

**Bestway International Christian Centre**

**Charity Commission Reg No 1138890**

Report & Financial Statements

**31st March 2025**

Coker Isah & Co.  
Chartered Certified Accountants

# Bestway International Christian Centre

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# Bestway International Christian Centre

## Charity Details

Charity Commission Reg No 1138890

### MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES

Trustees	Rev J A Adeyemo Rev A Dasaolu Rev A Ayodele-Aribo Rev Dr T O Ola
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Secretary	Rev Dr T O Ola
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Charity Commission Reg No 1138890

Registered Office & Place of Worship	11-14 Graces Mews Camberwell London SE15 8JF
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Independent Examiner	James Coker MBA FCCA Coker Isah & Co. Chartered Certified Accountants 74 Church Road Crystal Palace London SE19 2EZ
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Bankers	Barclays Bank 403 Brixton Road London SW9
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## Bestway International Christian Centre

### Trustees' report for the year ended 31 March 2022

The trustees present their report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2022. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 7 and comply with the charity's trust deed and applicable law.

#### **Mission statement**

EMPOWERING people from every walk of life become the BEST in all that God has called to be  
Walking in faith and ADVANCING into their God-given destiny

#### **Trustees**

The trustees named on page 1 have served throughout the year. Appointment of trustees is governed by the Trust Deed of the charity. The Board of trustees is authorised to appoint new trustees to fill vacancies arising through resignation or death of an existing trustee.

#### **Investments powers**

The Trust Deed authorises the trustees to make and hold investments using the general funds of the charity, but no such investments are presently held.

#### **Constitution, objects and policies**

The principal activity of the organization was that of providing advancement of Christian faith, including the relief of people in conditions of hardship or distress to benefit the community at large, specifically through:-

- . The advancement of Christian faith
- . The relief of persons who are in condition of hardship, distress or who are aged
- . The relief of poverty
- . Supporting other charity that respond to disasters all over the world

The objects and policies of the charitable trust ensure the charity carries out activities that are in line with its purposes. The charity continues to seek additional donations to carry on running the organisation. The Trustees are responsible for the day to day running of the charity.

#### **Development, activities and achievements**

The trustees consider that the performance of the charity this year has been satisfactory and boosted by the continued support of members during the year.

The charity continues to extend the love of God through serving and the number of those served continue to increase. Some of the activities and services provided during the year are as follows:

- . Safe places of worship and teachings for Christians and the community through various programmes such as workshops, evangelism, music and media
- . Youth focussed services and events for youths and youth adults, to support their spiritual and physical wellbeing, developing new skills and awareness in readiness for living independently and responsible as adults within the society.

#### **Financial review**

Funds available are sufficient to permit the Trust to continue in operation in the medium term, given the continued support of the members. If this support is not continued in the longer term, further financial support would need to be sought to ensure the trust can continue to carry out its activities

**Risk Management**

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

**Future Developments**

The charity successfully carried out all planned activities has increased during the year under review and the trustees are seeking to extend the charity's activities within the community and are pursuing a number of activities towards the next report year. We will continue to promote the spiritual and physical aspects of our purposes more effectively by appointing new ministers and pastors to support the work of the charity.

**Reserve policy**

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

**Statement of trustees' responsibilities**

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

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

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

**Approval**

This project was approved by the trustees on 06/06/2025 and signed on their behalf

Signed  
Dr T O Ola  
Trustee

## Bestway International Christian Centre

Trustees' report for the year ended 31 March 2022

### Future Developments

The charity's activities has increased during the year under review .

The trustees are seeking to extend the charity's activities and are pursuing a number of activities to enable this to happen

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## Approval

This project was approved by the trustees on 05 /06 / 2025 and signed on their behalf

Signed  
Rev Dr T O Ola  
Trustee

## **Bestway International Christian Centre**

### **Independent Examiner's Report on the Accounts**

Report the trustees and members of  
Bestway International Christian Centre

The accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022  
Set out in pages 5-8

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

As the trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts, you consider that an audit is not required under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and does not apply, and that independent examination is needed

### **It is my responsibility to**

- \* examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act
- \* to follow the procedure laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners under section 145(5)(b) of the 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 Commissioners .

An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records .It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and , seeking explanation 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 I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

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

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

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

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Act; and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting of requirement of the Act
- have not been met.

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

Signed

James Coker mba fcca  
Coker Isah & Co.  
Chartered Certified Accountants  
74 Church Road London SE19 2EZ

Dated 05 /06 / 2025

**Bestway International Christian Centre**

## Statement of Financial Activities

For the year ended 31 March 2025

8	<b>Incoming resources</b>	Unrestricted Fund 2025	Unrestricted Fund 2024
	Voluntary Sources- Donation	290265	300263
	Gift Aids	60930	72188
	Rent receivable	18182	11040
	Other income interest	5208	2185
	Total incoming resources	<u>374585</u>	<u>385676</u>
	<b>Resources Expended</b>		
9	<b>Direct Charitable Expenditure:</b>	259118	202038
10	<b>Management Administration</b>	27867	28782
	Total Resources Expended	<u>286985</u>	<u>230820</u>
	<b>Net Income resources for the year</b>	<b>87600</b>	<b>154856</b>
	Fund brought forward 1st April 2024	731405	576549
	Fund carried forward 31st March 2025	<u><b>819005</b></u>	<u><b>731405</b></u>

There were no recognised gains or loss for the 2024 & 2023 other than included in the statement of Financial activities



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Balance Sheet  
31st March 2025

		2025 £	2024
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>	<b>4</b>	54,133	59,139
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Debtor		220,930	231,149
Bank & cash		<u>557,229</u>	<u>445,253</u>
		<u>778,159</u>	<u>676,402</u>
<b>CREDITORS</b>			
Amounts falling due within one year			
Accrual & deferred income	5	<u>13,287</u>	<u>4,136</u>
		<u>13,287</u>	
Net Current Assets		<u>764,872</u>	<u>672,266</u>
		<u>819,005</u>	<u>731,405</u>
<b>ACCUMULATED FUND</b>			
Retained Surplus Brought Forward	6	731,405	576,549
Surplus for the year		87,600	154,856
Retained surplus CF		<u>819,005</u>	<u>731,405</u>

Approved on 05 /06/ 2025 a signed on behalf of the Trustee9

By

Signed  
Rev A Ayodele-Aribo  
Trustee Member

Signed  
Rev J A Adeyemo  
Trustee Member

## Bestway International Christian Centre

Notes to the Financial Statements  
For the year ended 31 March 2025

### 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under historical cost convention and in accordance with The Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (FRSSE) (effective Jan 2005) and statement of Recommended Practice (SORP 2005), and with the Charity Acts 1993

#### 1.2 Incoming Resources

The Income represent the total donation and Income Tax Claimed excluding Value Added Tax, receivable during the year

#### 1.3 Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on tangible Fixed Assets at rate calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each assets over its expected useful life as follows:-

Fixture fitting and equipment	25%	reducing balance method
Motor cars	25%	reducing balance method

#### 1.4 Donation

Donation receivable are credited to the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) in the year for the year which they are received.

#### 1.5 Resources Expended

Resources Expended are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) on an accrual basis inclusive of VAT

#### 1.6 Unrestricted Funds

Unrestricted Funds are donations and other incoming resources received or generated for the charitable purposes

#### 1.8 Restricted Funds

Restricted Funds are funds received which can only be used for the specific purpose as laid out by the donor. Expenditure which meets this criterion is identified to the fund, together with a fair allocation of overheads costs. During the year there are no restricted fund.

### 2 Income

The total income of the organization for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the UK

#### 3 Operating surplus

Operating surplus is stated after charging  
Depreciation of tangible assets

2025	2024
£	£
<u>17,445</u>	<u>17445</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements  
For the year ended 31 March 2025

4	<b>Fixed Assets</b>	Motor Car	Fixture Fittings equipment	Total
	Cost	£	£	
	01-Apr-24	41134	152499	193633
				0
	Additions/Disposal writing off	2000	10439	12439
	31-Mar-25	<u>43134</u>	<u>162938</u>	<u>0</u>
	206072			
	Depreciation			
	01-Apr-24	31987	102507	134494
	Charge for the year	2337	15108	17445
	Additions/Disposal writing off			0
	31-Mar-25	<u>34324</u>	<u>117615</u>	<u>151939</u>
	Net Book Values			
	31-Mar-25	<u>8810</u>	<u>45323</u>	<u>54133</u>
	31-Mar-24	<u>9147</u>	<u>49992</u>	<u>59139</u>
5	<b>Creditors amount falling due with one year</b>	2025 £	2024 £	
	other creditors	5756	0	
	Inland Revenue and pension	6568	3173	
	accrual	963	963	
		<u>13287</u>	<u>4136</u>	
6	<b>Summary of Assets by Fund</b>	2025	2024	
	Unrestricted funds	731405	154856	
	Surplus - brought forward	87600	576549	
	Surplus for the year carried forward	<u>819005</u>	<u>731405</u>	
7	<b>Trustees Remuneration</b>			
	Only one trustee was paid under PAYE System			

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9	<b>Direct Charitable Expenditure:</b>		
	Wages& salary	78128	78212
	National Insurance Contribution Er	2173	2150
	Pension	2895	3083
	Charity works & donation	11206	4575
	Choir expenses& community projects	34491	15200
	Missionary Work	2000	2917
	Rent & rates- water inc	8467	5960
	Conferences Function and events	37207	18876
	Service charges	750	0
	Insurance	227	203
	Light heat	9083	16118
	Repair & maintenance	8587	16077
	Printing postage & stationery	2204	1359
	Telephone	6973	6505
	Computer consumables	6344	1774
	Overseas travel	35843	18837
	Motor & Travelling	10021	7596
	Security cost	2519	2596
	Direct Charitable Expenditure:	<b>259118</b>	<b>202038</b>
10	<b>Management &amp; administration Expenditure</b>		
	Legal & professional	5470	0
	Accountancy	1800	1800
	Bank charges	766	453
	General expenses	535	1531
	Corporate licence	1851	5284
	Depreciation F F &E	15108	16664
	Depreciation - motor cars	2337	3050
	Management & administration	<b>27867</b>	<b>28782</b>
	<b>Total resources expended</b>	<b>286985</b>	<b>230820</b>
	Net movement in funds for the year	87600	154856
	FUND BALANCES B/F	731405	576549
	<b>FUND BALANCES C/F</b>	<b>819005</b>	<b>731405</b>