

POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

England & Wales · Charity number 1111510

Details

Other names	WOW MINISTRIES (INTERNATIONAL) FULL GOSPEL WORSHIP CENTRE
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	2005-09-29
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

Contact

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Activities

Objects: THE ADVANCEMENT OF CHRISTIANITY

Activities: WE OFFER THE RELIEF OF POVERTY, SUFFERING AND DISTRESS OF MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN ACROSS THE WORLD THROUGH THE PROVISION OF ADVICE, COUNSELLING AND OTHER SUPPORT SERVICES. THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORSHIP CENTRE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF CHRISTIANITY TO FACILITATE THE PROVISION OF THESE SERVICES.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Religious Activities
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- India
- Kenya
- Essex
- Kent
- Lambeth
- Lewisham
- Luton
- Merton
- Newham
- Wandsworth

Finances

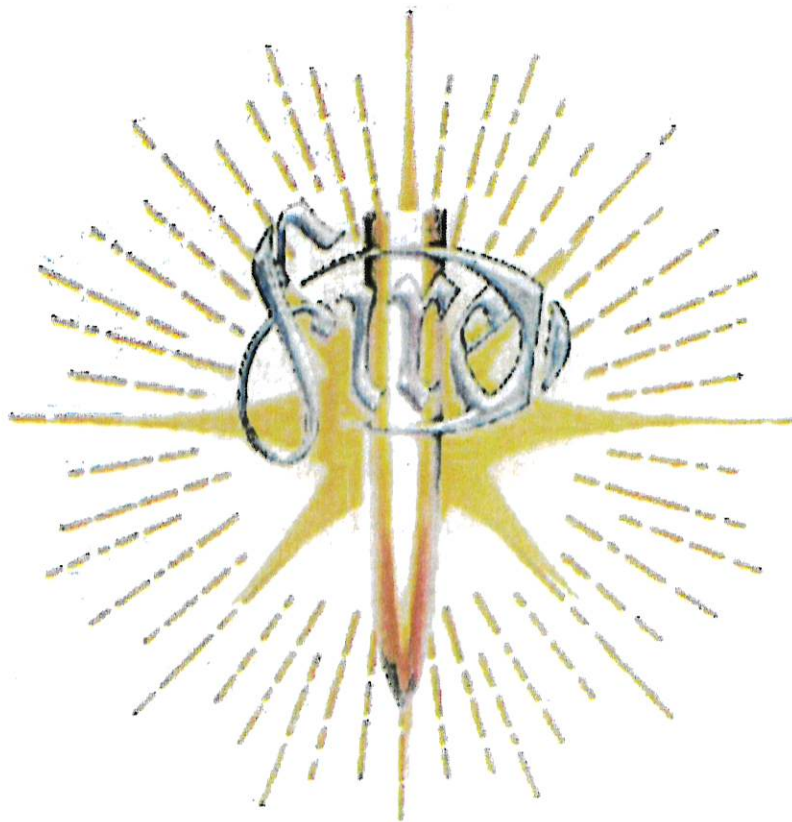
Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-05-31	£139,642	£87,410	-	-
2024-05-31	£107,474	£65,360	-	-
2023-05-31	£192,518	£85,104	-	-
2022-05-31	£71,198	£72,387	-	-
2021-05-31	£72,788	£75,023	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
RT REV DR DONNETT MAUREEN THOMAS CERT TH DI	Chair	
ELDER BERYL EUGENE WALCOTT		2023-11-11
ELDER COLIN THOMAS		
REV HELEN SMITH		
Rev PAMELA DICKENSON		2024-10-05
Rhianna Davis		2021-11-06

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ANNUAL REPORT 2024/25



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Vision

Power of the Living Word Ministries International will concentrate and develop such a profound sharpness of intellect and anointing is fundamentally geared to teaching God's principles and precepts, line by line. To establish a worldwide Apostolic network of five- fold Ministers to support, encourage, build-up and mature the Body of Christ To teach all generations Kingdom of God principles to set free, loose, reclaim, restore and penetrate the kingdom of darkness bringing hope and salvation through the Lord Jesus Christ. To examine current traditional attitudes and rites against Biblical standards To develop a base of love and welcome to all abilities, race and knowledge

Objectives

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

- Sunday Bible School (SBS)
- Hour in the Word – adults
- Vacation Bible School (VBS)
- Discipleship in Action – teaching week away (DIA)
- Women's and Men's meetings
- Ecumenical activities
- Six Strategy Groups
- Hosting International Pastors.
- International work

Arms of Power of the Living Word Ministries International

- True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN)
- Institute for Life (IFL)

Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

- Spearhead Group
- Supporting families and young people
- International support
- Mission Homes UK and Mombasa, Kenya
- Vulnerable Adults, Child Protection and Privacy Policies

Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services

- Financial planning and advice'
- Creative Arts
- Donations worldwide

Chairman's Report

This has been a difficult year without our own base in London, but we have continued with the work God has called us to do nationally and internationally. A new opportunity to minister in Tanzania opened to us in October 2024 and we are grateful for the support of Bishop Kissi of Global Vision for Mission Church for their kind hospitality.

Our teaching programme has borne fruit in the lives of those earnest in their studies to serve with greater knowledge and experience. Teachers have supported the Apostle in teaching and gained much experience to enhance their studies and application for future teachings.

We have engaged Ecumenically with Churches Together in South London, the Ixthus Church Council, Churches Together in Clapham and the Church of England.

A large part of the year was given to the work required to purchase an old Chapel in West Norwood as our Headquarters in London. Despite all our efforts, we were gazzumped at the last minute and lost out after much dedicated work and prayer. We continue to look for our base in London.

On 8th March 2025 Apostle Donnett launched a six point strategy for the way forward for the Ministry. This was to empower members to use their gifts, talents and anointings together to realise what God now wants for the Ministry. Members were asked to select which strategy group(s) they wanted to be part of and to make a 100% commitment to that group. Early signs are that new ideas and work have been brought to the Leadership and we pray each Strategy group will continue to hear from God for their respective areas.

We do thank our Apostle Donnett for her continued leadership and the opportunities given to expand our service, teaching and commitment to what God has called each of us to do in His Name. We have continued to meet our Charity objectives both in the Advancement of Christianity and giving relief and support to those in need.

It has been a good year in difficult circumstances and we will continue to serve God to the best of all our ability.

Rev Pastor Helen Smith



Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

THE INSTITUTE FOR LIFE

The Institute For Life is an essential arm of Power of The Living Word Ministries. It was my introduction to the Ministry many years ago as my first involvement with this Ministry was as a student of the IFL.

This year the courses were:

Homiletics - teaching on the preparation and presentation of sermons/preaching.

Parables - understanding the truths within Jesus' parables.

Visionary Leaders - teaching the essential need for vision by leaders and how to identify and develop vision.

Each of the courses has taken us to much greater depths of knowledge and understanding.

I have not stopped attending IFL for the last 15 years, and have truly been impacted by the teaching I have received, some of which I have done twice over such as Homiletics and Visionary Leaders. I must add that I have benefited even greater the second time round because I am not where I was the last time I received the teaching.

As with anything in life, things do change. However, the flexibility of my Apostle is that despite the fact I now live far away, she has permitted my wife and I to remain students of IFL via Zoom. This has been a real blessing to us because of where we are right now in our lives with the children and the distance. Whilst, nothing is better than physical presence at teaching, we have received so much via Zoom and do our best to actively participate in classes.

IFL is a true sharpener of theology and intellect, and I can hand on heart say that I find the level of teaching here higher than the theological College I am currently attending.

IFL is truly fulfilling its unique goal of training and equipping its students with sound Biblical teachings, in preparation and furtherance of our ministries in the Kingdom.

Rev Chidi Umezurike

Testimony

IFL has helped me to go deeper with my understanding of theology. The teaching on homiletics has not only showed me that I can be studious when I put my mind to it but it has shown me how to improve my exhortation's as well as preaching the word of God. Homiletics teaching has developed in me a better ability to unfold God's truth.

The teachings of Jesus' parables are very commonly read by people but yet to many people it is a story. I have learnt that Jesus wants His followers to keep serving.

I am grateful that I have been able to graduate regardless of my circumstances. It has shown my ability that there is more in me that I can imagine. Having the support of others i have pushed through even while learning on zoom.

Thank you to Apostle and the support of the teachers in the class. I appreciate every input you have shared and continue to do so.

Mrs Tessa Umezurike

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

Discipleship in Action (DIA) - 19 August – 23rd August 2024

Christian Conference Trust, Highgate House, Grooms Lane, Creaton, Northamptonshire.

The theme was 'Preparation for Mission' from the Scripture 'Freely you have received, Freely give Matt 10 v 7/8. Teachings focused on:

What is Mission – Apostle Donnett

Raising Leaders for Mission – Apostle Donnett

Workshop of practical experiences on Mission – Prophetess Alison

Freely you have, freely give

Rev Pastor Pamela

Challenges for service

Rev Pastor Pamela

Practical aspects of Mission abroad

Rev Pastor Chidi

What is your response

Rev Pastor Pamela

It was heartening to see four Ministers in Training set apart for higher service.



Apostle Donnett



Pastor Pamela



Pastor Chidi



Ministers in Training



Relaxing at a tea break



ECUMENICAL ACTIVITIES

We are committed to supporting activities ecumenically as follows:-

Churches Together in South London – Apostle Donnett and Rev Alison attended the Senior Church Leaders meeting on 23rd January 2025 and Rev Alison and Rev Helen were part of the CoLab for Youths meetings on 16th October 2024 and 30 April 2025.



We joined Ixthus Christian Church for their New year Eve's Service, a most inspiring and uplifting occasion.

We are members of Churches Together in Clapham (CTiC) and attended the induction service for the Methodist Superintendent on 7th September 2024.

During our abortive Chapel purchase we liaised with the Area Dean of Lambeth who gave us much helpful information.

Four members supported the Graham 'God Loves you tour' at the Excel .London.

We also attended the Womens World Day of Prayer on 7th March 2025 at Clapham Methodist Church .

Very Rev Alison Trethewy

TRUSTEES

Webinar/ InPerson Events October – December 2024 Opportunities for Trustees

Charity commission organized training for Trustees in October – December 2024.

This training provided guidance on legal requirements and good practice in Charities and how to apply this practically. Our Trustees attended as follows:

Pastor Helen Smith, Elder Beryl Walcott, Sis Fay Bucknell

1. Social Media – Guidance
2. Protecting your Charity against fraud
3. Understanding Charity structures

Rev Helen Smith

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

Wednesday evening teaching

These teachings are open to all people whether part of the Ministry, other Ministries and people with an interest in the Word of God.

This year the following subjects have been covered:

Regeneration

Managing Conflict

Doctrine of God

I had the privilege to be both teacher and pupil for the duration.

To study and teach 'Regeneration' develops my further understanding of the subject to be able to teach others the importance of change, rebirth as a believer. And this is only possible by the power of the Holy Spirit in our lives. When God created man and woman, we were created to embody the Spirit of God. God predestined that fallen beings would be regenerated. This is exciting news for all hearers. The teaching encouraged Bible interaction, open discussions of questions and answers.

As the teacher, having my Teacher, Apostle Donnett in class was a plus. Her interjections and contributions were so helpful to me and to all in attendance. I grow so much from her wisdom and knowledge of the word.

Apostle Donnett taught Managing Conflict which was requested by a member of the congregation. What astounded us all in attendance was our tutor's first statement 'There will always be conflict. That's why we need to know how to manage conflict'.

Every believer needs to sit under this teaching. We are all different. We all have different experiences. What we hear, even what we perceive. But God knows our hearts, our motives, our triggers.

This is my second sitting under this subject and the teaching was relevant, punchy and made me again, address my response to criticism, my listening, forgetting the history I have had with a person when new issues arise.

The class was engaging. With all responding and sharing. Moments of disagreements, moments of laughter, and moments of deep contemplation as each of us listened intently to the Apostle.

Apostle Donnett was the tutor for the study 'Doctrine of God'. I quote 'we cannot serve a God that we do not know. And we cannot know God and fail to serve Him'.

The most important thing we can do as human beings is to know God and understand God, to do His will. As an Apostolic ministry doctrinal knowledge is essential. As part of our objectives, Doctrine of God is essential to develop Christian character and a safeguard against error. Apostle Donnett is a witness of God's truth and especially 'accuracy' of teaching and preaching God's word.

The ministry is in a time of refresher. All the Doctrine's will be covered to all members and especially for new people to the ministry.

This is very much a Bible based class, but the content was rich. For example, we learnt about attributes of God that God does not share or communicate and the attributes He does share. These are areas of study you would not find on a pulpit.

I have sat under the Doctrines on many occasions but I can assure you every time I learn more and more.

Rev Pastor Pamela Dickenson

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

THE PURSUIT OF KNOWLEDGE IS A FOUNDATIONAL PRINCIPLE IN THIS MINISTRY.

Apostle Donnett Thomas completed her studies and graduated as a Bachelor of Ministry with Honours from the Trinity Theological Bible Seminary. Five of us accompanied her to the Graduation ceremony in Indiana.



We also held our Graduation ceremony of the Institute for life on 5th October 2024. This was an exciting event as we welcomed Pastor Immanuel David from Chennai who studied with us on zoom. He attended with his father from Chennai and brother and family from Preston. The worship was led by members of Israel David's Church, so we were able to bring a little of India to Croydon. Graduates were presented with Certificates in Theology and Ministry.



Principal, teachers and Graduates



Our Indian family and friends

Leadership Training

Apostle Donnett taught the leadership:

Power and Influence in Leadership – 28th December 2024

Transformation – 12th February 2025

Strategic Leadership - 31st May 2025

Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

The Mission Home in London continues to be an asset in the Ministry.

On 27th July 2024, we held an International Day in the garden, welcoming the community to be with us. We invited Croydon Sickle Cell & Thalassemia Support Group to come and speak about their work. We learned that many symptoms often go unnoticed by those around sufferers and how sufferers cope on a daily basis.. We raised on the day £108 and when they came to our service to thank us for the donation, we gave a further £50 for the great work they are doing.



Pastor Helen also hosted Pastor Immanuel David from Chennai, India, when he came to London for his Institute for Life Graduation ceremony.

The Mission Home in Mombasa hosted Bishop Kissi from Tanzania, Evangelist George from Nairobi and Bishop Paul from Kitui, Kenya. All were able to spend time with the Apostle for rest, personal reflection, personal counselling and support and to receive spiritual wisdom for their respective Ministries and Churches.



Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services.

DONATIONS WORLDWIDE

We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

Kenya

Supported Apostle Chris of Christ Visitation Centre with the costs of travel to Tanzania for several members of his party.

Helped Rev George and his wife Joanna travel home from Tanzania.

Gave a donation to Rev G Ngalo for helping us with the Kenya Revenue Authority processes. He is the Secretary to the Power of the Living Word Ministries International Registered Society Committee in Kenya.

Gave a donation to Elder Baya demanded by a corrupt policeman in Mombasa.

Paid school fees for a young girl, Priscar Zidi in Jomvu Church so she could continue her studies at Kwale Girls High School.



Apostle Chris in Tanzania
with his interpreter from CVC



Rev George & Joanna
with Apostle Donnett in
Tanzania



Priscar Zidi
Jomvu Branch

UK

Mission Home running expenses.

Supported a Pastor with costs towards his Mum's funeral in Nigeria.

India

Supported Pastor Immanuel with finance to help support his family at a difficult time.

Tanzania

Provided financial help for Bishop Kissi to send his four children to school.



Bishop Kissi with Apostle Donnett

Thank you so much for your
generous support and love. God
richly bless you always.

Pastor Immanuel, Chennai, India

Testimonies

The God Loves You Tour was simply an amazing experience for me. I had no idea the size of the event until I arrived. Thousands of people were making their way to the auditorium from the station. We were met with joyful friendly volunteers who gave us wristbands before lining up to enter the venue.

As we walked in we were amazed at the size of the place. We found some good seats. The event opened with screen presentations and lights, and CeCe Winans came onto the stage and belted out her song. The cheers and mass worship was an awesome experience, thousands of like-minded people worshipping God.

The message was preached by Franklin Graham, the simple wonderful powerful message of the gospel, and thousands of young people responded to the altar call, volunteers were on hand to pray for people and counsel those who needed it! And they gave out free Bibles.

I will be looking out for more events like this, as it is always nice to worship with so many believers in one accord.

Nakessa Simpson

I attended the Ixthus Conference with my Apostle and Very Reverend Alison among other members this year. We were met by a wonderful welcoming team who made sure we were comfortable. The service started with a worship team who led us into the presence of God with energetic praise and worship. It was my first conference with the Ixthus Church Council. It was a very inspiring event with words from the Lord that were so encouraging and impactful for the Kingdom of God. We were with other Bishops and clergy from other churches. It was so powerful to see our Apostle and Prophetess being used by God in the service to bring God's word to His people.

We spent the day there where we were fed a delicious lunch by the Deacons and other volunteers.

The service continued and we were further blessed by the Arch-Bishop Evangelou with a word of encouragement prophesying that indeed 'The dry bones shall live!'

Nakessa Simpson

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Accounts for Year to 31 May 2025

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Year to 31 May 2025

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POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

Balance Sheet As at 31 May 2025

	2025	2024
	£	£
Fixed Assets		
Nu Start Project	4,500	4,500
Current Assets		
Cash at bank	36,767	38,188
Cash in hand	-	-
Education Fund	27,656	29,920
Building Deposit/Fund etc	173,407	117,569
	237,830	185,678
	242,330	190,178
Capital And Reserves		
Accumulated Funds		
Brought forward	190,178	148,063
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	43,590	42,115
	233,768	190,178

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----- Chairperson

----- Secretary & Treasurer

----- Committee Member

Date

POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 May 2025

	2025		2024	
	£	£	£	£
Donations		58,879.73		65,274
Gross Interest Received		1,899.44		1,169
Education Fund		470.00		2,800
Building Fund Contributions		35,376.84		11,016
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		34,373.80		27,214
		130,999.81		107,475
Discipleship in Action (DIA)	5,485.00		6,556	
Salaries/Wages	12,600.00		12,880	
Donations and Special Events	4,218.30		3,266	
Hire of Halls	2,650.00		2,703	
Building Fund- Legal expenses	19,641.43		-	
Insurance/Subscription/Licence	986.93		475	
Telephone and Internet	1,561.46		1,908	
Rent, Rates and Light and Heat	20,098.44		19,366	
Administration/Postage/Repair	2,350.48		54	
Miscellaneous	1,480.22		130	
Accountancy	1,200.00		2,400	
Africa - Rent, Requisites, Salaries	15,137.49		15,622	
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		87,409.75		65,360
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	£	2025	£	£	2024	£
<u>RECEIPTS:</u>						
General Donations			46,495.69		47,181.98	
Building Fund Donation			35,376.84		-	
Gross Interest Received			1,899.44		1,169.42	
Gift Aid Tax Rebate			34,373.80		27,213.75	
Conferences						
Discipleship in Action (DIA)	3,608.44			6,441.00		
Special Events						
Anniversary Dinner				745.00		
Vacation Bible school				20.00		
Women Conference				-		
			3,608.44		7,206.00	
Donations for						
Premier House	420.00			530.00		
Hire of Halls				4,830.00		
Education Fund	120.00			2,800.44		
Mission/Kenya	4,366.60			5,526.48		
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Africa - Rent,Requisites,Salaries Etc	15,137.49			15,622.00		
India - Mission trip	-					
			87,409.75			65,360.05
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year			43,590.06			42,114.50

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POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

Registered office
Premier House
325 Streatham High Road
London
SW16 3NT

Registered Charity Number 1111510

Vision

Power of the Living Word Ministries International will concentrate and develop such a profound sharpness of intellect and anointing is fundamentally geared to teaching God's principles and precepts, line by line.

To establish a worldwide Apostolic network of five- fold Ministers to support, encourage, build-up and mature the Body of Christ.

To teach all generations Kingdom of God principles to set free, loose, reclaim, restore and penetrate the kingdom of darkness bringing hope and salvation through the Lord Jesus Christ.

To examine current traditional attitudes and rites against Biblical standards.

To develop a base of love and welcome to all abilities, race and knowledge.

Objectives

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

- Sunday Bible School (SBS)
- Young Endeavour Ministry
- Hour in the Word – adults
- Vacation Bible School (VBS)
- Discipleship in Action – teaching week away (DIA)
- Ecumenical activities
- International Pastors Prayers

Arms of Power of the Living Word Ministries International

- True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN)
- Institute for Life (IFL)

Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

- Spearhead Group (dealing with areas of abuse, domestic violence, emotional problems)
- Precious Years 50+ Luncheon Club
- Supporting families and young people
- International support
- Mission Homes UK and Mombasa, Kenya
- Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults and Child Protection and Privacy Policies

Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services

- Financial planning and advice'
- Creative Arts
- Donations worldwide

Chairman's Report

This year the Vision and Charity Objectives have been developed in new ways and have been overarched in prayer. I gratefully acknowledge the support of everyone who has contributed to the activities of the Ministry Worldwide.

In our Ministry we find ourselves in a challenging time and have had to adjust to changes especially in finding a place to Worship. We are in a temporary place of worship in Balham and thank God that this blessing is enabling us to continue our work. We are looking for a new place with much prayer and are boosting our building fund towards a deposit. We continue to support one another and to meet in homes for prayer, teaching, Home Groups and in our Mission Homes.

We have seen lives changed and the Ministry is continuing to hear from God and is pulling together in the work of the Lord. We have celebrated marriages, births and moving into new homes. We have travelled overseas with the Gospel and seen growth and powerful testimonies to the power of God with healings and faithful lives changed. We thank God for the faithful leaders worldwide who we pray for and who support us in the Vision.

This year our Apostle consecrated Apostle Christopher Odhiambo of Christ Visitation Centre, Magongo, Mombasa and ordained 10 of his leadership. This is a great move of the five-fold Ministry and we will continue to support him and his Church.

We thank those who contributed and worked diligently though this difficult period. God continues to move in power and by His grace we will continue to pray and see a future of hope and joy in Him. Please see our Ministry www.powerlivingword.org

Rev Pastor Helen Smith



Trustee Board

Sis Fay Bucknall (Secretary), Elder Beryl Walcott, Elder Colin Thomas (Managing Trustee)

Rev Pastor Helen Smith (Chairman)

Sis Rhianna Dickenson (Managing Trustee) Rev Pastor Chidi Umezurike

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

Institute For Life (IFL)

The Institute for Life is the teaching Arm of the Ministry, founded to equip and perfect Ministers, Christian leaders and lay workers for the work of the Ministry in the Body of Christ for the Kingdom of God. To develop, enhance Christian education to higher levels to fulfil every calling/position within the Kingdom of God. To see the justification of investment in training for promotion in God. Recognising that Christians of all ages must never stop learning because as spiritual beings, new heights of experience are achieved through continuous learning.

This year the teaching has been on 1st Corinthians, Biblical Hermeneutics and we have started Homiletics. 1st Corinthians taught us how a defiled, divided and disgraced Church can hinder the progress of the Gospel. Biblical Hermeneutics is the science and art of interpreting the Bible. Homiletics is the Art of preaching. All valuable learning for Ministers of today.

There has been an increase in those attending the Institute and it has been good to see them apply the teaching in their lives. This year I have had the privilege of standing in for our Apostle while she has been away as a Tutor. I have appreciated the opportunity and the responsibility given, with the Apostle listening on zoom. This is how we are trained in the things of God, opportunity plus support and guidance to be the best we can be. I thank the Apostle for her continued support and guidance.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Biblical Hermeneutics Teaching

I have attended the Institute For Life since last September. I enrolled on 2 courses; the first was Biblical Hermeneutics (September 2023 to February 2024). This course has given me a greater understanding of the Bible, and how to interpret it.

I have been a Christian for over 30 years. I have also been in church for the same length of time. I am surprised this was my first time of hearing about Biblical Hermeneutics. I would have thought this would be taught in Churches and Ministries (standard).

The teachings I have received at POLWMI have made me realise just how Biblically and theologically illiterate I was, even though I was studying the Bible, attending Bible study/Church. In fact, I thought I understood the Bible. How wrong was I? (I didn't understand it to the depth required to live an effective Christian life - a life that reflects our Lord and Saviour Jesus).

Studying Biblical Hermeneutics has made me realise that a greater depth of understanding and skill are required to understand the Bible - hence spirit-filled Pastors, Teachers, Ministers (Church / Ministry) are a mandatory requirement for the body of Christ to be effectively equipped, and God's purpose here on Earth to be fulfilled.

I have grown a lot, especially in terms of my understanding of the things of God, what's required of me, and how I should live (an effective life for Christ - discipleship).

I really thank God for POLWMI, for their diligence in teaching and equipping the body of Christ, for proclaiming the full Gospel, and for continuing to uphold the standard of Christ.

Sis Vicky Bosede



Zoom students



Class students

Minister in Training

The confidence I have in God to be effective in who He has called me to be, continues to grow, and I am amazed to see His work in me and those around me. Being a Minister in training has shown me there is no limit to where God can take me in Ministry. In this Ministry we are afforded many different opportunities to participate in Ministry. From receiving teaching to being able to put it into practice by exhorting, preaching, teaching and leading Ministry prayers. Being involved in Ministry aids my understanding of how varied the work of Ministry is and how truly enriching it is to see not only others but myself also grow. I have an excitement and great anticipation of what God is going to do next in my life. I have learnt a lot about what He has already placed within me to do. I have benefitted from my own experiences but also hearing the experiences of others. This Ministry has created an environment in which I can learn and there is support, care and nurturing to help me on my way. Being taught there is not just one way of being a Minister, I have been empowered and I can pass that on to the next generation of believers.

Sis Rhianna Dickenson

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

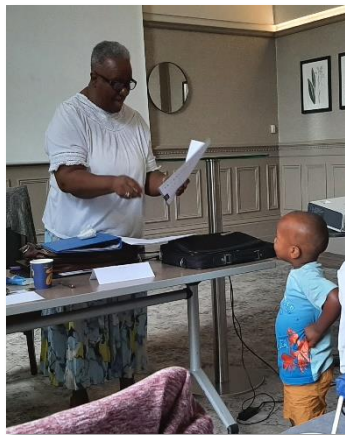
DISCIPLESHIP IN ACTION 2023

De Vere Beaumont Estate, Burfield Road, Old Windsor, SL4 2JJ

Discipleship is an important aspect of the work of the Ministry. Discipling is the process of equipping, training and encouraging someone in their apprenticeship to Jesus. It means journeying with and helping another to grow in knowledge as well as in the virtues and character of Christ. Going away together for a week focuses disciples on their calling and encourages them to put their teaching into practise. As an holistic Ministry we include many aspects of service and broadening of knowledge to work in a society that has all but rejected the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



Apostle teaching



'Apostle what are you teaching?'



Pastor Pamela teaching



Women's Meeting outside



A small party visited Windsor Castle to see the places where so much of our recent history in the UK has taken place. It was interesting to see where Queen Elizabeth II is buried and to hear about the significance of this Castle throughout the Centuries.

Discipleship enables competent Leadership to carry on the work of the Church. This is our aim in the Kingdom of God.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

Vision Growth

Kenya was very impactful and a vital part of God's unfolding vision. After 20 years of the Ministry working in Kenya, God was now revealing a deeper part of His vision for Apostle Dr Donnett Thomas.

Going to Kenya caused me to reminisce on past amazing events, like in Houston, Texas in 2003 when Rev Donnett became Apostle Donnett. The late Deaconess Lombe reminded us, we were the seal of Rev Donnett's Apostleship (1 Corinthians 9 v 2) and this would change our lives in a moment.

Being her seal motivated us to attend her Consecration as an Apostle. We demonstrated to the USA brethren, we were wholeheartedly behind our leader, with great enthusiasm and zeal for God's work and His plans for us all. We worked together and encouraged each other to make this trip possible.

Lone parents were encouraged and supported to make the trip and at least 4 mothers and their children went, regardless of the cost. God made a way as Houston was expensive, we stayed in the Marriott Hotel. Who would have known then what God had in store for the life and Ministry of our Apostle? It was a privilege and joy to witness a moment in the history of Apostle's spiritual journey.

Fast forward 21 years and here I am again having the privilege of embarking on another missionary journey with our Apostle to witness God expanding His vision by taking it to a greater height and honouring the faithful obedience of His servant.

In May 2024, Apostle Donnett ordained 10 Ministers, including 4 Pastors, 4 Deacons, 1 Evangelist and 1 Elder, at Christ Visitation Centre, Magongo, Mombasa. It was an amazing day as we welcomed more labourers into His vineyard. There was such joy and jubilation throughout the well organised and impactful service as we gave thanks to God for His selection of these servants.

After the ordination on the Sunday, we had lunch with the Apostle-Elect Chris and his new leadership team. It was insightful to hear their thoughts on the service and their new responsibilities. Advice was given to help them to navigate their new paths which they appreciated.

On 18th May, Apostle Donnett consecrated Apostle-Elect Chris Odhiambo of Christ Visitation Centre in a powerful ceremony attended by Bishops, Pastors and others from many places in Africa. His leadership team worked hard and everything came together as evidence of their hard work. God provided all they needed, it was a joy to see a dedicated team depend on God to see them through. Faith like a mustard seed can produce great things.

Here was another opportunity on this Missionary journey for love to be expressed, knowledge to be gained, honesty to be revealed and hearts to be touched by God. It was so overwhelming in so many ways both personally and corporately and many tears of joy were shed.

I have seen God over the years watch attentively and caringly over both His servant and His Vision, which He has brought to pass in His own good time. This trip has sparked an intrigue in

me, to watch even closer, be focussed, listen more intently and to obey more faithfully to see what God will do with my life, as He unfolds what He has for me.

God has honoured His Apostle throughout the 21 years and provided for His Vision. To be able to see our Apostle Donnett consecrate in a new generation, Apostle Chris Odhiambo, showed me how faithful God is to those who are committed to His work and service. God has progressed His Vision and the work of this Ministry.

During this trip 'I have seen again and again, just how amazing Our God is !!'

Rev Patricia Francis



July 2003



May 2024



Apostle Donnett &
Apostle Chris



Apostle Chris and his Leadership Team

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

Reflections on My Journey to Kenya as a Sponsored Young Minister

As a young minister, the opportunity to travel to Kenya under sponsorship of “Power of the Living Word Ministries Intl” has been a profound and transformative experience.

In this report, I aim to provide insights into my journey, highlighting the significance of being sponsored and the impact of my visit to Kenya on both a personal and professional level.

The invitation to embark on this journey to Kenya came as a humbling surprise. The Trustees' decision to select me for this opportunity filled me with gratitude and a sense of responsibility to represent our Ministry faithfully. The process of being asked ignited within me a deep sense of purpose and a desire to serve beyond borders.

The support extended by my Apostle in sponsoring this trip was instrumental in making it a reality. From logistical arrangements to financial assistance, the sponsorship facilitated seamless planning and execution. It reaffirmed the commitment of Power of the Living Word Ministries to empower young Ministers and foster cross-cultural exchanges for the greater good.

My time in Kenya was nothing short of transformative. Immersed in a vibrant tapestry of cultures, traditions, and faith practices, I was enriched by the warmth and hospitality of the Kenyan people. Engaging with local communities, sharing in their joys and challenges, deepened my understanding of global Ministry and broadened my perspective on the universal values of compassion and solidarity.

The impact of my visit to Kenya resonates profoundly within me. It has enriched my Ministry with newfound insights, strengthened my resolve to advocate for global justice, and deepened my commitment to collaborative, cross-cultural partnerships. The experience has also left an indelible mark on my Ministry, inspiring me to expand our outreach efforts and embrace diversity as a cornerstone of our mission in India.

In conclusion, my journey to Kenya as a sponsored young Minister has been a transformative chapter in my personal and professional growth. I am deeply grateful to my Apostle and the Trustees for their trust and support, and to our Power of the Living Word Ministries Intl for championing opportunities for impactful cross-cultural engagement. I pray that this report serves as a testament to the power of sponsorship in nurturing future leaders and fostering global solidarity.

Pastor Immanuel David
Thundalam Evangelical Church
Chennai. India



Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

The Menopause

In the Ministry I was asked to teach on the menopause, to raise awareness and give knowledge about this important change in a woman's life. This awareness prepares women to be equipped to manage symptoms and reduce risk of long-term health problems. It is also about getting the right help, at the time, from the right people and making use of the best available resources.

This also helped the men in the Ministry, husbands need to know, fathers, and other family members. By raising awareness, some women have gone back to their workplaces, made enquiries as to what is available, and are now benefitting.

It is hoped the Ministry will be a source/resource for helping others to be equipped in their own lives, in the lives of their families, and in their communities. This equipping and educating will continue through the Women's Ministry and True Redemption Apostolic Network.



Elder Beryl Walcott

Volunteering at the Royal Trinity Hospice, 30 Clapham Common North side

This Ministry offers opportunity to all its members, I am truly grateful to our Senior Pastor, Rt Rev, Apostle, Dr. Donnett Thomas, Honorary Ecumenical Canon, Southwark Cathedral.

For two years I have been volunteering as a member of the Spiritual Care / Chaplaincy team, it is a privilege. There was a very thorough selection process, followed by two months of training. I would also add that the training I received in the Ministry also contributed greatly.

Spiritual Care is a key part of holistic Hospice Care given. The Team, which is led by the Spiritual Lead / Chaplain, gives support, care, and comfort needed at this time. This is also given to the family and friends of the patients, and also to the Staff and Care Givers.

Members of the team are allocated each day of the week to visit with the patients and minister to them. This may be through prayer, reading of Scripture, or sometimes they just want you to sit with them. Some have requested Poetry Readings.

Some have requested planning their funerals, others have asked for advice about reconciliation and forgiveness. Whatever the need, it is always referred to the appropriate department. Some who have not been in fellowship for a while, request for their Pastor, Priest, Vicar or Spiritual Leader to visit them. This is usually arranged.

The Hospice also cares for those who have chosen to remain at home, and also for some in Nursing or Care Homes who are visited weekly or fortnightly, or contacted by telephone. Twice a year Memorial / Thanksgiving Services are held.

Spiritual Care Volunteers (and other volunteers) are very much members of staff. Training and updating is done on a monthly basis. It is necessary to complete some in house, non-clinical mandatory Policy, Procedures, and Guidelines yearly. I count it a privilege to be able to be able to represent the Ministry.

Elder Beryl Walcott

Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

International Activities

Our commitment to Mission has been great this year and we have seen growth both in individuals and in the Churches we support. We have been to Kenya on three occasions and each visit has been a profound experience, despite the non-arrival of Apostle's suitcase!! In June 2023 from our new Mission home in Mombasa we preached in Christ Visitation Centre, taught 'Ministerial Ethics to the Leadership (at the request of Apostle-Elect Chris the Senior Pastor), were blessed by their Women's Day service and ministered at their lunchtime meetings.

In October 2023, we invited Pastor Immanuel David from Chennai, India to join the Apostolic Team in Mombasa. He was a wonderful Ambassador as a student of the Institute for Life and excellent Pastor of Thundalam Evangelical Church. His wisdom and confidence to speak the Word of God was truly special to hear. We ministered in Berean Bible Church, Christ Visitation Centre and Jomvu Church, a Branch of Christ Visitation Centre.



Berean Bible Church



Christ Visitation Centre



Jomvu Church



Jomvu Church



Jomvu Church

True Redemption Apostolic Network in Mombasa was developed through a two day Conference in Christ Visitation Centre, with speakers from UK, India, and Kenya. Teaching and releasing the Word of God in power to those who wanted to know more.



Apostolic Team



Pastor Immanuel

In May 2024, we ministered at Open Gates of Praise & Salvation in Nairobi. We taught the leadership and Apostle Thomas presented Certificates in Ministry & Leadership and to others, in Women's Ministry, under the Institute for Life to students who had completed their studies. It was a wonderful occasion as some students had to wait over 12 years, through challenges within the Church and Leadership to complete their studies. They are to be commended for their perseverance, patience and diligence. This was a great occasion as we have worked with Rev George Ngalo the Senior Pastor for 15 years and congratulate him on this excellent achievement.



Rev George & Sis Joanna



Successful students with Apostle Thomas

In Mombasa we were blessed to visit Berean Bible Church with whom we have had a 20 year relationship with Rev Ibrahim Oyoti. We have seen his Church grow, from a school room to their own plot and Church. We have developed lasting relationships with his family and the Church, including ordaining Rev Oyoti and his Ministers, preaching and teaching the Word of God for sustained growth and faith lived out in their lives.



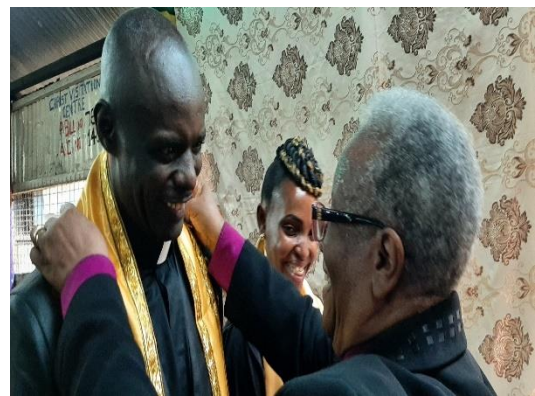
In May 2024 we saw the greatest growth with Apostle Donnett Thomas ordaining 10 Ministers in Christ Visitation Centre and then consecrating Apostle-Elect Christopher Odhiambo as an Apostle.



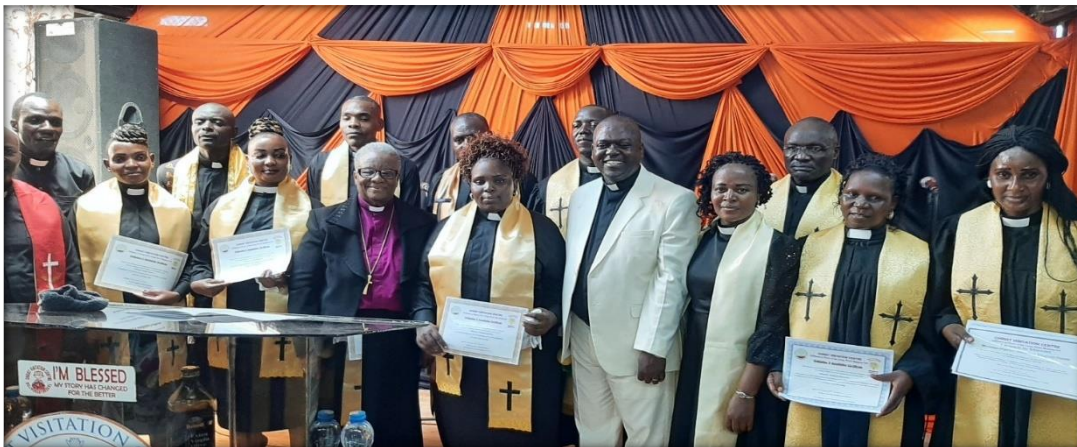
Pst Catherine Odhiambo & Elder Harrison Baya



Rev Chidi Umezurike



Apostle Thomas dressing Deacon Erick Otunga



Apostle Thomas, Apostle-Elect Chis Odhiambo with the Ordained Leadership

We continued to teach in their lunchtime meetings over two weeks and brought the anointing of the Five-Fold Ministry to Christ Visitation Centre.



This year there has been much fruit from the years of investment given to Churches in Mombasa and Nairobi. Over the years Pastors and their congregations have grown in the Word of God and in their service to God. It has been a great privilege to visit these Churches and bring the Word of God which has changed lives and empowered the people to great things in their lives.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services

Creative Day

This year we held a creative day in an outdoor space, in my garden which had the space to house several creative workshops at the same time. We had working in clay, printing using Lino cut, and mosaic design on boxes, plus a children's messy play area where children had the opportunity to explore papier mâché, and painting.

We had a very entertaining and informative demonstration in creative food presentations from Pastor Seymour. The day with an outdoor cinema and barbecue with our wonderful AV team on hand to help bring it all together. Creative day brought us all together for a day of laughter and fun and an opportunity to try something new or simply to be creative.

Thank you to all who attended.



Sis Nakessa Simpson



Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services

Donations Worldwide

We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

Kenya

Supported Christ Visitation Centre with the costs of the Consecration of Apostle-Elect Chris Odhiambo on 18th May 2024.

Gave a donation to Rev G Ngalo for helping us with the Kenya Revenue Authority processes. Provided an Ipad for Apostle-Elect Chris Odhiambo to help him with his preparation and teaching as the Senior Pastor of Christ Visitation Centre.

Helped towards the cost of eye surgery for Rev Odhiambo (Apostle-Elect Chris's father) while he was staying in Mombasa. This treatment would not have been possible at his home 'up country' where he lives. It was urgent as he was unable to see properly and needed help. Helped towards petrol costs for Mission work in Mombasa.



UK

Mission Home running expenses.

Supported a Pastor with petrol costs.

We held an afternoon tea party in support of Breast Cancer Care in the garden of a member. During the afternoon we received a talk from a Trainee Clinical Scientist in the field of Cancer diagnosis which helped us all understand more about the disease, what breakthroughs have been made and how we can help ourselves. A donation was sent to support this work.



In Conclusion

Even though the building where the Ministry worshipped has changed, this has not stopped the work of the Ministry which has continued both nationally and internationally. We have adapted and embraced the changes but are ready for when God says move – it is your time for a new place. The building may have changed but the Ministry is steadfast in its commitment to further His Word.

During this time, Trustees have carried out their duties and supported Leaders. They have reviewed and updated Ministry Policies including Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults and Child Protection, been fully involved in the discussion about a new building for Worship and given a new lease of life to the Ministry's website. [Home \(powerlivingword.org\)](http://Home(powerlivingword.org))

Objective 1 – Hour of the Word continues covering areas like the Gospel of Mark studying the Nature of Jesus and the importance of learning Doctrines (the truth of God through His Holy Bible) for direction and instruction of how we should live our lives.

Objective 2 – Apostle went on mission to Kenya to complete an important work of establishing an Apostle in Kenya. I was given the privilege of producing the Service Booklets for the consecration of Apostle-Elect Christopher Odhiambo as an Apostle. While typing the words that would be spoken by him/Apostle Donnett Thomas and the Ministers that were to be ordained, it filled me with a greater understanding of their important role in God's Kingdom and the 'high commitment to God's authority over their lives.'

Objective 3 – Financial advice and support given from the General Secretary (Very Rev Alison Trethewy) on 'Money Matters' is always invaluable, and the Ministry has been given the tools to take action to ensure they have healthy financial practices.

So as we look to the future.....

Significant change brings challenge but also develops perseverance. As we Walk in Faith towards the finish goal together, we are grateful and thankful for what we have in Christ Jesus.

Sis Fay Bucknall

Secretary

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Accounts for Year to 31 May 2024

**Husain Bulman & co
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Year to 31 May 2024

Management Committee Information

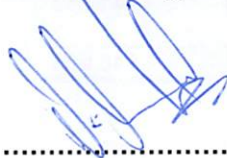
Chairperson	Apostle Bishop Dr Donnett Thomas
Secretary	Rev Alison Trethewy
Treasurer	Rev Alison Trethewy
Trustees	Mrs Fay Bucknall Rev Helen Smith Rev Chidi Umezurike Mrs. Rhianna Dickenson Elder Beryl Walcott
Charity Registration Number	1111510
Correspondence address	Premier House 325 Streatham High Road London SW16 3NT
Accountants	Husain Bulman & Co Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors 258 Merton Road London SW18 5JL
Bankers	Barclays Bank plc Westminster Abbey Branch 2 Victoria Street London SW1 0ND

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Accountants Report

We have prepared the enclosed accounts, without carrying out an audit, from the books and records and according to the information and explanations given to us.

In our opinion, the accounts give a true and fair view of the receipts and payments incurred during the year ended 31 May 2024.



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Husain Bulman & Co
Chartered Accountants
258 Merton Road
London SW18 5JL

3 February 2025

Date

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**Balance Sheet
As at 31 May 2024**

	2024	2023
	£	£
Fixed Assets		
Nu Start Project		4,500
Current Assets		
Cash at bank	38,188	19,555
Cash in hand	-	-
Education Fund	29,920	29,450
Building Deposit/Fund etc	117,569	94,559
	185,678	143,563
	190,178	148,063
Capital And Reserves		
Accumulated Funds		
Brought forward	148,063	40,649
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	42,115	107,414
	190,178	148,063

We approve the above accounts as set out on the following pages and confirm that we have made available all records, information and explanations for their preparation to Husain Bulman & Co- Chartered Accountants.

_____ Chairperson

_____ Secretary & Treasurer

_____ Committee Member

Date

POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 May 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
Donations		65,274.46		71,783
Gross Interest Received		1,169.42		5
Education Fund		2,800.44		13,512
Building Fund Contributions		11,016.48		94,559
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		<u>27,213.75</u>		<u>12,660</u>
		107,474.55		192,518
Costs of Conferences	-		3,076	
Discipleship in Action (DIA)	6,556.00		1,515	
Salaries	12,880.26		12,601	
Donations and Special Events	3,266.11		18,551	
Hire of Halls	2,702.50		10,186	
Insurance/Subscription/Licence	474.77		518	
Telephone and Internet	1,908.40		1,191	
Rent, Rates and Light and Heat	19,366.30		18,226	
Administration/Postage	54.32		87	
Miscellaneous	129.89		-	
Accountancy	2,400.00		348	
Africa - Rent, Requisites, Salaries	15,621.50		16,958	
India - Mission Trip	-		1,846	
		<u>65,360.05</u>		<u>85,104</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	£	<u>42,114.50</u>	£	<u>107,414</u>

POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

Receipts And Payments Account For the year ended 31 May 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
<u>RECEIPTS:</u>				
General Donations		47,181.98		58,829.54
Gross Interest Received		1,169.42		4.85
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		27,213.75		12,659.56
Conferences				
Discipleship in Action (DIA)	6,441.00		650.00	
Special Events				
Anniversary Dinner	745.00		1,100.00	
Vacation Bible school	20.00		91.37	
Women Conference	-		1,263.00	
		7,206.00		3,104.37
Donations for				
Premier House	530.00		1,272.28	
Hire of Halls	4,830.00		5,325.00	
Education Fund	2,800.44		13,512.00	
Mission/Kenya	5,526.48		3,221.72	
Building Fund	11,016.48		94,588.53	
		24,703.40		117,919.53
		<u>107,474.55</u>		<u>192,517.85</u>
<u>PAYMENTS:</u>				
Discipleaship in Action (DIA)	6,556.00		1,515.00	
PAYE and Salaries (Net)	12,880.26		12,600.68	
Special Events	-		3,076.43	
Donations and Special Events	3,266.11		18,551.41	
Hire of Halls	2,702.50		10,186.38	
Subscriptions, Insurance and Licences	474.77		518.28	
Miscellaneous	129.89		-	
Administration/Postage	54.32		86.98	
Accountancy	2,400.00		348.47	
Telephone and Internet	1,908.40		1,191.48	
Rent, Rates and Light and Heat	19,366.30		18,225.93	
Africa - Rent,Requisites,Salaries Etc	15,621.50		16,957.62	
India - Mission trip	-		1,845.57	
		65,360.05		85,104.23
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year		<u>42,114.50</u>		<u>107,413.62</u>

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MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL**

Accounts for Year to 31 May 2024

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POWER OF THE LIVING WORD MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

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Management Committee Information

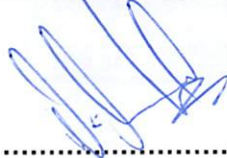
Chairperson	Apostle Bishop Dr Donnett Thomas
Secretary	Rev Alison Trethewy
Treasurer	Rev Alison Trethewy
Trustees	Mrs Fay Bucknall Rev Helen Smith Rev Chidi Umezurike Mrs. Rhianna Dickenson Elder Beryl Walcott
Charity Registration Number	1111510
Correspondence address	Premier House 325 Streatham High Road London SW16 3NT
Accountants	Husain Bulman & Co Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors 258 Merton Road London SW18 5JL
Bankers	Barclays Bank plc Westminster Abbey Branch 2 Victoria Street London SW1 0ND

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Accountants Report

We have prepared the enclosed accounts, without carrying out an audit, from the books and records and according to the information and explanations given to us.

In our opinion, the accounts give a true and fair view of the receipts and payments incurred during the year ended 31 May 2024.



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3 February 2025

Date

HUSAIN BULMAN & CO.
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**Balance Sheet
As at 31 May 2024**

	2024	2023
	£	£
Fixed Assets		
Nu Start Project	4,500	4,500
Current Assets		
Cash at bank	38,188	19,555
Cash in hand	-	-
Education Fund	29,920	29,450
Building Deposit/Fund etc	117,569	94,559
	185,678	143,563
	190,178	148,063
Capital And Reserves		
Accumulated Funds		
Brought forward	148,063	40,649
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	42,115	107,414
	190,178	148,063

We approve the above accounts as set out on the following pages and confirm that we have made available all records, information and explanations for their preparation to Husain Bulman & Co- Chartered Accountants.

_____ Chairperson

_____ Secretary & Treasurer

_____ Committee Member

Date

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Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 May 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
Donations		65,274.46		71,783
Gross Interest Received		1,169.42		5
Education Fund		2,800.44		13,512
Building Fund Contributions		11,016.48		94,559
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		<u>27,213.75</u>		<u>12,660</u>
		107,474.55		192,518
Costs of Conferences	-		3,076	
Discipleship in Action (DIA)	6,556.00		1,515	
Salaries	12,880.26		12,601	
Donations and Special Events	3,266.11		18,551	
Hire of Halls	2,702.50		10,186	
Insurance/Subscription/Licence	474.77		518	
Telephone and Internet	1,908.40		1,191	
Rent, Rates and Light and Heat	19,366.30		18,226	
Administration/Postage	54.32		87	
Miscellaneous	129.89		-	
Accountancy	2,400.00		348	
Africa - Rent, Requisites, Salaries	15,621.50		16,958	
India - Mission Trip	-		1,846	
		<u>65,360.05</u>		<u>85,104</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	£	<u>42,114.50</u>	£	<u>107,414</u>

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Receipts And Payments Account For the year ended 31 May 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
<u>RECEIPTS:</u>				
General Donations		47,181.98		58,829.54
Gross Interest Received		1,169.42		4.85
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		27,213.75		12,659.56
Conferences				
Discipleship in Action (DIA)	6,441.00		650.00	
Special Events				
Anniversary Dinner	745.00		1,100.00	
Vacation Bible school	20.00		91.37	
Women Conference	-		1,263.00	
		7,206.00		3,104.37
Donations for				
Premier House	530.00		1,272.28	
Hire of Halls	4,830.00		5,325.00	
Education Fund	2,800.44		13,512.00	
Mission/Kenya	5,526.48		3,221.72	
Building Fund	11,016.48		94,588.53	
		24,703.40		117,919.53
		107,474.55		192,517.85
<u>PAYMENTS:</u>				
Discipleaship in Action (DIA)	6,556.00		1,515.00	
PAYE and Salaries (Net)	12,880.26		12,600.68	
Special Events	-		3,076.43	
Donations and Special Events	3,266.11		18,551.41	
Hire of Halls	2,702.50		10,186.38	
Subscriptions, Insurance and Licences	474.77		518.28	
Miscellaneous	129.89		-	
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Telephone and Internet	1,908.40		1,191.48	
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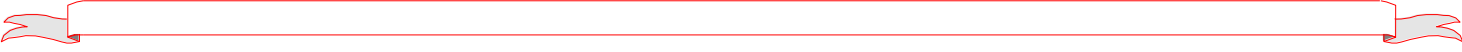


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Sis Rhianna Dickenson (Managing Trustee) Rev Pastor Chidi Umezurike



Objective 1

Children's Endeavour Ministries

Sunday Bible School (SBS)

Our Theme "How special we are to God ". Children come to class and enjoy showing and telling and sharing what they have learnt from the class and the homework given.

"The Inspired Word of God" children are learning that the Bible is a special book that will help them live a good life that is pleasing to God ". This is the greatest book and we are looking at the Pentateuch the first five books in the New Testament, learning the names of all 66 books.

We have connected by zoom again with Uganda and held joint classes with the children, so Sunday Bible School is truly International. Children have also attended when they visit London during school holiday.

We welcome children 3-12 to Sunday Bible School for one hour of fun in the Word. We have lessons through teaching the Bible, worship, presentations, expressions of design art, craft, games, singing and dance plus light refreshments. There is a well balanced plan for the children in order for them to learn in different ways.

We like to involve the parents in classes so they can see how their children are progressing.

It is a blessing to see how my children look forward to going to Sunday Bible School and how they have benefited from the sessions. The repetition of worship and praise songs benefits the children because they have now learned the words of the songs. When the children are at home, they sing the songs from Sunday Bible School.

Sis Tessa Umezurike

We welcome all children to join us and to establish the Children's Endeavour Ministries and the Vision of Sunday Bible School for future Generations.

Rev Pastor Helen Smith

Ecumenical Activities

We attended Churches Together in Clapham (CTiC) meeting also the Easter Walk of Witness with the Fraternal of Clapham Park.

Objective 1

Young Endeavour Ministries

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - August 2022

Theme: 'Kid's say, Do it better'

Be	Each day activities, songs, drama and
Encouraging and	creative work centred on these aspects
Try	of life. The children really enjoyed
Thoughtfully to	exploring these concepts and created
Experience a good	a book to take home with what they had
Result	learned and how they were going to change.

It was very encouraging to have young leaders join us who had grown up with VBS and were now able to help the younger children have fun. They learned about their strengths and how the children listened to them. Some found skills they had not known about and others just enjoyed the whole experience.

On Saturday, a pool party for the children and an Afternoon Tea for their parents was held in a garden. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day, sunshine, water and cream teas!!!



Singing



Refreshments



Paper Dress



Pool Party



Young Leaders

Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Objective 1

Institute For Life - Ministry of Helps Training

We learnt how spiritually important and aware you need to be as a part of the Helps Ministry.

It is more than 'helping' and being spiritually alert to the needs of others (even though this 'gift' is vitally important) it is the operation of 'every' member of the Body of Christ in establishing the Kingdom of God in our own life. At the centre of the teaching is the understanding and realisation that 'we are part of something eternal when we fulfil our Ministry of Helps duties – using our God given gifts, abilities and talents to fulfil the vision.

During the training evenings, we learnt more about each other and saw how connective and interrelated our 'Job Description' was because we are all equally important as one body.

The candidates who completed the course of study in the Ministry of Helps were anointed and presented with certificates by Apostle Dr Donnett Thomas.



Sis Fay Bucknall

Discipleship in Action

Discipleship In Action is a time away in which we receive concentrated training through teaching, with workshops and exercises focusing on how do I action what I have learnt? This time away has given a good time to reflect on what I have done and what do I need to put in place in my life to move forward my discipleship before we even return home. I felt a great responsibility about my discipleship and how is it impacting others. I am challenged with what I already do, how can I do more, what impact does it have on others and their discipleship. By having a mix of activities, it not only enhances my understanding but really cements my learning so that it becomes part of my daily life. I have appreciated the effort our teachers have put in to bring discipleship together that they may see the fruit of it in my life.

Sis Rhianna Dickenson

Objective 2

International Activities

Mission trips are never easy and this year we had great bureaucratic and delivery problems in getting visas for all our travels. We had to change flight plans, rebook, and organise International Ministers who joined us. But God is always faithful and we were able, at the last minute, to reach our destinations in India and Kenya to bring the Word of God and serve our Churches. Faith increased in all the Churches who had been praying for our visa's, as they saw us arrive in their Countries.

India – 30 September – 10th October 2022

It was so wonderful to finally be in Chennai after the pandemic to minister to the Churches we have seen grow since we first visited in 2015. Bishop Paul Makau, from Kenya joined us as part of the Team. There are now 10 churches and Apostle Donnett prayed for and anointed the Leaders of the new churches.



Happy you are here



Praying for Church Leaders



A pioneering activity has been the lunchtime teaching in Thundalam Evangelical Church which has grown from a few women to an enthusiastic group who relish this opportunity to sit at the Apostle's feet and listen to her teachings.



Lunchtime teachings

Apostle dedicated the new Metha Nagar Church building and we attended a service in the new Church.



We ministered in people's homes, brought comfort to a grieving widow, and saw many prayers answered. The faith of these people of God is wonderful and a joy to be among them as we see what God is doing in their lives. They also appreciate Ministers of God and are thoughtful and very kind in their appreciation.



Discussion



Comforting a Widow



Praying for daughter

Kenya – 28 February – 22 March 2023

We decided to downsize our Mission home in Mombasa. How God found the right new property was truly amazing and we thank Bishop Paul Makau for going ahead of the Apostle and being in the right place at the right time. Our 18 years in the other property ended on 6th March 2023 when we moved. We thank Christ Visitation Centre brethren for their great help and support. They cleaned, packed, lifted, transported, unloaded and unpacked and refurbished for us alongside Rev Seymour and Rev Patricia Francis from London.



Christ Visitation Centre women



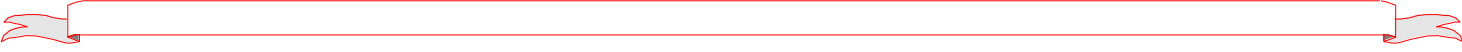
Ministers-in-training teaching

Apostle dedicated a baby at CVC Branch JOMVU (Aldina) and held a Ministers-in-training teaching for all potential Ministers. Prayers were answered and it was a joy to see many young people who had been under the Apostle's teaching either now running their own churches or stepping up in Ministry.

International Pastors Prayers

Once a month we have met as Pastors to pray together internationally. This has been a lifeline to many Pastors and we have seen the Five-fold in operation. Pastors have joined us from Kenya, India, Tanzania and Uganda.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy



Objective 2

Precious Years 50+ Luncheon Club

Our Precious Years 50+ Club is in its 17th Year and the work and vision continues to move forward. We have continued to meet new visitors, families, friends who have attended. We offer friendship and provide Holistic care for those wanting a place to chat and visit and we help them to be mentally stimulated. We provide a place within the community to support and a place where we can spend some time together with a hot lunch.

We offered a Finance Workshop (CAP) which ran for 4 weeks and was attended by members of Precious Years plus a CAP client, all had a hot lunch.

We continue to meet in our mission home, in a home setting this year offering and enjoying gentle fitness exercises to the body, nail and foot care, quizzes, Bible Studies, films, and time to reminisce on life and sharing great memories.

I thank those who volunteer their time and care and support to the faithful members of Precious Years as it is a great fellowship to learn new skills.

We keep in contact with those who cannot come out by regular telephone calls so they know we are still thinking of them.

Rev Pastor Helen Smith

Here is a testimony from a member of precious years.

I Thank God for Precious years - I am very blessed when I come and I celebrated my birthday there. We share with each other and I thank Pastor Helen for this Vision. I love Precious Years and getting to know everyone and so much is offered to me. We have opportunity to try new things and learn new skills as well as serving and receiving advice to help us in our older years. Precious Years gives much for my life and others and the care, fellowship and warmth received.

Sis Carole Hudson

Objective 2

The Women's Conference

'If you can see her, you can be her'



From the very start of the preparation for this Conference I was impacted by the theme 'If you can see her, you can be her'. I was bold enough to say to myself, 'since you can see her, be her' and as host to the event I was courageous to give my testimony as an overcomer to encourage all the women present young and older.

The aim of the day was for women to hear women who are truly awoken, truly enlighten and quickened by the sanctifying work of the Holy Spirit in their lives, that change really does take place in our lives and exploits can be achieved.

As women arrived, they were greeted with gift bags, treats on the tables, an invitation to see a box of delights and a photographic exhibition. Sandwiched together with making new friends, complimenting outfits and likeminded conversation.

I was so impressed by the effort women made to look good which complimented the venue in the Aerodrome Hotel, Croydon. The variety of age groups and a willingness to engage. This made me feel that such activities are a necessity in the Kingdom for female believers nationwide to come together as one church. I felt 'Christian women need this'. They need to attend a lovely venue, look their best, meet likeminded women. Hear from great speakers, who were Alison Trethewy, Nakessa Simpson and Apostle Donnett. Have a buffet lunch. Tea and coffee breaks. A dance performance by Nakessa Simpson.

The event benefited so many. Women were able to share feedback after hearing each speaker how some of the illustrations were true in their lives, and now they know the steps to take to change it. Women shared their own achievements widely and with those on their tables, encouragement and support was in the air. The icing on the cake for me was an invitation was given to anyone who has heard and believes and wants to give their lives to Jesus. A young woman professed her faith in Christ Jesus and was prayed for. Yes, this is ministry, we are Power of the Living Word Ministries and advancement of the Gospel and relief of distress is part of our Vision statement.

I do thank God for this Conference and look forward to many more in the future.

Rev Pastor Pamela Dickenson

It was a privilege to attend the women's conference on 5th November 2022. From the outset it was clear that the conference had been planned thoughtfully with every effort to create a warm and welcoming atmosphere for delegates.

"If you can see her you can be her" was an inspiring and challenging theme to ruminate and reflect on. This theme was enhanced by the testimonies and passionate presentations conveying how amazing our God is.

Thank you to all involved in the organisation and planning of this conference. I look forward to the next one.

Mrs Claudet Hedman

Objective 3

Creative Day

This year has seen growth in the dance workshops. Anointed dance has acquired new members, who have a new enthusiasm and passion. We have choreographed two new dances which blessed the congregation and ministered to many. The dances blessed us as dancers and ministered so much to us first and we are so pleased that it ministered to others also. This year we have also seen new members using the gifts in dance to Minister in solo performances, which aided their own growth and confidence in expressing their own Love for God and His people. We look forward to anointed dance workshops in the future that will see members of anointed dance explore new heights in worship to our God and greater depths of ministering to Gods people.

This year creative evening has blessed many with crafts and techniques. Many found these workshops relaxing and refreshing.

We had a special Christmas creative evening where we learnt how to hand make our own decorations.



We have enjoyed painting and using creative techniques to respond to all the Christian teaching we have had in the ministry. This was followed by a special creative service where so many took part in ministering in a creative way, with painting, poetry and dance.

Creative day was a great success. We saw members and the community alike enjoy sewing, food, jewellery making, creative learning resources for children, natural juice making, massage and pampering, poetry, to name but a few. Everyone enjoyed being together and learnt so many new skills in a fun, relaxing and welcoming environment.

Sis Nakessa Simpson

Sunday Breakfast

In my role as Head of Hospitality it was my responsibility to arrange, prepare and oversee the Sunday Breakfast. These Breakfasts were held once per month, on the first Sunday. I worked closely with Minister Seymour, between the 2 of us we took it in turn (alternate months) to work out our own menus, to do the shopping and to prepare the items, both in our homes and in the Church Kitchen.

I found doing the Breakfasts very rewarding because I do have a love for cooking and for the organisation required to make the Breakfasts a success. I received satisfaction not only from the actual cooking and organising but also from the fact that the Brethren enjoyed and were grateful for what they received and looked forward to the once a month getting together and having fellowship over a meal. I benefited because I actually, very much, looked forward to the participating.

I see these Sunday Breakfasts as a good opportunity to continue what I love doing which is feeding people and also a time for fellowship, although short, but still valid.

Sis Marian Atunrase

Objective 3

International Day

The International Day which was held in July 2022, was organised by the Trustees. The Vision was to celebrate the different cultures within our Ministry and those represented in the community. We shared the Vision of the Ministry with the community. Neighbours visited and took part in activities. Those 'passing by' also took a keen interest as we were also asking for donations for a worthy cause - cancer research for Great Ormond Street Hospital. Apostle Donnett Thomas and Elder Colin Thomas joined us from Jamaica via zoom. Our neighbours requested prayer and we were privileged to be able to provide this. There was a time of thanksgiving through praise and worship.



Ministry Mission Home

The Ministry contributed by bringing and sharing food from their heritage and we even sang National Anthems of the people represented including Italy, Jamaica and Great Britain

We had a lovely time together as we shared food and listened to cultural music. We want to thank everyone for their time and donations.



Face Painting

£208.29 was donated.



National Anthems

Guyana
Jamaica
Great Britain



Nail Care



Cake Stall



Book Stall

Sis Fay Bucknall

Objective 3

Sports Day

Sports Day took place on 29th May 2023 at Tooting Common. We had a good turnout of members including the young people from the Ministry and everyone truly participated in the games. We were blessed with good weather for the day. Even though I was nursing some back pain, I was able to participate in the rounders and some races.

As always this was followed by a BBQ at our Sister Nakessa's garden nearby where we all ate together.

I love the togetherness that Sports Day gives as people are able to be themselves in a different setting.

Sports Day contributes to the vision of our Ministry as it helps build the unity and togetherness required to truly enjoy being a member of the Ministry.

Rev Pastor Chidi Umezurike



Games Night

It was good night full of new opportunities and fellowship with homemade pizzas from our Elder Colin.



Objective 3

DONATIONS WORLDWIDE

We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

Kenya

Supporting a lady in Christ Visitation Centre with her Women's project providing bras and knickers of good quality and sanitary wear for the young girls she has befriended to help them live a better life. This gives them basic help so they will not have to turn to other ways to get money to buy these items and to keep them safe from preying men.

Donation towards funeral expenses to help a Deaconess at the Pool of Siloam Church with costs of her husband's funeral.

Mission Home running expenses

UK

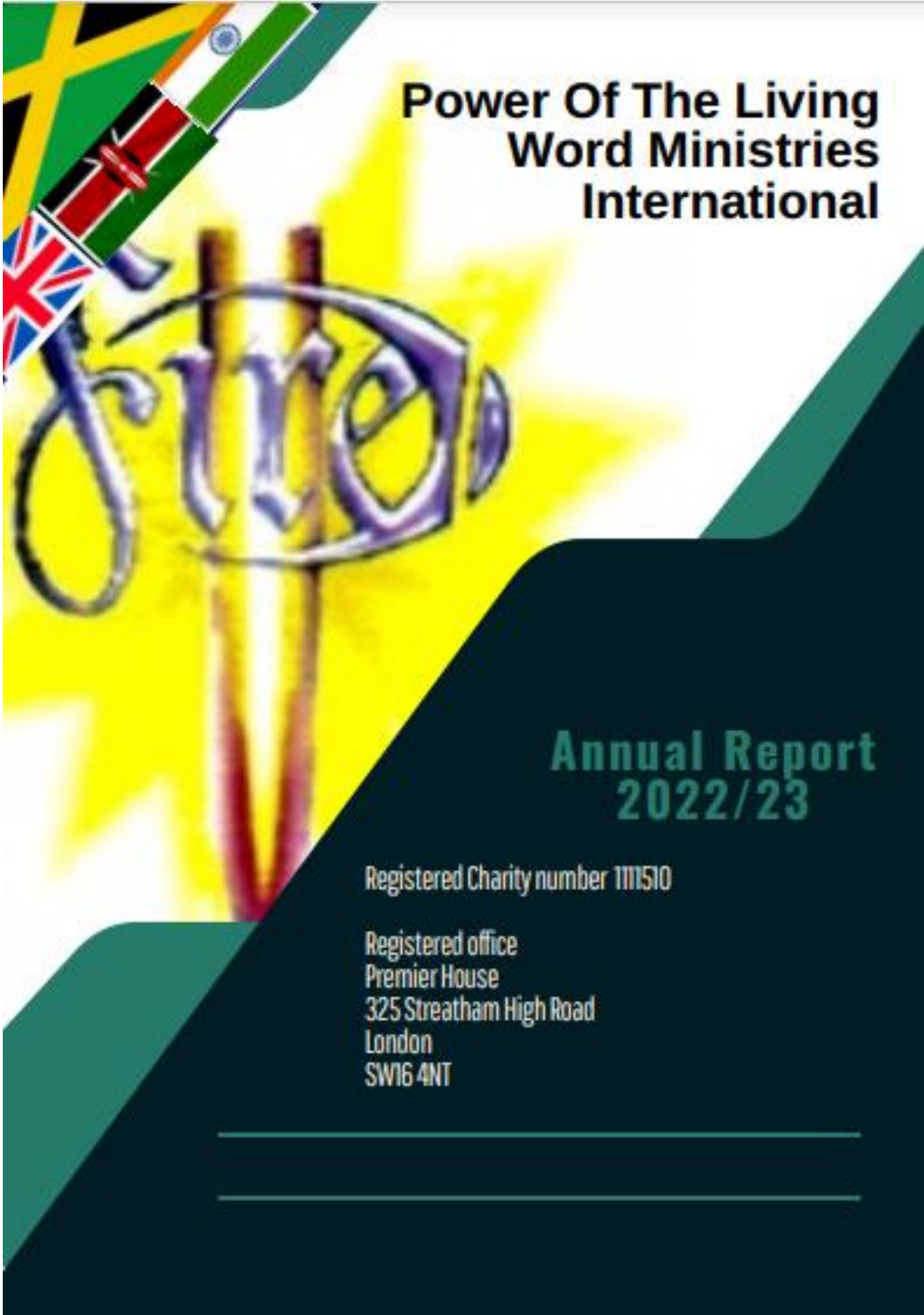
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Everyone Together



Barbecue



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Sis Nakessa Simpson

Sunday Breakfast

In my role as Head of Hospitality it was my responsibility to arrange, prepare and oversee the Sunday Breakfast. These Breakfasts were held once per month, on the first Sunday. I worked closely with Minister Seymour, between the 2 of us we took it in turn (alternate months) to work out our own menus, to do the shopping and to prepare the items, both in our homes and in the Church Kitchen.

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I see these Sunday Breakfasts as a good opportunity to continue what I love doing which is feeding people and also a time for fellowship, although short, but still valid.

Sis Marian Atunrase

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International Day

The International Day which was held in July 2022, was organised by the Trustees. The Vision was to celebrate the different cultures within our Ministry and those represented in the community. We shared the Vision of the Ministry with the community. Neighbours visited and took part in activities. Those 'passing by' also took a keen interest as we were also asking for donations for a worthy cause - cancer research for Great Ormond Street Hospital. Apostle Donnett Thomas and Elder Colin Thomas joined us from Jamaica via zoom. Our neighbours requested prayer and we were privileged to be able to provide this. There was a time of thanksgiving through praise and worship.



Ministry Mission Home

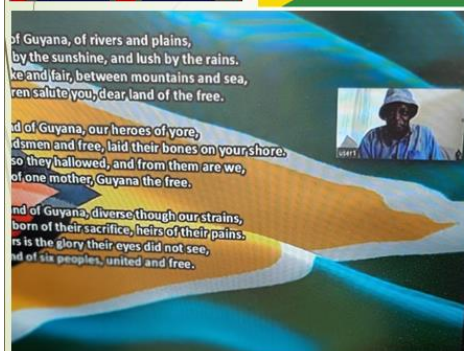
The Ministry contributed by bringing and sharing food from their heritage and we even sang National Anthems of the people represented including Italy, Jamaica and Great Britain

We had a lovely time together as we shared food and listened to cultural music. We want to thank everyone for their time and donations.



Face Painting

£208.29 was donated.



National Anthems



Nail Care



Cake Stall



Book Stall

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Objective 3

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As always this was followed by a BBQ at our Sister Nakessa's garden nearby where we all ate together.

I love the togetherness that Sports Day gives as people are able to be themselves in a different setting.

Sports Day contributes to the vision of our Ministry as it helps build the unity and togetherness required to truly enjoy being a member of the Ministry.

Rev Pastor Chidi Umezurike



Games Night

It was good night full of new opportunities and fellowship with homemade pizzas from our Elder Colin.



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We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

Kenya

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Mission Home running expenses

UK

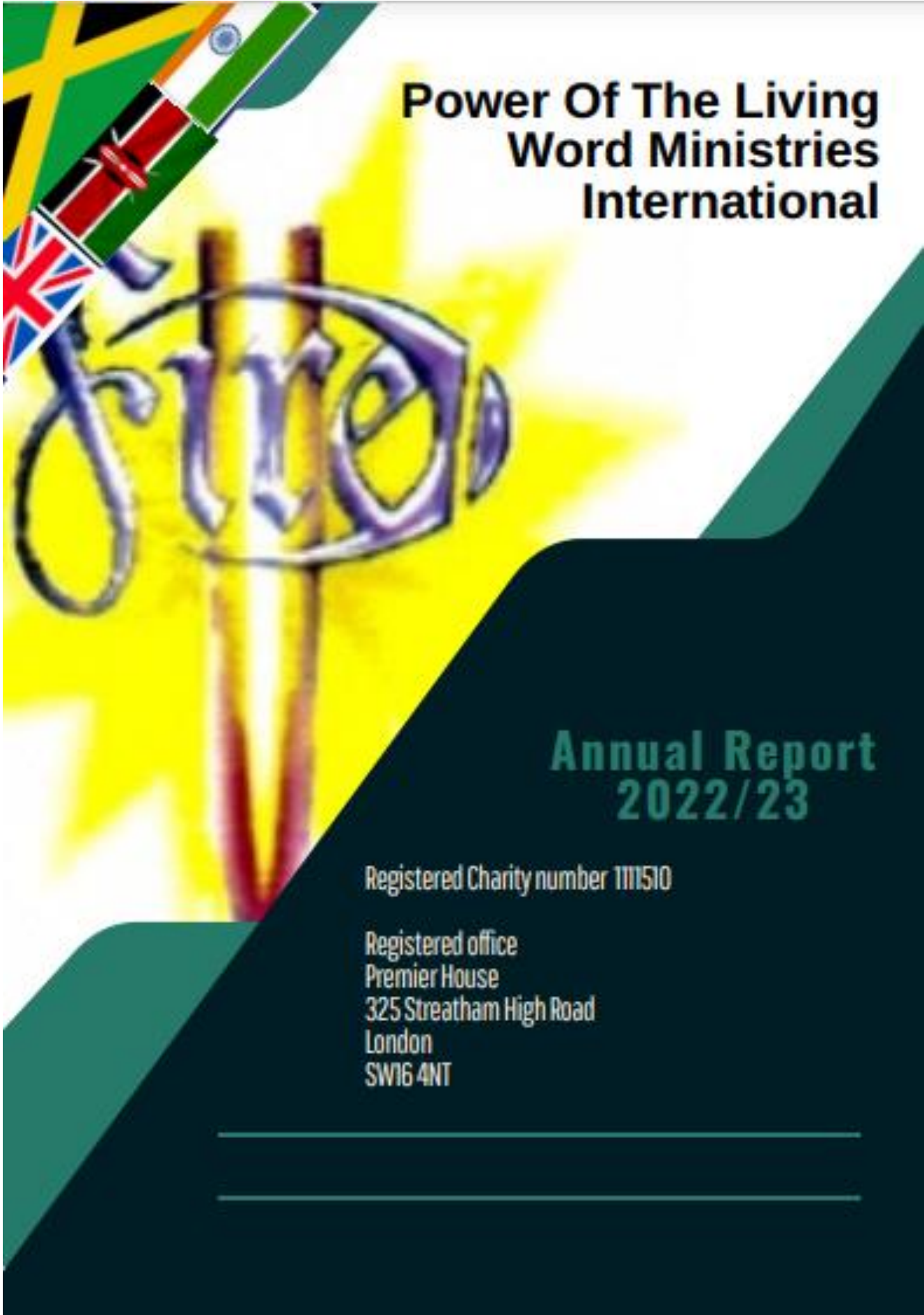
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Everyone Together



Barbecue

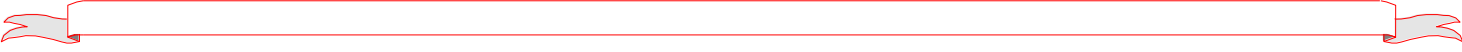


Power Of The Living Word Ministries International

Annual Report 2022/23

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Arms of Power of the Living Word Ministries International

- True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN)
- Institute for Life (IFL)

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Chairman's Report

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We had a special Christmas creative evening where we learnt how to hand make our own decorations.



We have enjoyed painting and using creative techniques to respond to all the Christian teaching we have had in the ministry. This was followed by a special creative service where so many took part in ministering in a creative way, with painting, poetry and dance.

Creative day was a great success. We saw members and the community alike enjoy sewing, food, jewellery making, creative learning resources for children, natural juice making, massage and pampering, poetry, to name but a few. Everyone enjoyed being together and learnt so many new skills in a fun, relaxing and welcoming environment.

Sis Nakessa Simpson

Sunday Breakfast

In my role as Head of Hospitality it was my responsibility to arrange, prepare and oversee the Sunday Breakfast. These Breakfasts were held once per month, on the first Sunday. I worked closely with Minister Seymour, between the 2 of us we took it in turn (alternate months) to work out our own menus, to do the shopping and to prepare the items, both in our homes and in the Church Kitchen.

I found doing the Breakfasts very rewarding because I do have a love for cooking and for the organisation required to make the Breakfasts a success. I received satisfaction not only from the actual cooking and organising but also from the fact that the Brethren enjoyed and were grateful for what they received and looked forward to the once a month getting together and having fellowship over a meal. I benefited because I actually, very much, looked forward to the participating.

I see these Sunday Breakfasts as a good opportunity to continue what I love doing which is feeding people and also a time for fellowship, although short, but still valid.

Sis Marian Atunrase

Objective 3

International Day

The International Day which was held in July 2022, was organised by the Trustees. The Vision was to celebrate the different cultures within our Ministry and those represented in the community. We shared the Vision of the Ministry with the community. Neighbours visited and took part in activities. Those 'passing by' also took a keen interest as we were also asking for donations for a worthy cause - cancer research for Great Ormond Street Hospital. Apostle Donnett Thomas and Elder Colin Thomas joined us from Jamaica via zoom. Our neighbours requested prayer and we were privileged to be able to provide this. There was a time of thanksgiving through praise and worship.



Ministry Mission Home

The Ministry contributed by bringing and sharing food from their heritage and we even sang National Anthems of the people represented including Italy, Jamaica and Great Britain

We had a lovely time together as we shared food and listened to cultural music. We want to thank everyone for their time and donations.



Face Painting

£208.29 was donated.



National Anthems

Guyana
Jamaica
Great Britain



Nail Care



Cake Stall



Book Stall

Sis Fay Bucknall

Objective 3

Sports Day

Sports Day took place on 29th May 2023 at Tooting Common. We had a good turnout of members including the young people from the Ministry and everyone truly participated in the games. We were blessed with good weather for the day. Even though I was nursing some back pain, I was able to participate in the rounders and some races.

As always this was followed by a BBQ at our Sister Nakessa's garden nearby where we all ate together.

I love the togetherness that Sports Day gives as people are able to be themselves in a different setting.

Sports Day contributes to the vision of our Ministry as it helps build the unity and togetherness required to truly enjoy being a member of the Ministry.

Rev Pastor Chidi Umezurike



Games Night

It was good night full of new opportunities and fellowship with homemade pizzas from our Elder Colin.



Objective 3

DONATIONS WORLDWIDE

We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

Kenya

Supporting a lady in Christ Visitation Centre with her Women's project providing bras and knickers of good quality and sanitary wear for the young girls she has befriended to help them live a better life. This gives them basic help so they will not have to turn to other ways to get money to buy these items and to keep them safe from preying men.

Donation towards funeral expenses to help a Deaconess at the Pool of Siloam Church with costs of her husband's funeral.

Mission Home running expenses

UK

Great Ormond Street Hospital Gosh Charity. An International Day was organised at our Mission Home to raise funds for the Gosh Charity.



Everyone Together



Barbecue

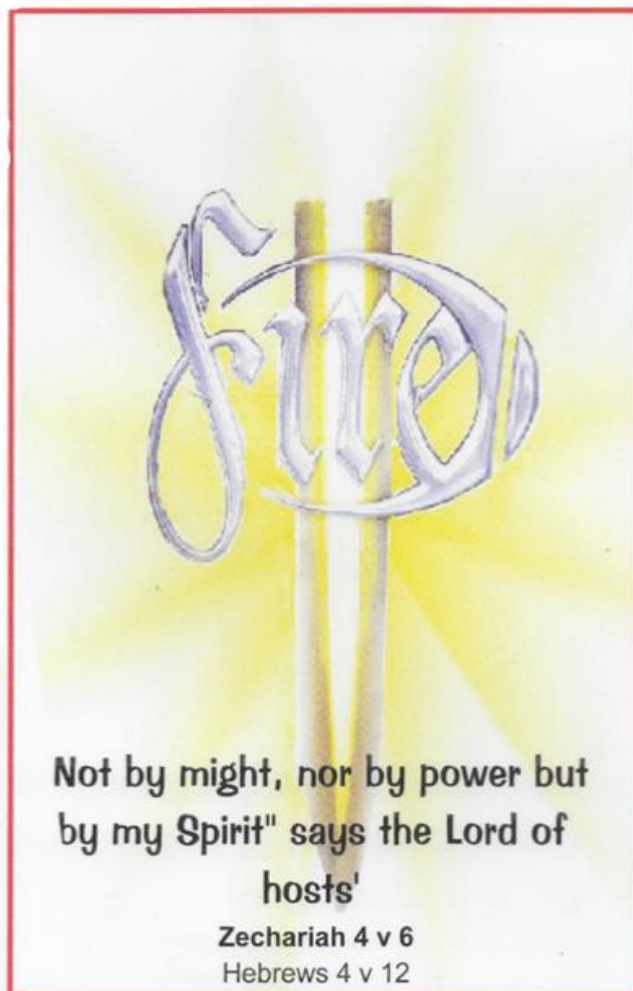
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Vision

Power of the Living Word Ministries International will concentrate and develop such a profound sharpness of intellect and anointing is fundamentally geared to teaching God's principles and precepts, line by line.

To establish a worldwide Apostolic network of five- fold Ministers to support, encourage, build-up and mature the Body of Christ.

To teach all generations Kingdom of God principles to set free, loose, reclaim, restore and penetrate the kingdom of darkness bringing hope and salvation through the Lord Jesus Christ.

To examine current traditional attitudes and rites against Biblical standards

To develop a base of love and welcome to all abilities, race and knowledge

Objectives

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

- Sunday Bible School (SBS)
- Young People's Forum (YPF)
- Hour in the Word – adults
- Vacation Bible School (VBS)
- Discipleship in Action – teaching week away (DIA)
- Ecumenical activities
- International Pastors Prayers

Arms of Power of the Living Word Ministries International

- True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN)
- Institute for Life (IFL)

Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

- Spearhead Group (dealing with areas of abuse, domestic violence, emotional problems)
- Precious Years 50+ Luncheon Club
- Supporting families and young people
- International support
- Mission Homes UK and Mombasa, Kenya
- Vulnerable Adults, Child Protection and Privacy Policies

Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services

- Financial planning and advice'
- Creative Arts
- Donations worldwide

Chairman's Report

This Annual Report shows the activities of the Ministry worldwide. I gratefully acknowledge the support of everyone who has contributed in many ways to developing the Vision. The pandemic has had a knock – on effect. Thankfully our ability to continue to worship in person proved very valuable in meeting people`s needs following the lockdowns.

We continued with all our activities and were able to sustain pastoral care, teaching and cover all our activities in prayer. We have seen growth and powerful testimonies to the power of God to overcome in faithful lives.

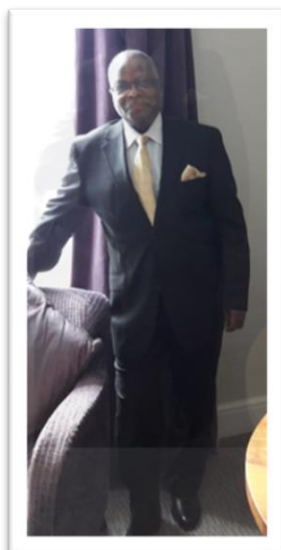
We are always looking for new ways to develop our Charity Objectives, Young Endeavour was a new Vision and it has helped offer a platform for young people to experience God and His people in new ways. We started monthly breakfasts before Sunday Services to show God cares about our physical as well as spiritual needs.

I am grateful for every opportunity given and taken by those who faithfully believe and are used by God for His Glory.

Rev Helen Smith



Trustee Board



Rev Helen Smith (Chairman)
Sis Fay Bucknall (Secretary)
Elder Colin Thomas (Managing Trustee)
Rev Chidi Umezurike
Sis Rhianna Davis

CELEBRATION YEAR

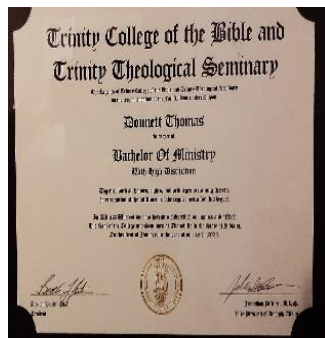
The 50th Wedding Anniversary for Elder Colin Thomas and Apostle Donnett was on 3rd July 2021.



Apostle Donnett Thomas celebrated her 70th Birthday on 15th September 2021.



1st January 2022 - Trinity College of the Bible and Trinity Theological Seminary awarded Donnett Thomas a Bachelor of Ministry with high Distinction (after 20 years of study and a stroke).



14th April 2022 – Maundy Money Presentation to Elder Colin Thomas by Prince Charles in recognition of his Christian service to others.



Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Objective 1

Children's Endeavour Ministries

Sunday Bible School (SBS)

Our Theme for this year was “ Children are Special to God”, they are unique and can have their own relationship with Him. We looked at how babies grow up to be something very powerful for God.

We involve the parents in how their children are progressing. Here is a Parent's Testimony.

As a parent I have seen the benefits of SBS in Caleb's life. He has shown interest, interacts and has a good memory of the teachings. There has been a progression in teaching allowing the children to understand how they need to be thankful, grateful, not to be jealous of other children and understand how special they are to God and how to follow instructions. I have seen a balance of teaching in theory, visual as well as being creative. The repetition of teaching helps the children to retain as well as remember. It is encouraging to see how Caleb interacts with other children when they come and visit. I will continue to pray as a parent for God to bring more children and I am grateful that Uganda has started with us again.

It is a blessing to be in the class with the children. I am grateful to have opportunities to bring teaching and assist because children are special to God. I have learnt to be very attentive to children's needs and hear from God for them. I am learning to understand how to engage with visiting children that come to the Ministry. I understand that the vision is to help them be confident to know God in their lives and set a foundation for them that they grow to accept God into their lives.

Sis Tessa Umezurike

We welcome all children to join us and to establish the Children's Endeavour Ministries and the Vision of Sunday Bible School for future generations.

Rev Helen Smith

Objective 1

Young Endeavour Ministries

Monthly meetings of young people from 14 years+ have been held. Meetings are a mixture of activities and teaching to help them as they grow and meet new challenges in the world. They have Line Danced, played Charades, learned a new dance, put together plays and acted them out. Teachings have included truth, partnerships in the Bible, trust and how the Bible is relevant to us today.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy

When we first heard about Young Endeavour, we were not sure what it would entail. Prophetess told us that there would be regular meetings for the young people of the Ministry. We enjoy playing games like quizzes and Pictionary. It's good to come together to take part in these fun activities. We've been given Scriptures and scenarios from the Bible to work together to present dramas that we have created and performed to each other. It really does help us to understand the Scriptures by acting it out.

We have also had to be very creative when asked to tell stories using a simple subject. It was important that our stories had a moral, so this demonstrated how we are developing our life skills. Telling these stories to each other, gives you a confidence boost.

Endeavour held in the church building, is a place for young people to go after school.

We really look forward to meeting together. It's a fun time!

Endeavour Ministries is very fun, and we have all learned lots of things like how to take care of ourselves and how to manage friendships.

Isaiah, John and Sarai (Young Endeavours)

International Vacation Bible School

A Vacation Bible School was held in London in August 2021 over 2 weeks.

Theme – 'How to make great choices for your life.' We were able to introduce the children to our children in Uganda, via zoom, so this was a truly international Vacation Bible School. Together they participated in daily teachings and singing and thoroughly enjoyed their time together. They learned new songs which they sang together and learned a few Ugandan words. It was a joy to see their enthusiasm to be together and to learn from diverse cultures.

We had a consistent number of community children, most of whom had been dedicated as babies in our Ministry. This regular contact with the children, parents and their families gives them experience of God's love through the activities and through us.



Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Objective 1

Teaching in the Ministry

Teaching of the Doctrines

Power of the Living Word Ministries International have reintroduced the Doctrine series.

Beginning with the Doctrine of the Holy Spirit – October 2021

The Doctrine of Man – December 2021

The Doctrine of Salvation – March 2022

Doctrine means 'What has God have to say?'

- About the Person of the Holy Spirit 'Paraklete', His nature and work and how is Christ's work for man, made real in mankind.
- About the Biblical view of man around two focal points - that of man and that of God
- About the total work of God by which He seeks to rescue man
- The fact of God

The Doctrine teachings are open to the entire congregation on a Friday or Wednesday evening. Starting in a classroom session followed by breaking into two groups to discuss what have you heard that evening and pick two things you have heard and share.

The group sessions are a major part of the sittings to ensure the hearers comprehend, grasp the process to get to understanding of what has been taught to them. Special thanks to the facilitators Prophetess Alison and Rev Pamela.

Rev Pamela Dickenson

Teacher Training

I felt an awesome privilege and weight to be trained on how to teach. It is an art and a skill to be able to give knowledge to others, to keep them engaged and wanting to receive from you and these are the capabilities to shape the life of another that a teacher has. I received an understanding of the gifts a teacher should have and how to employ them to skilfully teach anyone who sits before me whether they be old or young, learned or not. It has given me an excitement and respect for the teachers we already have but also the determination to prove what I have learnt by teaching others. There is a future in which I can share the knowledge I have and teach others the Gospel of Christ, so it is exciting to look forward to being the next generation of teachers. It has taught me the dedication and commitment needed to be a teacher, it's not easy but the transformation of lives before your eyes shows God is still very present.

Sis Rhianna Davis

Objective 1

Discipleship in Action

Discipleship in Action this year for me was very special. The training I received was delivered in such a powerful and direct way that could be actioned in my life.

We had exercises and challenges that informed us as trainees and also gave us practical ways to do the things we are called to do.

It was particularly special for me that we received one to one training in writing sermons and exhortations with the Apostle and our Pastors.

Discipleship in Action was intense training but rewarding at the same time.

As a trainee, learning that Christ being the ultimate Shepherd that I was to translate and mimic in my own life as a Minister, has been the greatest lesson I took away with me.

Sis Nakessa Simpson

The Institute For Life

This course on the Gospel of John has certainly caused the Bible to come alive for me. The substance and depth of the teaching has seriously challenged and stretched me, which is a good thing. It has greatly increased my comprehension and understanding of the message of the Gospel of John.

I have also appreciated the other students in the class who through their regular participation in the classes, have helped to create a great environment for learning. Meeting with the other students in this learning environment has become a highlight of my week.

As a Minister with a speaking ministry, it is vital to be doctrinally correct, I appreciate the sound Scriptural knowledge I have gained from the Gospel of John.

My very great appreciation for our senior teacher, who teaches 2 very diverse groups of students on the same day, morning and night, including international students plumbing in on zoom.

The Vision includes the confident communication of our faith based on correct doctrinal teaching, as a student of IFL I am determined to graduate and make my contribution to the Vision to teach others what I have been taught.

Minister Seymour Francis

Ecumenical Activities

We have remained members of Churches Together in Clapham (CTiC) and Churches Together in Clapham Park (CTICP) attending meetings and working together to demonstrate the unity of the Church. We are also a member of the Ixthus Christian Church under Archbishop Evangelou.

Objective 1

International Pastors' Prayer

International Pastors' Prayer is the coming together of Pastors from our covering churches to pray with Apostle Donnett accompanied by her UK Pastors.

From India – Pastor Emmanuel and Sister Beulah

From Kenya – Bishop Paul, Evangelist George, Pastor Chris and Pastor Edwin

From Uganda – Sister Gabriella

From Tanzania – Bishop Kissi

From UK – Apostle, Prophetess Alison, Pastor Chidi, Pastor Helen, Elder Colin and Pastor Pamela (host)

Prayer together has been consistent since 20th June 2020 to date and has been found to be a God send to all Pastors especially during the Covid pandemic when borders had been closed to the Apostle, preventing her missionary visits to the covering churches in Kenya and India.

Having this prayer forum on zoom has been an important tool to keep Apostle connected to the Pastors of the covering churches abroad and for all Pastors, including UK, to pray together. What better way to bond but in prayer. The Ministry has found during missionary journeys that Pastors and their families need support and need regular teaching to support them building their congregations.

The prayer forum had included members from all Pastors' ministerial team to attend prayer meetings which they have found a benefit to their spiritual growth when encouraged to participate in the prayers, hearing expositors from the Bible, words of encouragement, requests for prayers supported, prophesy and a prophetic word.

The International Pastors Prayer is truly a part of the arm of True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN). In July 2021 we hosted an International Sunday Service in St Stephen's church connecting our covering churches in India, Kenya and Uganda via zoom with all churches taking part with their congregations.

God will open a door in these nations for TRAN and these men and women of God will be ready to move upon God's command. Ready because we are being prepared to work together as one Body.

Please keep us in your prayers.

Rev Pamela Dickenson

Objective 2

International Activities – Borders Opened

On 18th February 2022, storm Eunice arrived in force. Apostle Donnett and I were in a plane at the end of Heathrow runway. The wings of other planes swayed in the wind. The pilot told us the wind had increased, it was not safe to take-off, the wind had to calm or change direction and that seemed unlikely. We prayed for God to act. Suddenly, the pilot said, 'We are taking off now, everyone sits down'. In 10 minutes we were airborne, thanking God.

The True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN) meeting held in the Luke Hotel, Nairobi on Saturday 19th February was excellent. Rev George Ngalo (Pool of Siloam) asked, 'Do you really Know God?'; Bishop Paul Makau (Jesus Christ Army Ministries) asked, 'Are you ready for the Rapture?'; Apostle Donnett taught, 'What does God demand of you'; and Prophetess Alison ended with God asking Kenyans to change their thinking from being receivers to givers who invest in the Kingdom of God.

Rev Chidi Umezurike, TRAN Chair UK joined us via zoom with Rev Helen Smith, Rev Pamela Dickenson and Elder Colin Thomas. It was a powerful reminder that God speaks through His anointed vessels to teach and change lives for His kingdom all over the world.



On Sunday 20th Apostle Donnett ordained 2 Ministers and 2 Deacons at the Pool of Siloam Church in Nairobi. The Five-fold Apostolic Team worked seamlessly together, confident in each other's anointing, no task was too small to ensure the service and video on zoom enabled everyone to be a part of this day. The anointing flowed in great power upon the ordinands. The Church celebrated with great happiness as these faithful servants of God took their first step into Ministry. Tears were shed in London who joined us via zoom for the Pastors ordination.



Apostolic Team



New Ministers



Apostle prays for Harmon Ngalo

Arriving at the Mission Home in Mombasa on Tuesday 22nd, after 2.25 years away, was demanding. The generator had stopped working, a workman repaired it.



Mission homes need good maintenance. Pastors come to seek Apostle's counsel or bring people needing help from the Apostle. This important place has changed lives and Ministries for the better.

We visited Christ Visitation Centre over the next week.

The Church had gone through much, their premises had been snatched from them by a rogue landlord, they had to find new premises to worship in etc. It was so 'sad', we saw the Pastor's concern. The congregation were grateful for Apostle's visit because she raised their spirits. Apostle installed Pastor Catherine Odhiambo as the Assistant Pastor of the Church. Rev Chris Odhiambo introduced his new Ministers-in-training to the Apostle over lunch at the Jambo Hotel. Prophetess Alison ministered at CVC lunchtime meetings for two days.



On 3rd March, we ministered at Berean Bible Church where the young people of the Church surprised Apostle with a belated birthday celebration.

On Sunday 5th March we ministered at a CVC Aldina Branch where God showed His power by opening blind eyes. Apostle preached and then we left for the airport, thanking God the airport was open and His work could continue.



Very Rev Alison Trethewy

Objective 2

Precious Years

Our Precious Years 50+ Club is in its 16th year and the work and Vision continue to move forward. Numbers fluctuated during the pandemic, but we continued to meet.

We celebrated special birthdays of 3 members this year.

We keep in contact with those who cannot come out with regular telephone calls so that they know the Ministry are still thinking of them.

We offer friendship and provide Holistic Care for those wanting a place to chat and visit and to help them to be mentally stimulated.

I thank those who volunteer their time and care to support the faithful members of Precious Years and it is a great fellowship to learn new skills while being together especially after the Pandemic.

Rev Helen Smith

Objective 2

Women's Health

The Menopause is a natural process which occurs in every woman's life. A woman's menopause is said to have occurred when her last menstrual period was one year ago. After this date she is considered post – menopausal. (Menopausal symptoms often occur in the months or years leading up to a woman's final period. This time is often referred as the perimenopause).

In our Ministry we have had the privilege of learning and being more informed about the menopause. (This is ongoing). It is about raising awareness and being knowledgeable about this very important change. With this awareness and knowledge, women are being equipped to manage any troubling symptoms and reduce any risks of long term health problems after the menopause. It is also about getting the right help, at the time, from the right people and making use of all the best available resources.

This time of learning is not only for the women of the Ministry, but for the men. Husbands need to know, fathers, and other family members. During this time of preparation for the sessions, I have learnt a tremendous amount, especially about what is current and up to date pertaining to the menopause and how women can be helped. The information and knowledge gained is being shared. By raising awareness, even how it should be in the workplace, there are those who have gone back to their places of work, made enquiries as to what is available, and they are benefitting. As well as all of this - prayer, prayer, prayer,

It must never be forgotten that when God created us, our bodies were designed to go through the menopause. Psalm 139: V 14 states: "I will praise thee: for I am fearfully and wonderfully made." The Bible mentions the menopause. Genesis 18: V 11b states "And it ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women." God desires us to go through these changes, embrace them, and continue to live fulfilled lives.

By raising awareness and equipping, it means that when the younger women reach the age / time of menopause, they will have been adequately prepared and will continue to live healthy fulfilling lives. It is hoped that they will have passed this knowledge to the next generation.

For the vision of the Ministry, those in Ministry will flow, function and minister unhindered. Also, that the Ministry will be a source and resource for helping others to be adequately equipped, not only in their own lives, but in the lives of their families, and in their communities. Going forward it is hoped that this equipping and educating can continue through the Women's Ministry and TRAN. (Even through a team of trainers).



To our Senior Pastor: Rt. Rev, Apostle, Dr. Donnett Thomas, Honorary Ecumenical Canon of Southwark Cathedral, we say thank you.

Elder Beryl Walcott

Objective 3

Anointed Dance

Anointed Dance was not very easily understood. My beginnings were extremely tough. When I was given the opportunity to minister in dance within a team of other dancers to 'BREAK EVERY CHAIN - by Natasha Cobbs', I was still not understanding that God was and is in charge of our entire walk with Him. I say this because back then I still thought I was the decision maker of my own life, for it has always been that way for as long as I can remember.

All dancers were required to wear a golden mask which covered every part of the face, apart from the eyes. I made every excuse that I possibly could, one of which I said, 'I couldn't wear it like this because I couldn't breathe very well underneath it.' The day before the Sunday we were to minister in dance during our Sunday Service, I stayed up all night creating a new mask. I completely removed the lower part leaving only the covering of the eyes. The following day I was told if any dancers couldn't be one of the same, then they would not be allowed to dance.

This was the first dance my sister came to watch and support me. I really wanted to do this dance so very much, even though I was still a bit disappointed that I made the new mask and could not wear it. However, I came to realise that it was never about me wearing the new mask. God wanted me to be a part of and did not want me to feel I was not part of the newness he has pre-destined for each of us individually and co-operatively. Not only did God start the process of breaking the physical chains, but also the spiritual chains from my life within that one dance of which I was willing to do. In addition, because I was obedient to His instruction, God made a way to minister to my sister and opened the heart of His house to embrace her.

I felt being a part of Anointed Dance has given me a sense of worth, a sense of belonging and that my contribution to His house is much appreciated. I have received an understanding that Anointed Dance is not a performance, for it has a deeper meaning. When I was given the opportunity to dance on my own, I began to recognise that it was unto Him that I should and must worship Him alone, which then allows His awesome power to be elevated through me. It has helped me to worship Him, to give Him gratitude and it allows that inner confidence which has been shunned by others causing a pattern of suppression for many years, to come out, as I totally rely on Him.

What it means for my future? He is working in me and through me allowing me to face obstacles and any challenges that I am faced with, because He is in control of everything, in every situation and He has the final say. When man says no, He says yes and it's never what man says but it's what God says. By sharing and ministering through dance to others, it demonstrates that I am doing what God wants and has for me to do. It also shows that I am willing whole-heartedly to be a servant of God.

Taking that step into a complete and new adventure I have also discovered that practical Ministry is still just as powerful as preaching, exhortation, teaching, Ministry of Helps, when it comes to drawing and helping people from various walks of life to multiply God's Kingdom.

Sis Charmaine Brown

Objective 3

Other Activities

Creative day

Creative Ministry has become so much more this year. We have gone from just a Creative Day to regular evenings of creative expression and learning new techniques. We have explored batik, printing and clay work. We look forward to having more and also for each of us to be able to use the techniques we have learnt to express ourselves at home.

Prayer Garden

This year we have launched a prayer garden at my home. It was a Vision God had given me as I recovered from surgery a few years ago. The garden has brought me peace and intimate moments with The Lord.

I want to extend the same experience to others who would like to find creative ways to have intimacy with Christ. The garden is developing well, with brethren we have transformed the garden into a space where you can talk and relax and introduce more plants to enjoy.

Sis Nakessa Simpson



Literacy Evening

Something we use so often in our lives that holds great power and can give life when used correctly - the words we use and how we use them. Literacy evening has shone a light on my grammar, how I construct my sentences and which words to use where. We have had lively and refreshing classes on 'their, there and they're', when to use apostrophes and why does this sentence not make sense, but to name a few. These lessons have been valuable in lifting my confidence in my writing and speaking, highlighting knowledge I already had and teaching me things I didn't know. Literacy has been fun and informative making learning accessible to all age groups and abilities. This has given me the skills I can apply in my future for exams and assignment writing both inside and outside of the ministry.

Sis Rhianna Davis

Sunday Breakfast

As Head of Hospitality, I have co-ordinated and worked with Minister Seymour in providing Breakfast for the Ministry on the first Sunday per month since April 2022. I was happy to be involved in this as I enjoy cooking and serving, I do get joy from people enjoying my food. I believe that gatherings which have food and drink involved, are always a great way of bringing people together. These 'Breakfasts' are giving a second opportunity (end of service refreshments being the first) for Brethren to have some time to sit, relax and talk with each other which aids in building closer relationships.

Sis Marian Atunrase

Objective 3

Other Activities

Sports Day & Barbeque - 2 May 2022



Great weather, lots of fun for all age groups and abilities, the egg and spoon race has never been so popular!!

A Christians Against Poverty (CAP) training was held in October/November 2021 over 3 weeks. Attendees were taught how to consider managing their finances to move them into a positive financial position. It was well received and helped people to consider new aspects of their personal budgeting and expenditure.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy
CAP Coach

ON TRAC – Spiritual and Pastoral Care Online

This was an 8 week course and Training that I attended with Elder Beryl Walcott on Tuesday evenings. This was a free course open to people attending faith communities / groups in South London boroughs of Lewisham, Croydon, Lambeth and Southwark. We had 10 Modules designed to show Black Faith and religious groups/communities how to help members of our congregation who may be experiencing mental health difficulties. In group sessions we had an opportunity to learn about what mental health is, to meet mental health professionals, find out their role and how the mental health system works.

The course helped develop skills around listening and how to engage with and support congregation members who may be experiencing difficulties. We discussed wider issues stigma, mental health inequalities, barriers to accessing help within Black communities, and creative ways that we can work together to improve this.

This project was led by Dr Louise Codjoe, who has a strong interest and passion in improving health care inequalities and working with Black communities.

Rev Helen Smith

Objective 3

Donations Worldwide

We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

Kenya

Helping Pastors family to start a business to support his family in Nairobi.

Assisting us with Attorney General's Office business in Nairobi.

School fees/ food for Pastors children in Nairobi.

Uganda

Jehovah Alive for Old Age (JAFOA) feeding, caring and medical programme.

Providing masks to prevent spread of Covid.



UK

Mission Home running expenses.

A Member's Mum's funeral expenses in Jamaica.



In Conclusion

Power of the Living Word Ministries International encourages and welcomes members of the community to live out their faith by providing places of worship and fellowship. It expresses the love of our Lord Jesus Christ through community outreaches and education. This report details some of the important work carried out by Power of the Living Word Ministries International which have impacted the lives of its members and partners.

It contains reports from a wide group of 'saints' from the youngest (aged 12) to a member of the 50+ club - an Elder of the Ministry. Power of the Living Word Ministries International proudly caters for the needs of all generations. Apostle Donnett Thomas and Elder Colin Thomas have a particular interest in children and this desire to support and impact the lives of young people in the ministry definitely shines through.

It was a pleasure to work on this report and speak with all those who have contributed.

As a Trustee I am committed to ensuring that as many people as possible attend and enjoy our worship services and all the activities and programmes that the Ministry engages in.

We look forward to the future – where we look for more innovative and God given creative ways to advance Christianity within our community and beyond.

Sis Fay Bucknall

Secretary

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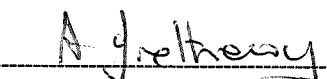
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	£	£
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	36,149.44	37,338.72
	40,649.44	41,838.72
Capital And Reserves		
Accumulated Funds		
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Committee Member

Date 31/3/23

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Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 May 2022

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	£	£	£	£
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Premier House		530.00		
Hire of Halls - St Stephens		5,705.00		
Mission/Kenya		1,698.00		
Gross Interest Received		7.50		2.33
Contributions for Conferences - DIA		5,060.00		2,930.00
Vacation Bible School		334.95		
Education Fund		16,147.41		-
Building Fund Contributions		487.02		169.00
Cassettes/Tapes Sales				30.00
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		-		14,867.96
		<u>71,198.00</u>		<u>72,788.06</u>
DIA - Costs of Conferences	6,600.00		2,798.00	
Salaries	12,600.00		12,600.00	
Donations and Special Events	5,331.05		17,141.63	
Hire of Halls - St Stephens	9,975.20		6,556.80	
Special Event - Vacation Bible School	454.75		-	
Insurance and Licences	1,041.29		947.39	
Telephone and Internet	1,083.47		989.54	
Rent, Rates and Light and Heat	14,363.53		17,013.65	
Miscellaneous	742.29		371.43	
Administration	650.69		547.72	
Subscription	327.68			
Accountancy	1,500.00		2,160.00	
Africa - Rent, Requisites, Salaries	17,717.33		13,896.60	
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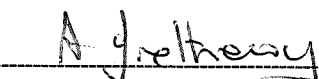
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Annual Report

2020/21



**Not by might, nor by power but
by my Spirit" says the Lord of
hosts'**

**Zechariah 4 v 6
Hebrews 4 v 12**



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Vision

Power of the Living Word Ministries International will concentrate and develop such a profound sharpness of intellect and anointing is fundamentally geared to teaching God's principles and precepts, line by line.

To establish a worldwide Apostolic network of five- fold Ministers to support, encourage, build-up and mature the Body of Christ.

To teach all generations Kingdom of God principles to set free, loose, reclaim, restore and penetrate the kingdom of darkness bringing hope and salvation through the Lord Jesus Christ.

To examine current traditional attitudes and rites against Biblical standards

To develop a base of love and welcome to all abilities, race and knowledge

Objectives

Objective 1 - The Advancement of Christianity

- Sunday Bible School (SBS)
- Young People's Forum (YPF)
- Hour in the Word – adults
- Vacation Bible School (VBS)
- Discipleship in Action – teaching week away (DIA)
- Ecumenical activities
- International Pastors Prayers

Arms of Power of the Living Word Ministries International

- True Redemption Apostolic Network (TRAN)
- Institute for Life (IFL)

Objective 2 - The relief of poverty, suffering and distress of men, women and children across the world

- Spearhead Group (dealing with areas of abuse, domestic violence, emotional problems)
- Precious Years 50+ Luncheon Club
- Supporting families and young people
- International support
- Mission Homes UK and Mombasa, Kenya
- Vulnerable Adults, Child Protection and Privacy Policies

Objective 3 - The provision of advice, counselling and supportive services

- Financial planning and advice'
- Creative Arts
- Donations worldwide

Chairman's Report

The Trustee Board continues to be thankful and appreciative of Apostle Donnett's leadership, spiritual insight and wisdom. Even more so this year, as Apostle Donnett and Elder Colin were forced to remain in Jamacia during the first lockdown. As we adapted to the restrictions of the Covid-19 Pandemic, the Ministry was able to continue on zoom with Apostle Donnett's continued oversight, guidance and contributions as our Pastors continued the work of the Ministry.

Being able to meet every Sunday on zoom and for our weekly meetings helped us be creative with how we used zoom to the benefit us all. We returned to St Stephens Church in the summer when restrictions were lifted and were able to go on our Discipleship In Action Teaching Week away in August, albeit with very great restrictions in place. We have maintained our fellowship and care for one another throughout all lockdowns. This was great achievement and I would like to thank those who quickly became experts on zoom in the Audios Visual Team.

Our International Pastors in Kenya, India and Uganda have been able to meet regularly with our Senior Pastor and Pastors here in the UK for prayer and pastoral support because we have not been able to travel to their Churches. A benefit to come out of using zoom was the ability to establish a children's work in Uganda which grew from one child to 15 children and their parents coming for teaching locally on a Wednesday evening. We missed our local community children who were not able to join us during most of the year because of the restrictions. This is an area we will look to build up in the coming year.

This report shows that despite the world being under restrictions, curfews, lockdowns etc, the Word of God can never be restricted. We have successfully maintained what we have and we look to expand into new areas and countries as the travel restriction are lifted.

I gratefully acknowledge the leaders, members and partners who have contributed to our annual report this year and for their continued support of the Ministry during the past year. They have all contributed to what we have achieved and showed themselves faithful to God's work. Their reports testify to the objectives that direct all that is being accomplished for the Kingdom of God.

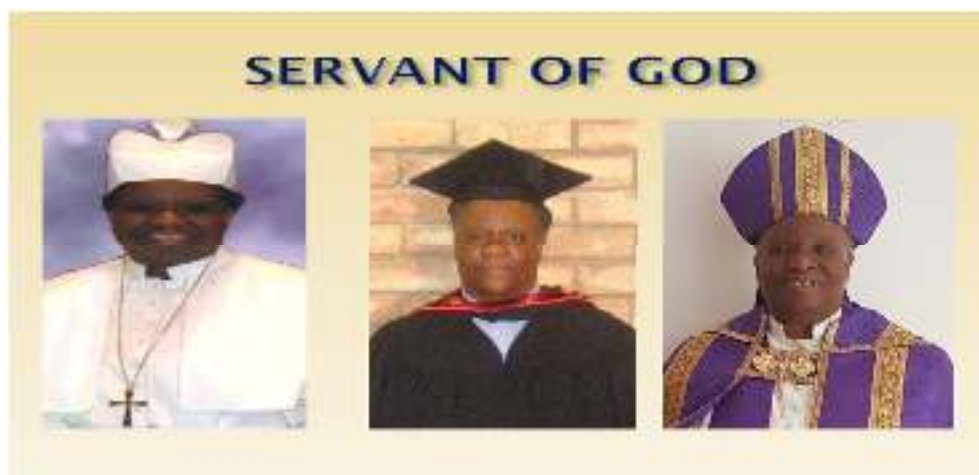
Helen Mills



Anniversaries

40th Anniversary of the Apostle coming to know Jesus Christ as her Saviour.

The 2 April 2021 marked 40 years of service to Almighty God for our Apostle. A powerpoint presentation on her journey of faith included: sickness, awarded an Honorary Doctor of Divinity; faithful service in another Vision; being released with her own Vision and establishing a Ministry; a stroke; consecration as an Apostle by Apostle R Williams in Houston, Texas; establishing the Institute for Life; consecration as a Bishop under the International Ministerial Council of Great Britain, the first black woman Bishop as Chair of Churches Together in South London; developing mission work in Churches in Kenya, India and Uganda; becoming an Honorary Ecumenical Canon of Southwark Cathedral; consecrating her first Bishop in Kenya; and developing young people to continue the work in the Ministry. We honour your journey Apostle and are blessed to serve in the Kingdom of God with you.



20th Anniverary of the Ministry

On 24th January 2021, we celebrated 20 years of the Vision given to our Apostle. Our journey started as WOW Ministries and changed in 2008 to Power of the Living Word Ministries International. A Worship Centre has been established in St Stephen's Church, and we are now the worshipping community in Clapham Park. The occasion was marked by a powerpoint presentation on zoom, a lively occasion with many testimonies and gratitude to God for His Divine favour. Contributions came from our Covering Churches in Kenya, India and Uganda.

We look forward to where God will send us next as we develop the saints of God for His work worldwide.

Reflections

This past year had its ups and downs as we lived with restrictions in every area of our lives. It was difficult not to be able to give personal pastoral care to our members and to meet each other for fellowship on a regular basis. The lockdowns brought out people's fears and made some isolated, others designated as clinically vulnerable (never having considered themselves that before) while others were working hard on the frontline providing NHS services, transport services, pharmacy services, and other essential aspects of our lives. We are grateful to use St Stephens's Church, so we were able to return to worship services with Covid requirements dominating how we met, worshipped and conducted our services. We understood our responsibilities to each other and ensured we were careful with contacts and remained in the 'Bubbles', we lived within.

Many members were affected by extra or different work and tirelessly gave all they had to protect and care for the vulnerable and those shut in. We shopped and brought medicines to those unable to venture out and the doorstep became a source of conversation and hope albeit with distance between people. We checked on neighbours and offered any support they needed. Others worked in the NHS, some with no PPE at the start, bringing comfort and care wherever they could. It was a difficult time and everyone did what they could for the benefit of others.

Prayer was an important response we could give and many asked for prayers for sick relatives and their families. We supported families who could not travel abroad to attend funerals of loved ones and those in London who had funerals to attend.

The joy was seeing answers to prayers, healings and some people coming to Church and seeing the power of God answer their prayers. God was evident to those who turned to Him and we saw many life changing answers to prayers. Lives that would look back and be grateful that they were able to come into the House of God and bring their situation to God and He would act on their behalf.

With our Apostle and Elder grounded in Jamaica for six months, we were able to continue caring and uplifting one another through zoom. We were able to support them in Jamaica and they were very much part of what we were doing in London, Kenya, Uganda and India. We appreciate our Apostle for the teaching she has given us as Leaders so we could maintain our presence in Clapham Park and continue the work of the Kingdom of God.

It has been a different year but members and partners pulled together to provide a place where God showed His power, grace and love in so many different ways. No one needed to be alone, we rescued young minds from isolation and the impact on their mental wellbeing and ensured we met regularly for those who wanted to find hope when they could not see it.

Very Rev Alison Trethewy



Objective 1

Zoom Development to Audio Visual Team (AVT)

We began this year very differently from the last, having to be on Zoom for our ministry services did not hamper our worship. We were able to come together virtually but still were able to be ministered to spiritually. From what started as just UK members of the ministry joining for our Sunday worship services, we swiftly moved on to us being taught internationally during the week, while our teacher was overseas and our international Pastors being able to attend our services all without having to get on a plane. There has been a forward move in having this opportunity to meet online and fellowship with believers. With the growth of our team we have been able progress from a PA team to an audio-visual team which encompasses more people and areas to work in, as it started with just one person responsible for the organising of the meetings and recordings to many working together in symphony. When we returned to the church building, we found that there was still a space for the Audio-visual team to work and grow more by taking on the recording of the services and even have continued attendance of our international members to our services via zoom. We have seen the growth of not only our own spiritual lives but also of the fellowship of members. We have seen the international growth of our ministry by being able to hold international prayers with our Pastors abroad and in the UK. There is no limit to the work God can do and this has been an effective tool for God to use.



Sis Rhianna Davis

Objective 1

Sunday Bible School

Sunday Bible School has been developing with the establishment of children's work in Uganda, and the highlight of the children's lives in Uganda is SBS. The 8-13 year olds enjoyed interactive and energetic biblical lessons over zoom twice a week with a midweek session on a Tuesday and their very own session on zoom on Sundays. The children engaged in learning how to hear God's voice and distinguish who's voice they were listening to through the creation story. Children enjoyed discussion, games and written assignments such as poetry, story writing and exhortations on what they had learnt. This was welcomed by parents.

During the first lockdown we held Tuesday Bible School on zoom to keep in contact with our children. We discussed their fears (resulting from the pandemic) and used the story of Daniel in the Lions Den, read Psalm 56 and sang our favourite songs. The children aged 5 - 9 years were asked to write a journal to record their thoughts and fears by drawing and any prayers which they could keep or share with their parents. 'Dear diary this happened or this is how I am feeling'. A puppet beaver visited, spoke and shared.

It was a blessing to learn in different ways and be together.

This was important to pray and continue the Generations of Life during the lockdown.

Sunday Bible School with the younger children taught them many new things. Most of the year was on zoom and our children entered into this new teaching environment very well. 'I have learnt to obey my elders, to pray with boldness,, to sing and dance because every Sunday our teachers dance and sing with us'. Testimony from a child aged 5 in Uganda. She also says 'I feel so happy to be friends with new SBS children from London because my English has improved because of my teachers. I feel so good when I put into practise what my teachers taught me and other children copying my ways'. Her mother says 'I am seeing them grow up in Godly way and this is a plus to me'. Although this was a challenging year we have seen changes in the children and their great willingness to participate in the teaching and the assignments set. Thanks to all the teachers for their constant commitment to all the children.

Rev Helen Smith and Sis Nakessa Simpson

Objective 1

Teaching in the Ministry

The Ministry has been consistent in providing teaching even through the Lockdown period. The Ministry objective for the advancement of Christianity was unhampered by the Lockdown and Pandemic, with a great deal of teaching being provided by Apostle Donnett with her classes. The Apostle started the teaching on Spiritual Warfare whilst in Jamaica, via Zoom in early 2020 and continued on her return to the UK. This was followed by 'Angelology' and then by "Holiness is our Goal". We also saw a change to the day we hold our equipping the Saints from Wednesdays to Fridays, which has been a welcome development.

The teaching by Apostle to the Ministers in training (formerly Call to Ministry) has also been maintained and other ordained Ministers such as Elder Beryl, have taught the trainee ministers. The Apostle also gave us a teaching on Team Building which helped us see the value and worth in one another on the Teams we work within.

On 15th April 2021, the Institute For Life (IFL) recommenced with two classes a week by Apostle on The Pentateuch. There has been a remarkable growth as we now have international students attending from two different continents i.e Asia (India) and Africa (Uganda) via Zoom.

The Hour in the Word recommenced in the Church in early 2021 with a teaching by Prophetess Alison on The Book of Nahum.

We continue by God's Grace to equip and perfect the Saints through teaching. The commitment and dedication of our Apostle and her teaching Team to provide very in-depth Spiritual teaching has been a blessing to many especially through an unprecedented and trying period globally. The depth of teaching has truly been inspiring.

Pastor Chidi Umezurike

Discipleship In Action

We were blessed when we were able to go to Devere Estate, Old Windsor for our Discipleship in Action teaching week away in August 2021. The restrictions from the pandemic made this an interesting time, where we learned to be isolated from other guests and eat our breakfast in our rooms and other meals out of cardboard boxes.

The teaching was precise and powerful, showing us that being a disciple of Jesus Christ is a great calling and God provides spiritually for His work. We are to measure ourselves to the Holy Spirit and live lives that are pure and Holy to be in service to God. We had a 'Tiny Disciples', who enjoyed many activities, games and play and they gave us a great presentation on what they had learned.

Although not an easy week, because of the necessary Covid restrictions we give thanks we were able to meet between lockdowns.



Objective 1

The Institute for Life

The Module on Church History

All students are empowered by the quality of teachings delivered to them, by their tutors who are the best for the kingdom of God. They bring into the arena teachings, they have understood themselves, because they themselves are students of the Institute. The teachings are on par to what is relevant for today's believers in Christ. Students of the institute will gain a depth of knowledge that is inspirational, and refreshing; the teaching is gathered from a multidisciplinary approach to information. The teachings are doctrinal truths, being tremendously sound since they come from a theological standpoint. It's structured to bring students to high levels of comprehension, enabling them to reason and deliver the knowledge that has been taught. As students, you will surprise yourself in what you can achieve. If you are aged in education, or fresh from education, without a shadow of a doubt, all needs are catered for at the Institute of Life.

It's great when you can link scripture to some aspect of events or vice versa as we look into understanding what caused aspects of the traditions, culture, ethics. i.e. (Easter) and the consequences. This gives you a 3D spiritual aspect, from historical, social, demographic, political level, of the powers at play in those days. You will see how God is calculating and specific in what He does. The view you get will enable you to zoom in and out of the different scenarios of the time frame. Therefore, enabling you to see the implications of the past actions, responses to the said time that's affected present action for us today. Therefore, this contributes in furnishing and facilitating our vibrant discussion about our Church in class. The amazing thing is you get to see the hand of God at work, raising up a man, or woman into a prominent position and steering them and the current climate of the day for His outcome. You get a connoisseur's guide of the various ecumenical councils, seven in total from AD 325 until AD 787, the two Schisms (divisions of the Church), how development of printing, literacy, various translations of the bible, establishment of monasteries, various crusades and much more changed Christianity for the masses. I would say when we look at Church History, the positive outweighs the negative, because God is still in control.

Veronica Aurelien

IFL student

Objective 1

International Pastors' Prayer

International Pastors' Prayer meeting was birthed in 2020 on the platform zoom. The Ministry had been using zoom for services and meetings and occasionally our Covering Churches attended.

A Whatsapp group was created as a means to communicate with all International Pastors, Bishops and Ministers as a tool to announce prayer meetings, share messages and words of encouragement as a benefit to International Ministers under the Apostle's Covering.

The first meeting was held on 20th June 2020. Pastors and Ministers from the UK, India, Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda met together for one hour of prayer. The very different time zones were not a barrier, the time differences with the UK are, India 5 hours and 30 minutes ahead. Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda 3 hours ahead.

A Pastor shared a word of encouragement each time we met. On 27th February 2021 Bishop Paul Makau delivered a word 'The importance of spiritual agreement' taken from Daniel 3 v 17-18. Servants living and operating in the Kingdom must agree, our focus is to agree and unify to become one body a model for True Redemption Apostolic Network.

We have heard from Pastor George from Pool of Siloam, Nairobi. Pastor Immanuel from The Thundalum Evangelical Church, Chennai, India. Pastor Chidi and Prophetess Alison, from the Headquarters Church in London.

We have seen the power of the Lord at work during every meeting. Internet connections have occasionally let Pastors down but we continued to encourage all to be together for this short time. These Prayer meetings have helped maintain good international relationships and we have supported one another across the world. I truly believe these Prayer meetings have identified Power of the Living Word Ministries International Covering Churches, five-fold ministers and those with a heart for mission and True Redemption Apostolic Network.



Rev Pamela Dickenson
Co-Ordinator

Objective 2

International

Our work has continued via zoom and we have seen a new development in Uganda. A young widow and her 6 year old daughter have been the nucleus for a profound new work. She has written: _

'My trust and faith in God has strengthened. Been taught the WORD and I have learnt also how to apply the word of God in my daily life. I joined the church when I was giving up on life, felt worthless, but the love I received from the church, the members, the leaders, the overseer of the Ministry made me to believe in myself again and to know that I am special before the Lord. I have received power of GOD right in my house and been delivered from the spirit of self-pity, oppression and been healed of fibroids and intense malaria. I testify the love from the Church who have supported us here financially, stepped in paid my and my daughters medical bills, supported us emotionally, spiritually, physically, dressed my daughter. I bless GOD for giving me another family, the church.

I never knew such can happen, Power of the Living Word Ministries has supported the organisation I ran here for older persons and orphaned children 3 - 24 years every quarter'.



We have also continued our support in India where a Vacation Bible School was held on the roof of a home. It was well supported and the children enjoyed being together.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF INSTITUTE FOR LIFE

We offered the Institute for Life, studying the Module on the Pentateuch to our International Pastors. We are delighted that students from India and Uganda are now studying with students from London together on a Thursday morning. This has added to the learning experience for all concerned as the teaching relates to the cultures in both Uganda and India.



We have also maintained our Mission Home in Mombasa and the two Kenyans who work there. We have provided financial and spiritual support to Pastors in Mombasa. A Pastor preached for us on zoom in our Sunday service and others have danced and contributed to our worship together. Zoom has united the Churches under the Apostle's Covering in profound ways.

Objective 2

Precious Years

Our Precious Years 50+ club is now in its 15th year and the work continues to move forward.

Regular telephone calls to keep in touch with our members who cannot come out during the pandemic has been a welcomed and a much appreciated way of us reminding our members we are still thinking of them.

One of our new members, a 95 year old lady who was brought by her daughter really enjoyed her visits and commented on how much she enjoyed the friendship shared and chats together. Her family thanked us for providing a safe and caring environment where they could bring their mother and hope to return when lockdown is lifted.

We thank those who support this work with their prayers and those who have been able to give of their time in volunteering to help care for and cook for our members.

We are delighted that one of our volunteers who has been faithful in their support of precious years members, has during the year found full time employment.

Rev Helen Smith

Objective 2

Partners

I do remember the day that I was asked to be a partner at Power of the Living Word Ministries. At that time, I was not exactly sure what this meant or how I would have an important part to play in the body of Christ. There was shift in the air/ the atmosphere was truly exciting and all the Partners were thrilled about this 'new' link with the Ministry. I knew that being a Partner would bring great rewards and be established alongside the other important and essential departments within the Ministry.

As soon as I accepted the 'right hand of fellowship' from Bishop Donnett Thomas I felt an inner change in my spirit which has enabled me to grow in confidence and establish myself (alongside other partners) as an important group of dedicated Partners of the Ministry.

Partnership to me means a collaboration – a collaboration of the spirit, mind and body to move and to make a difference. All Partners were given a unique opportunity to establish the role within the Ministry and to bring a fuller understanding of just what the role means.

Partners have been fully involved in the 'working' of the Ministry. During lockdown when we were confined to our homes, partners were still able to engage in Ministry Activities. Being a Partner means that you are able to let your Gifts Shine, like the brightest fluorescent star in the sky, and demonstrate your Love of the Lord through deeds and actions which result in change.

As a partner, I can honestly say that it has been a privilege and an inspiration to be a part of a ministry of growth and opportunities. Partners are welcomed and feel like they are able to make a difference in the life of others so in turn producing growth in themselves. From exhortations to leading workshops at Creative Day, Partners in the church have shown their commitment to fellowship collaboration and service to further develop and enhance their Christian life.

The Ministry has been a great advocate for the role of the Partners, who are able to take part in many events (which many would say) are for the Members only. Being a Partner or a Member – there is a clear distinction but being a Partner is the Ministry – has enable Partners to grow in the Faith and enabled the Church to grow in its commitment to changing lives.

Fay Bucknall

Objective 3

Personal stewardship or personal housekeeping

On Friday 29th January 2021, Very Rev Alison spoke to us on personal stewardship or personal housekeeping, sincerely, let me explain to those who missed it. We went through the processes of Wills, yes, Wills and how to go about making our decisions and things we need to avoid when making our Will, or pointers in helping others. She highlighted key responsibility and relationships of the following: the role of Executors, the roles of witnesses, and touching on HM Revenue and Customs, and the Department of Works and Pension. This was fully packed with information. It was free flowing, we were able to ask questions, it was very engaging, and we had a clearer picture of how to proceed and what we needed to put in place. We had a wealth of experience from those who contributed as well, care and concerns which needed spiritual guidance, this came in the advice on how we should practice putting key documents in a safe place, and informing those who need to know where things are kept. This helps eliminate a lot of heartache and distress for those who are left to address the tasks at hand. I would say definitely a bar had been raised that night, I felt that others were genuinely taking note of the knowledge they were receiving.

I would like to thank our Apostle Thomas for being gracious in having such a key topic discussed in the House of God. How can I forget our own Very Rev Alison, who sought out the information, knowledge and used her experience to share with us.

Bless you and thank you.

Veronica Aurelien

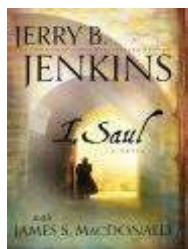
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Book Club

Following on from our literacy classes, a book club was opened up to those interested in expanding their reading abilities and knowledge of both fiction and non-fiction topics. Discussion provides learning on how to critic a book, it's underlying tones, to analyse the essence of the book, consider the circumstances outlined and the experiences of the characters involved. The book club provides the opportunity to look at the bigger picture, beyond the written words on the page to our own relatable experiences and how the message of the books relates to us today.

Our first book, 'Becoming' by Michelle Obama, is a deeply personal and courageous portrait of a woman of our time. From humble beginnings we are taken on the journey of Michelle becoming the First Lady of the United States of America.

Being born a black woman, she writes how she overcame the perspective of others, knowing what was within herself, in a way to encourage and empower others. There is no barrier in life that cannot be overcome. All are encouraged through her experiences to reach your potential within.



Our second book, , was 'I, Saul' by Jerry B Jenkins with James S McDonald. Two stories run parallel as we are introduced to a professor in modern time who is drawn into a deadly race to save parchments from antiquities thieves and Apostle Paul who is in a dank Rome dungeon in AD67 recalling his life story to his friend Luke. He urges Luke to bring the parchments

of his life works and ministry to him in prison. Hidden safely from the authorities but now needed as he prepares for the end of his life, and the continuance of the gospel message and life of discipleship to future generations.

The ensuing theme of loyal friendship tested by life-or-death pursuits not only encourages believers today that it is possible to stand fast come what may, but it challenges us to be a loyal support and friend to those who, whatever the cost, bring the gospel message of Jesus Christ wherever they go. It challenges us all...will we remain standing in the midst of great persecution.

While both books appeared to be very different, the central themes for me, were the same. Reconciliation, restoration and not living your life based on the perspective of others reminds me, that nothing is impossible with God. The New Testament account of Saul's life to the modern day record of Michelle Obama life, strengthens, inspires and reminds me to believe God and His word for my life, and that all things are possible with Him.

Minister Helen Mills

Objective 3

Other Activities

Creative Evenings

We believe it is important to give opportunities to people to try new things and express themselves creatively. We were able to organise two Creative Evenings where members were shown how to make a face mask and then made their own; how to express themselves in a painting a still life in four different mediums; how to make tiles with clay and decorate them and how painting is a very good way to relax and do something different. Our thanks go to Sis Nakessa who brought her skills to show us what we can achieve and to Deaconess Veronica who patiently showed people who are not used to sewing that they could make a face mask and wear it the same day.



Games Evenings

We created games evenings on zoom which were very well received, very competitive and a lot of fun and laughter. We learned much about each other and were able to celebrate success and good general knowledge.

Literacy Evenings

Our Literacy evenings continued with many different aspects covering reading aloud, simple sums, awareness of what you are looking at and being able to report on it at speed, creating captions for pictures and how to improve on writing English grammar. We have seen improvements and will continue to provide teaching to help in different areas.

Ecumenical Activities

We continued to be a part of the Churches Together in Clapham (CTiC) attending their Forum and Ministers meetings. It was good to hear what other Churches were going through and to offer support and prayer to other Ministers.

Our Apostle attended the Churches Together in South London (CTSL) meeting in January 2021 and on zoom attended the Conference held by the Ixthus Church Council in March 2021.

Donations worldwide

We have supported projects and people's needs as follows:

India

- Towards funeral expenses.

Kenya

- Helping Pastors family in Mombasa
- Assisting us with Attorney General's Office business in Nairobi.
- School fees for Pastors children in Nairobi

Uganda

- Jehovah Alive for Old Age feeding, caring and medical programme.
- Purchased a laptop to enable internet contact and schooling
- Hospital Medical bills for serious medical conditions

UK

- Mission Home running expenses
- Partner's Dad's funeral expenses in Jamaica
- Churches Together in Clapham donation to Methodist Church
- Christian Concern to support their work.
- Churches Together in England retirement of Principal Officer for Charismatic & Pentecostal Relations.



Now able to attend school online

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	2021	2020
	£	£
Fixed Assets		
Nu Start Project	4,500.00	4,500.00
Current Assets		
Cash at bank	22,004.70	23,902.57
Cash in hand		336.83
Building Deposit etc	15,334.02	15,334.02
	37,338.72	39,573.42
	<u>41,838.72</u>	<u>44,073.42</u>
Capital And Reserves		
Accumulated Funds		
Brought forward	44,073.42	44,507.67
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	(2,235)	(434)
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Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 May 2021

	2021		2020	
	£	£	£	£
Donations and Gifts		54,788.77		58,262.91
Gross Interest Received		2.33		7.22
Contributions for Conferences		2,930.00		7,405.00
Special events		-		1,947.00
Building Fund Contributions		169.00		174.00
Cassettes/Tapes Sales		30.00		55.00
Gift Aid Tax Rebate		14,867.96		14,401.69
		<u>72,788.06</u>		<u>82,252.82</u>
Costs of Conferences	2,798.00		9,421.48	
Salaries	12,600.00		12,600.00	
Donations and Special Events	17,141.63		8,591.12	
Hire of Halls	6,556.80		8,899.48	
Vacation Bible School	-		537.58	
Insurance and Licences	947.39		984.81	
Telephone and Internet	989.54		798.12	
Rent, Rates and Light and Heat	17,013.65		18,508.24	
Miscellaneous	371.43		701.74	
Administration	547.72		488.49	
Accountancy	2,160.00		2,160.00	
Africa - Rent, Requisites, Salaries	13,896.60		18,996.01	
		<u>75,022.76</u>		<u>82,687.07</u>
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Discipleship in Action (DIA)		2,930.00		7,405.00
Special Events				
Christmas Dinner and Dance	-		1,828.00	
Vacation Bible School	-		119.00	
		0.00		1,947.00
Donations for				
Premier House	530.00		530.00	
Hire of Halls - St Stephens	6,905.00		8,094.60	
Education Fund	299.00		307.00	
Mission/Kenya	1,415.14		2,352.14	
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