

Charity registration number: 1126480

# Beulah Baptist Church

Annual Report and Financial Statements  
for the Year Ended 31 December 2024

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## **Beulah Baptist Church**

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## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Reference and Administrative Details**

<b>Trustees</b>	Rev D Lockwood, Senior Minister
	Mr P Reigh, Treasurer
	Mr I Howell
	Mr B Henley
	Mrs A Pragnell
	Mr A V Pannell
	Mrs S Feakins
	Mr K McKay
	Mr B Wightwick
<b>Secretary</b>	Mrs R Lawrie
<b>Charity Registration Number</b>	1126480
<b>Principal Office</b>	Beulah Baptist Church Buckhurst Road Bexhill-On-Sea East Sussex TN40 1QA
<b>Independent Examiner</b>	Manningtons 39 High Street Battle East Sussex TN33 0EE
<b>Bankers</b>	Barclays Bank Leicester LE87 2BB
	Baptist Union Corporation Ltd PO Box 44 129 Broadway Didcot Oxon

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Trustees' Report**

The trustees present the annual report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2024.

#### **Structure, governance and management**

##### ***Nature of governing document***

The Church was founded in the 1890s to provide the area of Bexhill-on-Sea with a Baptist Church. The Church is constituted under a trust deed of 1973 (which replaced the original deed of 1896) according to the rules of the Baptist Union of Great Britain and governed by Deacons and Elders who comprise the Trustees under Charity Law. The policy of the Church is to have sufficient financial resources and voluntary help to be able to offer local residents Sunday services and various other activities in a Christian context.

##### ***Recruitment and appointment of trustees***

Deacons and Elders together with the ministers are appointed by election at Church meetings according to the rules of the Church and are the Trustees.

##### ***Organisational structure***

The Trustees are responsible to the Church meeting which is the final authority on all matters of Church government.

#### **Objectives and activities**

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Functions of the Church are carried out by various groups: Sunday Club, Creche, Beulah Toddlers, Mid-week and Sunday activities for children and young people, CAMEO, Connect Groups, Clifford Day Centre, Sunday Lunch Club, Church Prayer Evening, Access Group, Board Games Club, Art Group, Marching Band, Square Dance Group, Community meals and the Ukraine Hub.

##### ***Church Membership***

Church Membership at 31 December 2024 was 200 members (2023: 185 members).

##### ***Public benefit***

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the requirements of section 17 of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission for England and Wales.

##### ***Grant making policies***

Grants are made to individuals who are members of the Church to assist them in a Christian activity or to study for Christian ministry.

##### ***Use of volunteers***

The Church depends on the voluntary services of many helpers in order to offer such a wide range of activities.

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Trustees' Report (continued)**

#### **Financial review**

It is encouraging to see the membership and attendances increasing. The church's financial position continues to be healthy with the freewill offerings continuing at a good level and income from room hirings and bank interest increasing.

Our efforts to recruit a full time Assistant Pastor proved fruitless. The plan is now to seek up to five part-time new members of staff - each working eight hours a week on defined areas of ministry. The appointments will initially be for two years and funded from the proceeds of the 2023 Gift Day.

The growth of the fellowship underlines the need for additional and flexible space and so the pursuit of the Building Development Project remains very important. Following the refusal of our second planning application (in August 2023) to demolish the sanctuary and Buckhurst Room and rebuild more appropriate accommodation, we have now entered into a Planning Performance Agreement with the Local Planning Authority. This will enable us to obtain a clear understanding of the type of development that is likely to be allowed and lead to an appropriate outcome for the church.

Our Community Meals and Ukraine Hub ministries continue to be mainly funded by external grants from ESCC, via Rother Voluntary Action. Nationally, the church supports BMS World Mission and the Baptist Home Mission Fund and, locally, the Food Bank, Homelessness Unity Group (HUG) and Christians Against Poverty (CAP).

Changing the charitable status of the church to a Charitable Incorporated Organisation is still on going and hopefully will be achieved during 2025.

#### ***Policy on reserves***

The reserves policy of Beulah Baptist Church is to hold 25% of all annual expenditure to allow the church to adapt to any changes in the income or expenditure of the church and to allow for emergency building repairs. The Trustees currently believe this amount to be £75,000. Surplus monies are held on deposit at the Church's bankers.

The free reserves at the year end 31st December 2024 were £700,384 (2023 - £695,325).

#### **Conflicts of interest**

In all circumstances where trustees of the church are considered for payments, other than the refunding of out-of-pocket expenses, this should be considered at a meeting of the trustees and agreed by a majority of those present but not including the individual(s) concerned. This to include payments to close relatives and the provision of goods and services where a trustee has a financial interest. If there is any doubt then the Charity Commission must be consulted

## Beulah Baptist Church

### Statement of Trustees' Responsibilities

The trustees are responsible for preparing the trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with the United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) and applicable law and regulations.

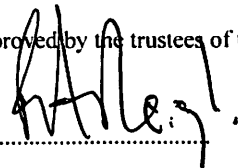
The law applicable to charities requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008, and the provisions of the constitution. The trustees are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the charitable company's website. Legislation governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

Approved by the trustees of the Charity on 8/5/25 and signed on its behalf by:

  
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Trustee

  
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Trustee

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Independent Examiner's Report to the trustees of Beulah Baptist Church**

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2024 which are set out on pages 6 to 18.

#### **Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner**

The trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed. The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### **Basis of independent examiner's report**

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

#### **Independent examiner's statement**

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

(1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities

have not been met; or

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

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

  
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R Walsh FCCA  
Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales  
Manningtons Chartered Accountants  
39 High Street  
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23 April 2025

## Beulah Baptist Church

### Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 December 2024

	Note	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
<b>Income and Endowments from:</b>					
Donations and legacies	2	227,167	18,618	245,785	381,717
Investment income	3	12,814	12,411	25,225	11,355
Other income	4	28,671	-	28,671	28,083
Total Income		<u>268,652</u>	<u>31,029</u>	<u>299,681</u>	<u>421,155</u>
<b>Expenditure on:</b>					
Charitable activities	5	(239,257)	(53,445)	(292,702)	(250,241)
Governance costs	6	(1,920)	-	(1,920)	(4,140)
Total Expenditure		<u>(241,177)</u>	<u>(53,445)</u>	<u>(294,622)</u>	<u>(254,381)</u>
Net income/(expenditure)		27,475	(22,416)	5,059	166,774
Gross transfers between funds		<u>(37,744)</u>	<u>37,744</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>Other recognised gains and losses</b>					
Net movement in funds		(10,269)	15,328	5,059	166,774
<b>Reconciliation of funds</b>					
Total funds brought forward		<u>337,773</u>	<u>972,824</u>	<u>1,310,597</u>	<u>1,143,823</u>
Total funds carried forward	16	<u>327,504</u>	<u>988,152</u>	<u>1,315,656</u>	<u>1,310,597</u>

All of the charity's activities derive from continuing operations during the above two periods.

The funds breakdown for 2023 and 2024 is shown in note 16.



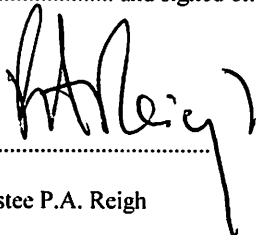
# Beulah Baptist Church

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Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2024

	Note	2024 £	2023 £
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Tangible assets	11	615,272	615,272
<b>Current assets</b>			
Debtors	12	4,179	6,592
Cash at bank and in hand	13	<u>702,956</u>	<u>695,562</u>
		707,135	702,154
<b>Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year</b>	14	<u>(6,751)</u>	<u>(6,829)</u>
<b>Net current assets</b>		<u>700,384</u>	<u>695,325</u>
<b>Net assets</b>		<u>1,315,656</u>	<u>1,310,597</u>
<b>Funds of the charity:</b>			
<b>Restricted income funds</b>			
Restricted funds		988,152	972,824
<b>Unrestricted income funds</b>			
Unrestricted funds		<u>327,504</u>	<u>337,773</u>
<b>Total funds</b>	16	<u>1,315,656</u>	<u>1,310,597</u>

The financial statements on pages 7 to 20 were approved by the trustees, and authorised for issue on

8/5/25 and signed on their behalf by:

  
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Trustee P.A. Reigh

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024**

#### **1 Accounting policies**

##### **Statement of compliance**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015) - (Charities SORP (FRS 102)), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

##### **Basis of preparation**

Beulah Baptist Church meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy notes.

##### **Going concern**

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

##### **Income and endowments**

Voluntary income including donations, gifts, legacies and grants that provide core funding or are of a general nature is recognised when the charity has entitlement to the income, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

##### **Donations and legacies**

Donations and legacies are recognised on a receivable basis when receipt is probable and the amount can be reliably measured.

##### **Expenditure**

All expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to that expenditure, it is probable settlement is required and the amount can be measured reliably. All costs are allocated to the applicable expenditure heading that aggregate similar costs to that category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated on a basis consistent with the use of resources, with central staff costs allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges allocated on the portion of the asset's use. Other support costs are allocated based on the spread of staff costs.

##### **Charitable activities**

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the Charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

##### **Grant provisions**

Provisions for grants are made when the intention to make a grant has been communicated to the recipient but there is uncertainty about either the timing of the grant or the amount of grant payable.

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)**

#### **Support costs**

Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, for example, allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.

#### **Governance costs**

These include the costs attributable to the charity's compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements, including audit, strategic management and trustees' meetings and reimbursed expenses.

#### **Taxation**

The charity is considered to pass the tests set out in Paragraph 1 Schedule 6 of the Finance Act 2010 and therefore it meets the definition of a charitable company for UK corporation tax purposes. Accordingly, the charity is potentially exempt from taxation in respect of income or capital gains received within categories covered by Chapter 3 Part 11 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010 or Section 256 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992, to the extent that such income or gains are applied exclusively to charitable purposes.

#### **Tangible fixed assets**

Individual fixed assets costing £5,000.00 or more are initially recorded at cost, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

No value is placed on moveable furnishings held by the church, since the Trustees consider this to be inalienable property. All expenditure incurred on consecrated or beneficed buildings, kitchen and moveable church furnishings, whether maintenance or improvement, is written off as expenditure in the Statement of Financial Activities and separately disclosed.

#### **Land and Buildings:**

The Church is shown at valuation made in June 1988 by A V Maltby FRICS. The Manse at St John's Road is shown at valuation of £262,000 as valued on 10th April 2014 by C H Stutely FRICS and the manse at Larkhill is shown at valuation of £225,000 as valued by the Trustees previously. The insurance cover for the Church is £4,341,094 which includes fixed contents and for the manses the total indemnity is £2m for each property; these insurance valuations are for rebuilding purposes and do not necessarily reflect market value on a disposal.

#### **Fixtures, Fittings and Office Equipment:**

Equipment used within the church premises is written off in the period in which the asset is acquired except for high value items which the Diaconate consider it more appropriate to write off the cost of the asset on a straight line basis over the expected life of the asset. The only asset to which this latter policy has been applied is the photocopier which has been written off over five years in equal instalments. Gifts of equipment to the church are treated as donations at valuation and an equal expense.

#### **Current asset investments**

Short-term deposits include cash held on deposit with the bank and the Baptist Union Corporation.

#### **Trade debtors**

Trade debtors include prepayments and are amounts due to the Charity or amounts paid in advance.

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)**

#### **Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

#### **Trade creditors**

Trade creditors are amounts owed by the Charity to suppliers.

#### **Fund structure**

Unrestricted income funds are general funds that are available for use at the trustees' discretion in furtherance of the objectives of the charity.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds set aside for specific purposes at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted income funds are those donated for use in a particular area or for specific purposes, the use of which is restricted to that area or purpose.

#### **Pensions and other post retirement obligations**

The charity operates a defined benefit pension scheme. Typically defined benefit plans define an amount of pension benefit that an employee will receive on retirement, usually dependent on one or more factors such as age, years of service and compensation.

The liability recognised in the Balance Sheet in respect of defined benefit pension plans is the present value of the defined benefit obligation at the reporting date minus the fair value of plan assets. The defined benefit obligation is measured using the projected unit credit method. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is determined by discounting the estimated future payments by reference to market yields at the reporting date on high-quality corporate bonds that are denominated in the currency in which the benefits will be paid, and that have terms to maturity approximating to the terms of the related pension liability.

Actuarial gains and losses are charged or credited to other comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

## Beulah Baptist Church

### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

#### 2 Income from donations and legacies

	Unrestricted funds Designated £	Unrestricted funds General £	Restricted funds £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Donations and legacies:					
Donations from individuals	12,684	181,929	17,403	212,016	325,754
Gift aid reclaimed	-	32,554	1,215	33,769	55,963
	<u>12,684</u>	<u>214,483</u>	<u>18,618</u>	<u>245,785</u>	<u>381,717</u>

#### 3 Investment income

	Unrestricted funds Designated £	Restricted funds £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Interest receivable and similar income;				
Interest receivable on bank deposits	<u>12,814</u>	<u>12,411</u>	<u>25,225</u>	<u>11,355</u>

#### 4 Other income

	Unrestricted funds General £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Fees and supplies	74	74	-
Rental income	<u>28,597</u>	<u>28,597</u>	<u>28,083</u>
	<u>28,671</u>	<u>28,671</u>	<u>28,083</u>

#### 5 Expenditure on charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds Designated £	Unrestricted funds General £	Restricted funds £	Total 2024 £
Charitable activities of the Church	<u>51,699</u>	<u>187,558</u>	<u>53,445</u>	<u>292,702</u>
	Unrestricted funds Designated £	Unrestricted funds General £	Restricted funds £	Total 2023 £
Charitable activities of the Church	<u>24,214</u>	<u>164,614</u>	<u>61,413</u>	<u>250,241</u>

## Beulah Baptist Church

### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

#### 6 Analysis of governance and support costs

##### Governance costs

	Unrestricted funds		
	General £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Independent Examiner's remuneration	1,920	1,920	4,140
	<u>1,920</u>	<u>1,920</u>	<u>4,140</u>

#### 7 Net incoming/outgoing resources

Net incoming resources for the year include:

	2024 £	2023 £
Independent Examiner's remuneration	<u>1,920</u>	<u>4,140</u>

#### 8 Trustees remuneration and expenses

During the year the charity made the following transactions with trustees:

##### Rev D Lockwood

Rev D Lockwood received remuneration of £44,556 (2023: £41,269) during the year.

Stipends paid to the Trustee for his role as Senior Minister at Beulah Baptist Church.

The Church pays pension contributions to a Baptist Pension Scheme which is a defined contribution scheme. The total paid in the year to this scheme was £5,217 (2023: £4,839).

The minister lives in housing wholly or partly owned by the church.

Trustees were reimbursed various sums throughout the year for expenses incurred wholly and exclusively for the charitable activities of the Church.

No trustees have received any other benefits from the charity during the year.

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### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

#### 9 Staff costs

The aggregate payroll costs were as follows:

	2024 £	2023 £
<b>Staff costs during the year were:</b>		
Wages and salaries	116,888	104,341
Social security costs	6,218	4,415
Pension costs	8,809	7,863
Other staff costs	1,839	1,560
	<u>133,754</u>	<u>118,179</u>

The monthly average number of persons (including senior management / leadership team) employed by the charity during the year expressed as full time equivalents was as follows:

	2024 No	2023 No
Average Number of Employees	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>

No employee received emoluments of more than £60,000 during the year.

#### 10 Taxation

The charity is a registered charity and is therefore exempt from Corporation Tax.

#### 11 Tangible fixed assets

	Land and buildings £	Office equipment £	Total £
<b>Cost</b>			
At 1 January 2024	<u>615,272</u>	<u>1,440</u>	<u>616,712</u>
At 31 December 2024	<u>615,272</u>	<u>1,440</u>	<u>616,712</u>
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 January 2024	<u>-</u>	<u>1,440</u>	<u>1,440</u>
At 31 December 2024	<u>-</u>	<u>1,440</u>	<u>1,440</u>
<b>Net book value</b>			
At 31 December 2024	<u>615,272</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>615,272</u>
At 31 December 2023	<u>615,272</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>615,272</u>

## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)**

#### **12 Debtors**

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Prepayments	<u>4,179</u>	<u>6,592</u>

#### **13 Cash and cash equivalents**

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Cash at bank	<u>702,956</u>	<u>695,562</u>

#### **14 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year**

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Other taxation and social security	696	696
Accruals	<u>6,055</u>	<u>6,133</u>
	<u>6,751</u>	<u>6,829</u>



## **Beulah Baptist Church**

### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)**

#### **15 Pension and other schemes**

##### **Defined contribution pension scheme**

The charity operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The pension cost charge for the year represents contributions payable by the charity to the scheme and amounted to £8,809 (2023 - £7,863).

##### **Defined benefit pension schemes**

###### **DB (Defined Benefit) Plan**

The Church is a participating employer the Baptist Pension Scheme ("the Scheme"), which is a separate legal entity administered by the Pension Trustee (Baptist Pension Trust Limited). The assets of the Scheme are held separately from those of the Employer and the other participating employers.

The Scheme, previously known as the Baptist Ministers' Pension Fund, started in 1925, but was closed to future accrual of defined benefits on 31 December 2011. Prior to this date the main benefit provided through the Defined Benefit (DB) Plan was a pension of one eightieth of final minimum pensionable income for each year of pensionable service together with additional pension in respect of premiums paid on Pensionable Income in excess of Minimum Pensionable Income.

From January 2012, pension provision is being made through the Defined Contribution (DC) Plan within the Scheme. In general, members pay 8% of their Pensionable Income and employers pay 6% of members' Pensionable Income into individual pension accounts, which are operated and managed on behalf of the Pension Trustee by Broadstone Corporate Benefits Ltd. In addition, the employer pays a further 4% of Pensionable Income to cover Death in Service Benefits, administration costs, and an associated insurance policy which provides income protection for Scheme members if they are unable to work due to long-term incapacity. This income protection policy has been insured by the Baptist Union of Great Britain with Aviva Limited. [Members of the Basic Section pay reduced contributions of 5% of Pensionable Income, and their employers also pay a total of 5%.]

From Broadstone Corporate Benefits Ltd:

In summary, we are delighted to report that we estimate the Scheme's Defined Benefit Plan has a surplus. As a result, your £1 per month contributions to the Defined Benefit Plan will cease after the October 2024 contribution and your organisation no longer has any further responsibility towards the Defined Benefit Plan. We are very pleased that this has been possible to achieve much earlier, and at a much lower cost, than we had anticipated.

##### **Multi-employer plans**

This is a defined benefit plan.

The Scheme is considered to be a multi-employer scheme as described in Section 28 of FRS 102. Because it is not possible to attribute the Scheme's assets and liabilities to specific employers, the scheme is accounted for as if the Scheme were a defined contribution scheme.

The Minister(s) and some members of the church staff are eligible to join the Scheme.

## Beulah Baptist Church

### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

#### 16 Funds

	Balance at 1 January 2024 £	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Transfers £	Balance at 31 December 2024 £
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>					
<i>General</i>					
General Fund	202,822	243,155	(189,478)	(51,312)	205,187
<i>Designated</i>					
Bank Interest	-	12,813	-	(12,813)	-
Church Maintenance	11,372	-	(26,553)	15,181	-
Legacies and Gifts	99,522	8,250	(1,000)	-	106,772
Manse Maintenance	11,041	-	(12,846)	6,000	4,195
Minister's Books	-	-	(210)	400	190
IT	2,037	-	(1,570)	1,200	1,667
Christmas Lunches	276	275	(512)	-	39
Photocopier	3,438	-	-	-	3,438
Outreach	7,265	4,159	(9,008)	3,600	6,016
	<u>134,951</u>	<u>25,497</u>	<u>(51,699)</u>	<u>13,568</u>	<u>122,317</u>
<b>Total unrestricted funds</b>	<u>337,773</u>	<u>268,652</u>	<u>(241,177)</u>	<u>(37,744)</u>	<u>327,504</u>
<b>Restricted funds</b>					
Church Properties	615,272	-	-	-	615,272
Fellowship Fund	3,639	624	(1,926)	(360)	1,977
HMF	4	-	(12,000)	11,996	-
Satellites	-	6,573	(7,211)	2,495	1,857
Youth	2,940	1,825	(3,398)	1,980	3,347
Missionary	-	3,141	(15,272)	12,131	-
Beulah Development	350,969	18,866	(13,638)	9,502	365,699
<b>Total restricted funds</b>	<u>972,824</u>	<u>31,029</u>	<u>(53,445)</u>	<u>37,744</u>	<u>988,152</u>
<b>Total funds</b>	<u><u>1,310,597</u></u>	<u><u>299,681</u></u>	<u><u>(294,622)</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>1,315,656</u></u>

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### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

	Balance at 1 January 2023 £	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Transfers £	Balance at 31 December 2023 £
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>					
<i>General</i>					
General Fund	102,888	309,506	(168,754)	(40,818)	202,822
<i>Designated</i>					
Bank Interest	-	9,051	-	(9,051)	-
Church Maintenance	9,614	1,694	(11,936)	12,000	11,372
Legacies and Gifts	32,466	67,756	(200)	(500)	99,522
Manse Maintenance	5,349	-	(1,328)	7,020	11,041
Minister's Books	92	-	(202)	110	-
IT	1,916	-	(1,079)	1,200	2,037
Christmas Lunches	-	276	-	-	276
Photocopier	3,438	-	-	-	3,438
Outreach	1,832	10,900	(9,469)	4,002	7,265
	<u>54,707</u>	<u>89,677</u>	<u>(24,214)</u>	<u>14,781</u>	<u>134,951</u>
<b>Total unrestricted funds</b>	<u>157,595</u>	<u>399,183</u>	<u>(192,968)</u>	<u>(26,037)</u>	<u>337,773</u>
<b>Restricted</b>					
Church Properties	615,272	-	-	-	615,272
Barnett Barn Roof	5,694	2,000	(7,694)	-	-
Fellowship Fund	4,240	798	(1,399)	-	3,639
HMF	-	4	(12,000)	12,000	4
Satellites	-	4,864	(5,201)	337	-
Youth	696	1,012	(2,268)	3,500	2,940
Missionary	-	2,534	(12,734)	10,200	-
Beulah Development	360,326	10,760	(20,117)	-	350,969
<b>Total restricted funds</b>	<u>986,228</u>	<u>21,972</u>	<u>(61,413)</u>	<u>26,037</u>	<u>972,824</u>
<b>Total funds</b>	<u><u>1,143,823</u></u>	<u><u>421,155</u></u>	<u><u>(254,381)</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>1,310,597</u></u>

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#### 17 Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted funds General £	Unrestricted funds Designated £	Restricted funds £	Total funds at 31 December 2023 £
Tangible fixed assets	-	-	615,272	615,272
Current assets	211,938	122,317	372,880	707,135
Current liabilities	(6,751)	-	-	(6,751)
Total net assets	<u>205,187</u>	<u>122,317</u>	<u>988,152</u>	<u>1,315,656</u>

	Unrestricted funds General £	Unrestricted funds Designated £	Restricted funds £	Total funds at 31 December 2023 £
Tangible fixed assets	-	-	615,272	615,272
Current assets	209,651	134,951	357,552	702,154
Current liabilities	(6,829)	-	-	(6,829)
Total net assets	<u>202,822</u>	<u>134,951</u>	<u>972,824</u>	<u>1,310,597</u>