

Charity No: 1083090

**HIGHER DIMENSION GOSPEL CENTRE
REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

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Legal and administrative information

Trustees	Pastor Fidelis Akinbogun Pastor (Mrs) Felicia Akinbogun Elder Kayode Johnson
Charity offices	220 Blackhorse Lane London E17 6AD
Independent Examiner	Lance Kadiri 333 Edgware road London NW9 6TD
Bankers	HSBC 28 Borough High Road London SE1 1YB

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Trustees' Report for the year ended 31 March 2024

The trustees present their report along with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2024. 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.

Pastor Fidelis Akinbogun
Pastor (Mrs) Felicia Akinbogun
Elder Kayode Johnson

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 Memorandum and Articles of Association, 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.

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Report of the trustees for the year ended 31 March 2024

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 1993. 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 on January 2025 and signed on their behalf.

F Akinbogun
Trustee

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Report of the Independent Examiner to the Trustees of HIGHER DIMENSION GOSPEL CENTRE On accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024

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 43(2) of the Charities Act 1983 (the Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- (viii) Examine the accounts (under section 43(3) (a) of the Act);
- (ix) To follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners (under section 43(7) (b) of the Act; and
- (x) 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 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 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, I do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

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

- (i) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in my material respect the requirements:
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 41 of the 1993 Act and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 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
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January 2025

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Statements of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 March 2024

	Restricted Fund 2024 £	Unrestricted Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2023 £
<u>Incoming Resources</u>				
Tithes and offering	-	28,337	28,337	30,238
Gift aid	-	-	-	-
Bank interest	-	-	-	-
Total Incoming resources	-	28,337	28,337	30,238
<u>Resources Expanded</u>				
Rent and rates	-	10,762	10,762	4,614
Wages and salary	-	-	-	16,500
Ministers allowance	-	-	-	-
Light and heat	-	-	-	-
Repairs and maintenance	-	-	-	-
Telephone and fax	-	1,692	1,692	776
Travel and subsistence	-	228	228	1,102
Printing and stationery	-	-	-	-
Accountancy	-	-	-	-
Legal and professional	-	-	-	-
Sundry expenses	-	648	648	577
Depreciation	-	-	-	6,832
Total resources expanded	-	13,330	13,330	30,401
Surplus for the year	-	15,007	15,007	(-163)

There were no recognized gains or losses for 2023 and 2024 other than those included in the Statements of Financial Activities.

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Balance Sheet As at 31 March 2024

	Note	£	2024	£	£	2023	£
Fixed Assets							
Tangible Assets	2			36,508			36,508
Current assets							
Debtors	3	34,579			34,579		
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>116,407</u>			<u>116,407</u>		
		155,252			150,986		
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	4	<u>(663)</u>			<u>(663)</u>		
Net current assets				154,589			150,323
Total assets less current liabilities				<u>191,097</u>			<u>186,831</u>
Funds							
Unrestricted funds	5			186,831			186,994
Surplus				<u>14,497</u>			<u>(163)</u>
Accumulated unrestricted funds				<u>201,328</u>			<u>186,831</u>

Approved by the trustees on January 2025 and signed on their behalf.

F A Akinbogun
Trustee

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Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024

1. Accounting policies

1.1 Basis of preparation of accounts

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014 (as updated through Update Bulletin 1 published on 2 February 2016), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102), the Charities Act 2011, the Companies Act 2006 and UK Generally Accepted Practice as it applies from 1 January 2015.

The particular accounting policies adopted are set out below.

1.2 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
Building works	5% straight line

1.3 Income

Voluntary income and donations are accounted for as received by the charity. The income from fundraising ventures is shown gross, with the associated costs included in fundraising costs. No permanent endowments have been received in the period.

1.4 Value added tax

Value added tax is not recoverable by the charity, and as such is included in the relevant costs in the Statement of Financial Activities.

1.5 Fundraising costs

Fundraising expenditure comprises costs incurred in inducing people and organizations to contribute financially to the charity's work. This includes the cost of advertising for donations and the staging of special fundraising events.

1.6 Management and administration expenditure

Expenditure on management and administration of the charity includes all expenditure not directly related to the charitable activity of fundraising ventures. This includes costs of renting and running office premises, staff salaries for administrative staff and audit fees.

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Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024

2.	Tangible fixed assets for use by the Charity	Furniture& fittings £	Equipment £	Building Works £	Total £
	Cost				
	1 April 2023	10,654	27,958	129,410	168,022
	Additions	-	-	-	-
	31 March 2024	10,654	27,958	129,410	168,022
	Depreciation				
	1 April 2023	10,278	26,529	87,875	124,682
	Charge for the year	75	286	6,471	6,832
	31 March 2024	10,353	26,815	94,346	131,514
	Net book value				
	31 March 2023	301	1,143	35,064	36,508
	31 March 2024	376	1,429	41,535	43,340
3.	Debtors			2024	2023
				£	£
	Other debtors			34,579	34,579
				34,579	34,579
4.	Creditors: Amounts falling due with one year			2024	2023
				£	£
	Other creditors			663	633
				663	633
	Unrestricted funds			2024	2023
				£	£
5.	1 April 2023			186,831	186,994
	Surplus			14,497	(163)
	At 31 March 2024			201,328	186,831