

1. Introduction

This is the seventh annual report for Redeemer King Church; a Charitable Incorporated Organisation registered with the Commission on 18th November 2014 (N^o. 1159252).

The report covers the period ending 31st July 2021.

2. Governance

At the start of the reporting period there were seven trustees overseeing the charitable purposes of the church. Karen Beech and Jonathan Boston stepped down as trustees in November 2020.

Benjamin Garstang was appointed as a trustee on 1st January 2020. Arrangements for appointing trustees are set out in our constitution.

By agreement Mr Neville Taylor is the Chair of Trustees and Mr Richard Kirk continues in the role of Treasurer for the charity.

Andrew Kind stepped down from the Leadership Team in March 2021. Carl Beech stepped down as Senior Leader in May 2021. Karen Beech stepped down from the Leadership Team in May 2021.

By the end of the reporting period the leadership team consisted of Joshua Botham, Richard Kirk, Janet Ayres and Steve Parker with interim support from 2 trustees, Benjamin Garstang and Neville Taylor.

A number of individuals who regularly attend church events and meetings are, along with trustees, taking responsibility on a voluntary basis for various functions that are crucial to achieving our charitable aims and objectives.

3. Activities and Objectives

The charitable purposes and objectives of Redeemer King Church are to advance Christianity in Derbyshire by means of:

- i. communicating Christian messages of an evangelistic and teaching nature, in accordance with our basis of faith;
- ii. identifying and addressing the needs of socially and economically disadvantaged members of our community through engagement with existing, and the development of new, initiatives as appropriate and in keeping with our basis of faith.

Details of how these objectives have been achieved during the reporting period are set out below.

3.1 Objective 1: to communicate Christian messages of an evangelistic and teaching nature, in accordance with our basis of faith.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic we were unable to meet physically between August 2020 and May 2021 and continued to broadcast our sermons and Kids Church on our YouTube channel and meet on Zoom for home groups, Alpha courses, prayer meetings and Question and Answer sessions.

In May and June 2021, we started to meet outdoors in the gardens of church members in groups of up to 30 as COVID restrictions started to ease and were able to meet physically in limited numbers in the Stonegravels Parish Centre in Chesterfield from 20th June 2021.

We continued to use our RK Family Online Facebook Group, to share, encourage and pray for each other and have been sharing short devotionals by email. All of these activities have enabled us to support each other, grow as a church community and expand our reach online way beyond Chesterfield.

a) Weekly meetings of the church on Sunday mornings; incorporating an element led by volunteers specifically for children age 0 to 14yrs.

Sunday meetings held in reporting period – 45 online meetings, 6 meetings in person (total 51 meetings)

Average attendance – Adults 28 Children 16

b) Encounter. Monthly meetings of the church on a Sunday evening.

Meetings held in reporting period – 6 online, 1 meeting in person

Average attendance – 13 online, 6 in person

c) Midweek 'Home Groups' meeting weekly in homes (and online via Zoom since March 2020); an opportunity for smaller groups to study, pray, support one another and serve the community.

Number of midweek groups – 9. Average attendance (all groups) – estimated at 6 people per group (54 people)

d) Regular Prayer & Vision nights. Meetings to gather the church family to pray and look towards the future. Prayer & Vision nights held in reporting period – 15 online meetings and 0 physical meetings.

e) Occasional evangelistic events often with prominent guest speakers tackling a range of subjects.

f) Alpha course. An evangelistic teaching course introducing the Christian faith over a ten-week period. 2 courses held over the period with average attendance of 5 people per course.

g) Specific events aimed at outreach including quizzes, special services and festivals.

h) Specific events aimed at men, women and those in the age range 18-30.

3.2 Objective 2: reaching out in the local community and beyond.

a. Local community

During the reporting period, and even despite much of this time being subject to restrictions and lockdown, we have continued to build a vibrant, inclusive church community, both physically and online, which attracts families, couples and individuals from all backgrounds, both local to where we meet and across the wider Chesterfield area. As a community we are able to care for and support each other according to need.

We continued our partnership with Christians Against Poverty (CAP) until May 2021, where for a number of reasons, we made the difficult decision to close our CAP centre. Up until this point, we had been delivering an exemplary debt help service across Chesterfield; which was free of charge to our clients. During the Covid pandemic, we had to adapt our debt help service, which has been challenging, however we have still continued to see households go debt free.

Furthermore, we maintain a hardship fund from which we help CAP clients and others in crisis by for example, shopping for food and household items, kitting out families with carpets, furniture and appliances, paying transport costs to see family or attend appointments, and so on.

Many of those who attend Redeemer King are involved with local charities: The Message Trust, Derby City Mission, the Chesterfield Food Bank.

b. National and International

The Redeemer King church family and friends sponsor 55 children (at March 2020) in Ngong Kenya through a partnership with Compassion UK. We also continue to support Open Doors International, the Message Trust, the Cinnamon Network, Watoto and Christian Vision for Men.

3.3 Future plans

In view of the challenges of COVID and significant changes in our Leadership Team over this period, we have reviewed our strategic plans to ensure that we remain focused on our vision to reach those in our town and ensure that our growth is managed well from a financial and personnel perspective.

Since the departure of our Senior Leader, we are looking to appoint a new Church Leader to work with the existing Leadership Team to deliver our plans to reach out to the local community and beyond and help the current church to grow in their faith.

We are continuing to look for premises that will enable us to establish ourselves in a community and have a greater impact in our town.

4. Public Benefit Report

As a church we exist to communicate the life-changing message of Jesus Christ. We want people to be full of faith, hope and new life through faith in God. In all we do we point beyond ourselves to the hope we have in our God and also seek to make a practical difference to the lives of people in Chesterfield.

We will continue to:

- take this life changing message to all that we connect with;
- provide Christian teaching to our community and beyond, in accordance with our basis of faith;
- continue to develop links to best serve the people of our town, country and beyond;
- provide opportunity and access through programmes and events for people of all ages and backgrounds;
- serve and love our town, county and country through both existing and new initiatives;
- support the needs of the poor in our church and those known to us, through our hardship fund

5. Trustees remuneration and benefits

No trustees received any remuneration and benefits in this reporting period.

No staff member earned over £60,000.

6. Financial Review

This is the seventh financial year for Redeemer King Church covering the year 1st August 2020 to 31st July 2021. This review highlights how the church has been supported financially and the support the church has offered the local community. We have received voluntary contributions including gift aid payments of £97,768 with an expenditure of £93,992.

As a church we routinely set aside a minimum of 10% of our income which, at the discretion of the leadership team is used to help local, national and international initiatives as covered in section 3.2.

The charity has no outstanding liabilities.

For full details please refer to the annual audited accounts submitted with this report.



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	Period start date	To	Period end date
	01/08/2020		31/07/2021

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations - Gift Aid	64,418	-	-	64,418	86,211
Donations - None Gift Aid	4,695	-	-	4,695	14,929
Donations - Other	10,271	-	-	10,271	-
Income Tax Recoverable (Gift Aid)	18,374	-	-	18,374	21,632
Other income / commission	10	-	-	10	144
Events	-	-	-	-	2,309
Sale of resources	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	97,768	-	-	97,768	125,225
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	97,768	-	-	97,768	125,225
A3 Payments					
Wages	44,611	-	-	44,611	41,596
Training	-	-	-	-	-
Rent of premises	192	-	-	192	10,605
Other premises costs	71	-	-	71	802
Insurance	307	-	-	307	300
Creche/Sunday school costs	541	-	-	541	1,398
Subscriptions	1,860	-	-	1,860	1,957
Donations	10,140	-	-	10,140	11,900
Telephone/Stationery/Postage	2,020	-	-	2,020	688
Books/Gifts	21	-	-	21	1,314
Fundraising & marketing	1,034	-	-	1,034	6,316
Audit & Accountancy	410	-	-	410	1,105
Travel & Subsistence	773	-	-	773	392
Bank charges	81	-	-	81	60
Professional/Consultancy	26,436	-	-	26,436	32,818
Other	2,580	-	-	2,580	1,036
Helping those in need	2,915	-	-	2,915	7,111
Fixed asset purchases	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	93,992	-	-	93,992	119,398
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	93,992	-	-	93,992	119,398
Net of receipts/(payments)	3,776	-	-	3,776	5,827
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	102,320	-	-	102,320	96,493
Cash funds this year end	106,096	-	-	106,096	102,320

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash at bank	105,990	-	-
	Petty Cash	106	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	106,096	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))			
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities		Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature

Neville C Taylor

Print Name

Neville Taylor

Date of approval

10/4/22



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
Redeemer King Church

On accounts for the year
ended

31/07/2021

Charity no
(if any) 1159252

Set out on pages

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/07/2021.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

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.

Signed:

Date:

18/3/22

Name:

LESLEY WHITE

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.