



**CHARITY COMMISSION**  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

## Trustees' Annual Report for the period

**From** 1/1/22 **To** 31/12/22

**Charity name: THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL OF THE  
ECCLESIASTICAL PARISH OF  
HOLY ROOD, SWINTON**

**Charity registration number: 1149809**

## Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	Religious Activities
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space  Provides Services
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	Yes

## Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	<b>N/A</b>
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	<b>N/A</b>
Contribution made by	Para 1.38	<b>N/A</b>

volunteers		
Other		<b>N/A</b>

## Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	Provides regular public worship and sacred space for personal prayer and contemplation open to all. Pastoral work, including visiting the sick and bereaved. Teaching Christianity through sermons, courses and small groups. Supporting other charities in the UK and overseas.

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	<b>N/A</b>
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	<b>N/A</b>
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	<b>N/A</b>
Other		<b>N/A</b>



## Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<b>Healthy</b>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	<b>Held to cover deficits in income versus expenditure</b>
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	<b>£6,471 + £15,965 bank accounts + £2,993 + £430,859 investments</b>
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	<b>N/A</b>
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	<b>N/A</b>
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	<b>N/A</b>

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	<b>N/A</b>
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	Promoting in the ecclesiastical parish the whole mission of the Church.
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	<b>N/A</b>
Other		<b>N/A</b>

## Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		<b>N/A</b>
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL POWERS MEASURE (1956) AS AMENDED AND CHURCH REPRESENTATION RULES
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	<b>Unincorporated Association</b>
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	<b>Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM)</b>

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	<b>N/A</b>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<b>N/A</b>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<b>N/A</b>
Other		<b>N/A</b>

## Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	<b>THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL OF THE ECCLESIASTICAL PARISH OF HOLY ROOD, SWINTON</b>
Other name the charity uses	<b>Holy Rood Church PCC, Swinton</b>
Registered charity number	<b>1149809</b>

Charity's principal address	<b>Moorside Road Swinton Manchester M27 0HJ</b>
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**Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity**

	<b>Trustee name</b>	<b>Office (if any)</b>	<b>Dates acted if not for whole year</b>	<b>Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)</b>
1	MARK ARMITAGE	Treasurer		PCC
2	SHEENAGH STEWART JONES	Trustee		PCC
3	HEATHER LATHAM	Secretary		PCC
4	JOHN LIONEL DAWSON	Trustee		PCC
5	LINDA HUNT	Warden from 9/4/22		PCC
6	CHRISTINE ROGERSON	Warden		PCC
7	DEREK PEARSON	Trustee		PCC

Corporate trustees - names of the directors at the date the report was approved

<b>Director name</b>		
<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

<b>Trustee name</b>	<b>Dates acted if not for whole year</b>	
<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>

## Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	N/A
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/A
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/A

### Additional information (optional)

#### Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

N/A
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## Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

N/A
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### Other optional information

N/A
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## Declarations

**The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.**

**Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees**

**Signature(s)**

M R Armitage

**Full name(s)**

Mark

Armitage

**Position (eg  
Secretary, Chair, etc)**

Treasurer

**Date**

28/5/23

	Opening Bank/Cash Balance	Plus Income	Minus Expenditure	Closing Bank/Cash Balance	Profit for Year
No.1 Account (Church)	32,705.09	60,658.05	86,891.67	6,471.47	-26,233.62
No.2 Account (Memorial Hall)	10,992.17	13,366.00	8,392.64	15,965.53	4,973.36
<b>Total</b>	<b>£43,822.83</b>	<b>£74,024.05</b>	<b>£95,284.31</b>	<b>£22,437.00</b>	<b>-£21,260.26</b>
<b>N.B.</b> The above income and expenditure includes exceptional income of a £25k drawdown from the new CCLA investment and expenditure of £11k of church roof repairs and £11k of church re-decoration, £6k vicarage council tax back-bill and £3k organ overhaul, clean and repair, all paid into/from the no.1 (Church) account. The parish share was again paid in full.					

Examined 7/2/2023  
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**Holy Rood Church, Swinton No.1 Account Year Ended 31st December 2022**

	2022	2021		2022	2021
<b>Income</b>			<b>Expenditure</b>		
<b>Planned Giving</b>			<b>Investments</b>		
Bank Standing Order Donations	12,661.00	13,286.00	CCLA new investment	0.00	465,000.00
Gift Aid Received	8,385.97	5,419.18			
Weekly Offering Scheme envelopes	2,466.00	2,649.90	<b>Societies &amp; Charities</b>		
			Churches Together	0.00	60.00
<b>Donations</b>					
Other Donations	1,554.75	1,263.50	<b>The Work of the Church</b>		
Loose Collections	1,412.92	1,739.43	Parish Share	29,500.00	28,500.00
Christian Aid / Ukraine Appeal	418.00	245.13	Parish Share (in advance for 2023)	4,172.21	0.00
Bequest	0.00	66,957.39	Christian Aid / Ukraine Appeal	418.00	255.13
Encashment of historic CCLA Investments	0.00	30,202.40			
Fairs Group	0.00	1,461.34	<b>Clergy &amp; Ministry Expenses</b>		
M&S Dividends 2018-20	0.00	787.21	Organist	4,130.00	3,080.00
Pew Collections	0.00	76.45	Cleaner	850.64	0.00
			Funeral & Wedding Fees to Diocese	784.00	652.00
<b>Other Voluntary Income</b>			Priest in Charge	531.34	207.10
D Howard Overpayment Refund	1,435.20	0.00	Verger	0.00	410.00
Diocesan Energy Contribution	1,250.00	0.00			
Parish Share Encouragement Scheme	570.00	550.00	<b>Church Running Expenses</b>		
Baptisms - Collections / Donations	281.95	91.00	Church Roof Repairs & Maintenance	11,060.00	0.00
Garden of Remembrance	177.00	0.00	Church Redecoration	10,800.00	0.00
Funerals - Collections / Donations	0.00	50.00	Vicarage Council Tax Back-bill	6,248.00	1,724.50
			Hall Roof Repairs & Maintenance	4,974.20	7,915.80
<b>Capital Drawdown &amp; Interest</b>			Heating & Lighting & Water	4,097.22	3,293.69
CCLA Investment	25,000.00	258.90	Organ Service / Repairs	3,700.00	200.00
Bank Interest	3.88	24.33	Church Insurance	2,353.71	2,274.72
			General Repairs & Maintenance	954.00	4,314.11
<b>Events and Activities</b>			Photocopiers / Printers / Paper	904.87	814.59
Christmas Fair	1,765.00	0.00	Hall Window Cleaning	480.00	0.00
Funerals - Statutory Fees - PCC	1,066.00	906.00	CCLI	470.17	448.58
Funerals - Statutory Fees (excl PCC)	784.00	652.00	Admin Expenses	426.31	1,606.78
Fashion Show	517.00	0.00	Garden of Remembrance	37.00	0.00
Coffee Mornings	501.38	215.26	Vicarage Telephony/Handover	0.00	204.79
Patriotic Event	300.00	0.00			
Barnados Hall Hire	60.00	0.00			
Weddings / Banns - Statutory Fees - PCC	48.00	0.00			
<b>Total</b>	<b>£60,658.05</b>	<b>£126,835.42</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>£86,891.67</b>	<b>£520,961.79</b>
<b>Loss for 2022</b>	<b>-£26,233.62</b>	<b>-£394,126.37</b>			
Opening Bank Balance b/f 1/1/22	32,705.09	426,831.46			
<b>Closing Bank Balance c/f 31/12/22</b>	<b>6,471.47</b>	<b>32,705.09</b>			

The above income and expenditure includes exceptional:  
income of a £25k CCLA investment drawdown and £1,250 Diocesan Energy contribution  
expenditure of £11k church roof repairs, £11k church re-decoration, £6k vicarage council tax back-bill, £3k organ overhaul, clean and repair

Examined 7/2/2023

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**Holy Rood Church, Swinton No.2 (Memorial Hall) Account Year Ended 31st December 2022**

	<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>		<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>
<b>Income</b>			<b>Expenditure</b>		
Stage Society	4,875.00	0.00	Wages (Cleaner)	3,067.92	1,789.62
Bee Academy	4,275.00	2,050.00	Gas / Electric / Water	2,264.18	1,262.03
Archery	2,430.00	1,215.00	Ecclesiastical Insurance	2,112.75	1,976.12
Emily Nolan Dance	685.00	261.25	Noticeboard	830.54	0.00
KSLC CIC	500.00	0.00	Cleaning Materials	117.25	0.00
Rainbows	291.00	291.00	Maintenance	0.00	62.40
Salford City Council (polling station)	250.00	200.00			
Barnados	60.00	0.00			
AA Group	0.00	100.00			
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>£13,366.00</b>	<b>£4,117.25</b>	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>£8,392.64</b>	<b>£5,090.17</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>£13,366.00</b>	<b>£4,117.25</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>£8,392.64</b>	<b>£5,090.17</b>
<b>Profit for 2022</b>	<b>£4,973.36</b>	<b>-£972.92</b>			
Opening Bank Balance b/f 1/1/22	£10,992.17	£11,965.09			
Closing Bank Balance c/f 31/12/22	£15,965.53	£10,992.17			

Examined 7/2/2023

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## Independent examiner's report to the PCC of HOLY BLOOD, SWINTON

I report on the financial statements of the PCC for the year ended 31 December 2022, which are set out on pages 1 to 49. This report is in respect of an examination carried out in accordance with the Church Accounting Regulations 2006 ('the Regulations') and section 43 of the Charities Act 1993 ('the 1993 Act').

### Respective responsibilities of the PCC and the examiner

As members of the PCC you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements; you consider that an audit is not required for this year under the Regulations and under section 43(2) of the 1993 Act and that an independent examination is needed. It is my responsibility to issue this report on those financial statements in accordance with the terms of the Regulations.

### Basis of this report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 43(7)(b) of the 1993 Act and to be found in the Church guidance, 2006 edition. That examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the PCC and a comparison of the accounts with those records. It also included considering any unusual items or disclosures in the financial statements and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required of 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 gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements

- a. to keep accounting records in accordance with section 43 of the 1993 Act; and
- b. to prepare financial statements which accord with the accounting records and comply with the requirements of the 2006 Act and Regulations

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.

N. M. McLELLOR

Extract from: The Charities Act 2006 and the PCC (2006 Edition)

### Independent examination planning checklist

Name of PCC: <u>WOLTON ROAD SWINDON</u>	Year end: <u>2012</u>
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1.	Is there any reason why I should not accept/continue with this appointment?	YES	NO
	Consider: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- am I independent?</li> <li>- do I have the requisite ability and practical experience for a PCC of this complexity?</li> <li>- has my appointment been approved by the PCC and made by the APCM?</li> <li>- is the PCC aware of my responsibilities – possibly by signing and returning a letter of engagement?</li> </ul>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2.	Do the accounts or accounting records confirm that the PCC's gross income and total expenditure is less than £250,000 in the current and two preceding years?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Are there any specific requirements for an audit (or be carried out, for example, is any special trust associated with the PCC or as a condition of any grants made to the PCC, that prevent me carrying out an independent examination?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

  

4. For my first examination of this PCC, I have obtained background information on the PCC, how it is organised, the extent of its activities, the existence of parochial organisations and trusts and the nature of its income, expenditure, assets, liabilities and funds. For subsequent years, I have checked and updated the details from previous years.

These are set out on a separate sheet.

  

5. I have described in brief on a separate sheet the accounting records maintained by the PCC, which I have examined, and the key financial controls operated.

  

Name of independent examiner: <u>NITA MURDER</u>	Date: <u>7/2/2013</u>
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### Independent examination work programme

If any of the answers to questions 1-6 and 10-18 is 'no', or if the answer to question 6 is 'yes', full details of problems encountered and how they have been resolved should be included on a separate sheet.

		Completed satisfactorily	
Financial Statements		YES	NO
1.	Agree figures in the financial statements to the PCC's main accounting records (eg. cash book)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	Draw reference and attach to this programme a referenced set of financial statements and any supporting analysis necessary to show the link between the accounting records and the financial statements.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Read the PCC annual report and ensure it is consistent with both the accounts and any other information gained during the course of the examination.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

		Completed satisfactorily	
		YES	NO
4.	Consider if the PCC has adequately disclosed the transactions or interests that PCC members may have with it.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Accounting Records</b>			
5.	Select a sample of entries from the main accounting records and trace them back to any supporting prime books that exist (e.g. cash book, petty cash book, planned giving register).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.	Select a sample of entries from any of these prime books and trace them to the main accounting records.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The items selected under 5 and 6 above should be recorded on a supporting working paper and the prime record to which they were checked or from which they were selected should be noted. These tests mirror each other but it is important that different items are selected for each test.			
7.	Test check the arithmetical accuracy of some of the accounting books and records.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
State on a separate sheet which records were checked and the sections covered by the checks.			
<b>Review of accounts</b>			
8.	Consider the PCC's incoming resources, resources expended, assets and liabilities as shown in the accounts in the light of general knowledge obtained about the PCC and its activities as well as budgets for the year and corresponding figures for the previous year. Where there are unexpected fluctuations or inconsistencies, obtain explanations from the PCC.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9.	Have any issues been identified which, whilst falling outside the scope of an independent examination, suggest that the financial statements are materially mis-stated?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If 'Yes' include details on a separate sheet and state how they have been resolved.			
10.	Review minutes of PCC and other relevant committee meetings:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify major events, plans or discussions and changes in PCC officers and members and ensure they have been properly reflected in the accounting records, reports and accounts;</li> <li>Determine if the PCC has financed activities outside its objects and powers as outlined in the Guidance.</li> </ul>			
11.	Examine the year-end bank reconciliation (and, for more complex PCCs, any other control records) to ensure they do not include any unexpected or unusual items.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Transaction testing</b>			
12.	Select a sample of receipts and payments from the main accounting records and cross check the details to supporting invoices, vouchers or other similar documentation to ensure that the transactions are valid under the powers of the PCC.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Note which transactions were examined on a separate sheet.			
<b>Reporting</b>			
13.	Prepare a report to the PCC which is in accordance with CAR Regulation 26. An example is provided within the Guidance.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

		Completed satisfactorily	
		YES	NO
14.	Matters identified during the course of the work which suggest legal, accounting or other similar problems, should be carefully considered. If they represent significant instances of deliberate or reckless misconduct in the administration of the PCC, then a written report should be made to the Charity Commission and a copy provided to the archdeacon.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Additional work for accounts prepared on the accruals basis</b>			
15.	Review the accounting policies adopted by the PCC and ensure they are either the model policies provided in Chapters 7 or 8 or are consistent with the general Guidance.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.	Enquire if there have been any events since the year end which should be disclosed in the accounts or which indicate that amounts included in the accounts should be amended.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17.	Ensure any material contingencies or commitments identified have been properly shown in the accounts.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18.	Ensure the accounts comply with the accounting and disclosure requirements of the Church Accounting Regulations 1997 to 2005 and Guidance provided in Chapter 8.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Note:	This work programme should be suitable for most PCCs. However, where the activities of the PCC are more complex and more judgemental issues are involved, the independent examiner should refer to guidance included in Chapter 12 of the Church's Guidance to determine if additional or alternative procedures should be undertaken. These sheets may be copied.		