

ASSEMBLY OF GOD PENTECOSTAL OF MACULUSSO

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JULY 2024

CHARITY NUMBER: 1153149

ASSEMBLY OF GOD PENTECOSTAL OF MACULUSSO
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TRUSTEES' REPORT YEAR ENDED 31ST JULY 2024

The trustees are pleased to present their report for the year ended 31st July 2024 for the charity, Assembly of God Pentecostal of Maculusso with charity number 1153149.

The Trustees of the charity are: Pastor Joaquim Dias
Mr Wilson Da Silva
Ms Luzia Regina dos Santos
Mr Deidy De Sousa, Mr Ivo Ribeiro Junior

The principal address of the charity is: 37 Tamworth Road
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STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Charity governing document is a declaration of trust that was executed 24TH June 2012. The Charity is governed by a board on which the trustees are represented. It meets regularly to review, plan activities and monitor the financial position.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The Objects of the organisation are first to advance the Christian faith in accordance with the statement of beliefs for the benefit in the United Kingdom and in such other parts of the world as the trustees may think fit from time to time. The trustees confirm that they have had due regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit before deciding what activities the charity should undertake.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The Organisation continues to hold successful meetings through the year in which individuals were equipped and educated on the principles and doctrines of the Christian faith. The organisation also continued to hold several conferences during the year in which individuals came from all around the country to attend. This has produced good results in reaching and helping members of the community. The organisation covered the costs of accommodation and refreshments for guests that attended its conferences during the year. The organisation also continued to run services in Taunton to help people in that community. The church returned to in person services in the year.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

The income of the charity is above £100,000. This is a good amount for this year of the charity the costs have been well managed over this period. The organisation is still in a good position to manage its costs. The main cost of the organisation was paying for the rent of its building that it uses for worship services and running special programs.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

The church intends to continue to host its regular yearly conferences and weekly services in UK. The intended re-appointment of our present independent examiner at the upcoming trustee meeting is expected to support the financial operations by making it more effective.

RESERVE POLICY

It is the policy of the Charity to maintain unrestricted funds, which are the reserves of the charity at about 3 months of unrestricted expenditure .This provides sufficient funds to cover any emergency expenditures that may arise from time to time. The charity will seek to maintain this level throughout the year.

RISK MANAGEMENT

The charity have assessed all the major risks to which the charity is exposed to, in particular those related to operations and finances of the charity, and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate exposure to major risks.

TRUSTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

Under the Charities Act 2011,the trustees are required to prepare a statement of accounts for each accounting year which gives a true and fair view of the state of the church. They are required to:

1. Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently.
2. Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent.
3. State whether the applicable accounting standards have been followed.
4. Prepare financial statements on an ongoing basis.

They are responsible for keeping proper records which disclose with reasonable accuracy the finances of the church at any time and to ensure that such accounts comply with the Charities Act 2011.They also have a responsibility to safeguard the assets of the church and to take reasonable steps to detect fraud or other irregularities.

Approved by the Trustees on 30th May 2025 and signed on their behalf by:

Independent Examiner's Report
To the Trustees

ASSEMBLY OF GOD PENTECOSTAL OF MACULUSSO

I report on the accounts of the church for the year ended 31st July 2024 set out on the following pages which have been prepared on the basis of the accounting policies shown in the corresponding pages.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The trustees of the church are responsible for the preparation of accounts: they consider that the audit requirement under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act), does not apply. It is my responsibility to :

- Examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act.
- Follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners made under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.
- 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 church 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 I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention;

- (1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material aspect, the trustees have not met the requirements to ensure that:
 - proper accounting records are kept(in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act
 - accounts are prepared which agree with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act: or
- (2) to which , in my opinion , attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD PENTECOSTAL OF MACULUSSO

Statement of Financial Activities for the year ended 31st July 2023

		Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds	
		£	2023 £	2022 £
Incoming Resources from generated funds	Note			
Donations and Legacies	2	88799	88799	82012
Investment income	3	0	0	0
		88799	88799	82012
<i>Other Income</i>				
Other		18944	18944	0
		107743	107743	82012
Total Incoming Resources				
Resources Expended				
Charitable activities in furtherance of objectives				
Cost of Activities	6	134,394	134,394	77207
Other	4	14025	14025	13180
		148,419	148,419	90387
Total Resources Expended				
Net movement in funds		-40,676	-40,676	-8375
Reconciliation of Funds				
Total Funds brought forward		51335	51335	59730
Total Funds carried forward		10,659	10,659	51355

The above funds are all classed as to purpose
All movements of funds and all recognised gains and losses are included above.

The notes on the accounts form part of these accounts.

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Balance Sheet as at 31st July 2024

	Note	2024	2023
Fixed Assets		£	£
Tangible fixed assets	5	8130	8142
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		8130	8142
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Current Assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		18296	66160
Debtors & prepayments	10	0	0
		<hr/>	<hr/>
		18296	66160
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year			
Creditors & accruals	9	1023	3447
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Net Current Assets		17273	62713
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Creditors: amounts falling more than one year			
Loan	11	14744	19500
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Net Assets		10659	51355
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Unrestricted funds		10659	51355
		<hr/>	<hr/>
TOTAL FUNDS		10659	51355
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Approved by the Trustees on 30TH May 2025 and signed on their behalf :

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST July 2024

1.1 Basis of Accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historic cost convention with items Recognised at cost or transaction values otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to These accounts. The accounts have been prepared in accordance with: The Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities Preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard Applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) issued on 16 July 2014.

1.2 **Going Concern:** The accounts are prepared on a going concern basis.

1.3 The accounts present a true and fair view and no change have been made to the accounting policies adopted.

1.4 No changes to the accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period

1.5 No material prior year error have been identified in the reporting period.

Recognition of Income

These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when:

- The charity becomes entitled to resources;
- It is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- The monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Grants and Donations

Grants and Donations are only included in the SOFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 512 FRS102 SORP)

Tax reclaim on donations and gifts

Gift Aid receivable is included in the income when there is a valid declaration from the donor. Any gift aid amount recovered on a donation is considered to be part of that gift and is treated in addition to the same fund as the initial donation unless the donor or the terms of the appeal have specified otherwise.

EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES

Liability Recognition

Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

Grants and Support Costs

Support costs have been allocated between the governance costs and other support. Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JULY 2024

Creditors

The charity has creditors which are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts.

ASSETS

Tangible Fixed Assets for use by the charity

They are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year. They are valued at cost. The depreciation is calculated at 20% reducing balance method.

Debtors

Debtors are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount. Subsequently they are measured at cash.

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Notes to the accounts for year ended 31st July 2024

2 Donations and Legacies

	Unrestricted Funds	Total funds	
	£	2024	2023
Church collections		£	£
Tithes & Offerings	88799	88799	82012
Other	0	0	0
Total	88799	88799	82012

3 Investment income

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total funds	
		2024/£	2023/£
Bank Interest	0	0	0

4 Other	2024/£	2023/£
Missions	12675	10810
Grants to Individuals < £1000	1350	2370
Grants to Institutions	0	0
	14025	13180

5 Tangible Fixed Assets	Instrument Fix & fitt		Equipment Total	
Cost	£	£	£	£
At 01/08/2023	5154	2547	31268	38969
Additions	374	0	1646	2020
At 31/07/2024	5528	2547	32914	40989
Depreciation				
At 01/08/2023	4255	1850	24722	30827
charge for the year	255	139	1638	2032
At 31/07/2024	4510	1989	26360	32859
Net Book Value at 31/07/2024	1018	235	6554	8130
Net Book Value at 01/08/2023	899	871	6546	8142

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6 Cost of Activities in furtherance of Charity's Objectives

	2024/£	2023/£
Rent of building	57190	12819
Telephone	0	0
Maintenance/ Repair	694	0
Charity giving	4794	0
Stationary	1134	1290
Travel costs	9533	10684
PAYE	2209	0
Rates	240	0
Subscriptions	118	606
Hire of equipment	1428	5500
Depreciation	2032	2034
Storage costs	158	0
Church programs	10516	2870
Wages	19437	20113
Web hosting	0	158
Hospitality	2192	1983
Welfare	908	0
Insurance	1900	1250
Professional fees	510	3003
Adverts	304	1161
Pensions	2074	2074
Motor expenses	5172	1834
Bank charges	579	250
Supplies	5590	6926
Printing	653	0
Music services	2254	2652
Hotel/Accommodation	2775	0
Total	134394	77207

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8 Trustee Remuneration

Pastor Joaquim was paid £19437 for pastoral services rendered to the charity.
He was the only employee of the organisation.

9 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2024/£	2023/£
Independent examination	480	399
Creditors	543	3048
Total	1023	3447

10 Debtors

	2024/£	2023/£
Debtors	0	0

11 Creditors: amounts falling more than one year

	2024/£	2023/£
Loan	14744	19500