Building Fund	100	175		
Missionary	1106	1477		
Tax Refund	5551	5970		
Interest Received	845	590		
	<u>34055</u>	<u>30878</u>		
 <u>Charitable Activity Direct Expenditure</u>				
Youth Ministry				
Missionary Gifts	17417	14202		
Tithes	403			
Music	0	0		
Benevolent Gifts	1820	750	19640	14952
 <u>Premise Costs</u>				
Rent & insurance	1086	1412	1086	1412
 <u>Outreach</u>				
Outreach	574	0	574	0
 <u>Adminstration Costs</u>				
Stationery	873	802		
Post & Telephone	1770	1655		
Travel & Sundries	5936	12841		
Petty Cash	1843	1880	10422	17178
	<u>31722</u>	<u>33542</u>		
 Excess of Payments over Receipts	2333	-2664		

**Summary of Receipts and Payments**

Balance as at 31st December 2022	79945
	<u>2333</u>
	<u>82278</u>
 Represented by:	
Bank Current A/c	29237
Bank Instant Access A/c	<u>53041</u>
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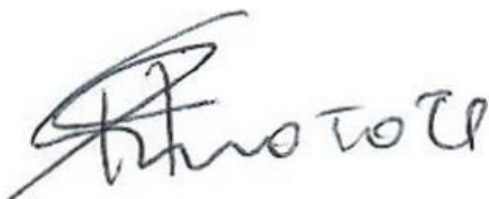
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<u>Receipts and Payments Account</u>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
<u>Donations</u>		
Offerings		
Tithes	17150	20920
Offering	5516	5411
Building Fund	175	210
Missionary	1477	1184
Tax Refund	5970	6539
Interest Received	590	66
	<u>30878</u>	<u>34330</u>
 <u>Charitable Activity Direct Expenditure</u>		
Youth Ministry		
Missionary Gifts	14202	14435
Tithes		823
Music	0	0
Benevolent Gifts	750	1920
	14952	17178
 <u>Premise Costs</u>		
Rent & insurance	1412	878
	1412	878
 <u>Outreach</u>		
Outreach	0	0
	0	0
 <u>Adminstration Costs</u>		
Stationery	802	1645
Post & Telephone	1655	1438
Travel & Sundries	12841	7474
Petty Cash	1880	2114
	<u>17178</u>	<u>12671</u>
	<u>33542</u>	<u>30727</u>
 Excess of Payments over Receipts	 -2664	 <b>3603</b>

**Summary of Receipts and Payments**

Balance as at 31st December 2022	82608
	<u>-2664</u>
	<u>79944</u>
 Represented by:	
Bank Current A/c	28255
Bank Instant Access A/c	51689
	<u>79944</u>

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Date: 06/07/2024

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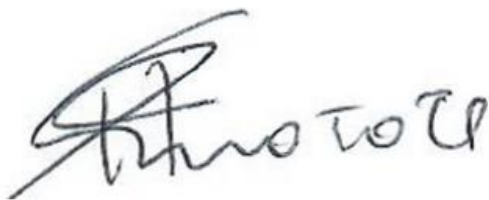
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<u>Receipts and Payments Account</u>	2022	2021
<u>Donations</u>		
Offerings		
Tithes	20920	18531
Offering	5411	7984
Building Fund	210	230
Missionary	1184	1610
Tax Refund	6539	5453
Interest Received	66	16
	<u>34330</u>	<u>33824</u>
 <u>Charitable Activity Direct Expenditure</u>		
Youth Ministry		451
Missionary Gifts	14435	14046
Tithes	823	742
Music	0	0
Benevolent Gifts	1920	927
	17178	16166
 <u>Premise Costs</u>		
Rent & insurance	878	0
	878	0
 <u>Outreach</u>		
Outreach	0	2250
	0	2250
 <u>Adminstration Costs</u>		
Stationery	1645	893
Post & Telephone	1438	1190
Travel & Sundries	7474	6714
Petty Cash	2114	1614
	12671	10411
	<u>30727</u>	<u>28827</u>
 Excess of Payments over Receipts		
	3603	4997

**Summary of Receipts and Payments**

Balance as at 1st January 2021	79005
	<u>3603</u>
	<u>82608</u>
 Represented by:	
Bank Current A/c	32162
Bank Instant Access A/c	50446
	<u>82608</u>

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# LIVING FAITH BIBLE CHURCH

## TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2021

The Living Faith Bible Church is constituted by Deed of Trust and is a Registered Charity. Number 1063866.

Its address is at 57 Marine Tower, Abinger Grove, Deptford, London SE8 5UY.

The Charity's Trustees during the year to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021 were:

Rev. Emmanuel Onotota	Chairman
Mr. Bamidele Odebode	
Mrs. Rachel Onotota	
Pastor Sydney Ahamefula	
Mrs Adebunmi Ikpefuran	Secretary

The object of the Charity is to advance the Christian Faith in accordance with the statements of Beliefs; to relieve persons who are in conditions of need or hardship or who are aged or sick, and to relieve the distressed; to promote and fulfil 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.

To meet its objectives, the charity meets for Christian Worship Services On Sundays, Teaching and Youth Meetings on Wednesdays, and Prayer Meetings on Fridays. It also held special meetings and other social events such as Movie Night for youths and children, Fun-Time in the Park for the whole family and members of the community were invited and attended these socials.

At the moment the Charity is still hiring a hall to hold these meetings.

The Charity is dependent on its members for funding to help meet her objectives. To this end £33824 was raised from which over £17965 was given by the Charity to help advance the Christian Faith both here in the United Kingdom and in other parts of the World, and to meet our other objectives.

The Charity continues to distribute Christian literature in the city where it is registered. Furthermore, the Charity was able to continue to give funds to other United Kingdom based Charities in their missionary work both in the UK and other parts of the world that meets our objectives.

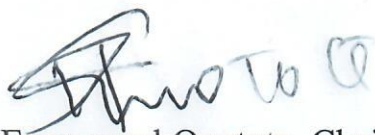
The Charity was also involved with the other faith based initiative and activities arrange for the communities where we serve.

The Charity also provided from its Benevolent Fund help to members in the church that are in need.

Unspent income reserves as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021 were equivalent to twelve months of normal operating expenditure, which is above the approved level of six months, unspent income reserves. This position is being maintained. The Trustees consider that it is adequate to meet our objectives, and for the size of the Trust.

The Charity has no plans at the moment for a major capital project but this position is constantly being reviewed. It will continue to raise its funds from its members and will also continue to work closely with other local, national and international agencies to advance the Christian Faith through missionary giving.

There are no serious incidents or other matters relating to the Charity over the previous financial period that we should have brought to your attention but have not.



Rev. Emmanuel Onotota, Chairman  
On behalf of the Board of Trustees.

## REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT EXAMINER.

TO THE MANAGING TRUSTEES AND MEMBERS OF  
LIVING FAITH BIBLE CHURCH, DEPTFORD IN RESPECT OF THE  
ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2021

I report on the accounts of the Trust for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021.

### 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(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

Examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act  
Follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity  
State whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### Basis of Independent examiner's report.

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. 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 procedures undertaken do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

### Independent examiner's statement.

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

1. 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 2011 Act: and
  - comply with the accounting requirement of the 2011 Act.

Have not been met; or

2. to which in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed



Date

25.06.2022

Name

DAVID ROBINSON

**LIVING FAITH BIBLE CHURCH, DEPTFORD**  
**Financial Statement for the year ended 31st December 2021**

<u>Receipts and Payments Account</u>	2021	2020
<u>Donations</u>		
Offerings		
Tithes	18531	16900
Offering	7984	5480
Building Fund	230	252
Missionary	1610	1645
Tax Refund	5453	5610
Interest Received	16	174
	33824	30061
 <u>Charitable Activity Direct Expenditure</u>		
Youth Ministry	451	309
Missionary Gifts	14046	12060
Tithes	742	421
Music	0	512
Benevolent Gifts	927	2235
	16166	15537
 <u>Premise Costs</u>		
Rent & insurance	0	1411
	0	1411
 <u>Outreach</u>		
Outreach	2250	0
	2250	0
 <u>Administration Costs</u>		
Stationery	893	1029
Post & Telephone	1190	1254
Travel & Sundries	6714	3108
Petty Cash	1614	1341
	10411	6732
	28827	23680
 Excess of Payments over Receipts	4997	6381

**Summary of Receipts and Payments**

Balance as at 1st January 2021	74008
	4997
	79005
 Represented by:	
Bank Current A/c	28625
Bank Instant Access A/c	50380
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**LIVING FAITH BIBLE CHURCH TRUST**

England & Wales - Charity number 1063866

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# Accounts

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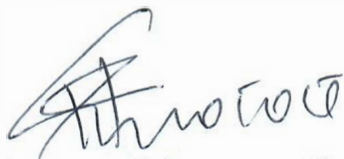
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Date 29/05/2021

Name

David Robinson

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**Financial Statement for the year ended 31st December 2020**

<u>Receipts and Payments Account</u>	2020	2019
<u>Donations</u>		
Offerings		
Tithes	16900	20853
Offering	5480	4440
Building Fund	252	331
Missionary	1645	2088
Tax Refund	5610	5871
Interest Received	174	211
	30061	33794
 <u>Charitable Activity Direct Expenditure</u>		
Youth Ministry	309	30
Missionary Gifts	12060	12195
Tithes	421	1715
Music	512	0
Benevolent Gifts	2235	835
	15537	14775
 <u>Premise Costs</u>		
Rent & insurance	1411	4756
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 <u>Outreach</u>		
Outreach	0	100
	0	100
 <u>Adminstration Costs</u>		
Stationery	1029	1521
Post & Telephone	1254	1205
Travel & Sundries	3108	5862
Petty Cash	1341	1517
	6732	10105
	23680	29736
 Excess of Payments over Receipts	 6381	 4058

**Summary of Receipts and Payments**

Balance as at 1st January 2018	67627
	6381
	74008
 Represented by:	
Bank Current A/c	23829
Bank Instant Access A/c	50179
	74008