

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024
FOR
CHRISTIAN HERITAGE LONDON

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES **FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2024. The trustees have adopted the provisions of 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 2019).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Mission statement

The Mission of Christian Heritage London is to recover the constructive influences from the past; to challenge the empty secular view at present and to help shape the worldview of the next generation. Another goal is to contribute to the cultural, intellectual and spiritual formation of both visiting Christians and non-Christians through our events, tours, guided-walks and podcasts.

Our Aims

The aim is to educate, enthuse and inspire renewed appreciation of the impact of Christianity in our culture and around the world; to inspire participants to consider the claims of Christ and to generate resources to support the apologetics ministries by inviting those on tours to join the growing number of those praying for and supporting the work financially.

Our objectives

The objectives of the Charity are to establish a Christian Heritage Centre demonstrating how Christianity has shaped modern society, to offer Christian Heritage Guided Walks, to host lectures, and discussions on apologetics and Christian Heritage and to conduct Christian Heritage tours of the UK and in continental Europe.

Significant Activities

This year has seen a significant growth in the number of Guided Walks and Tours which we undertake. Our gratitude and thanks to Ilona Greyling and Ben Virgo for their commitment and diligence in promoting this. The walks from Ben represent 28 percent and include walks of The city of London, British Museum, and Westminster Walk. The tours and other walks represent 56 percent and are conducted by Ilona Greyling. These have been very well received by the public and Churches in the UK as well as by the USA and European visitors. The TripAdvisor feedback reports have been very complimentary and in fact we have received the Cultural Tour Award for 2023. These have mainly been from Churches, Christian Colleges and Schools. We have again had a number of CS Lewis Tours. We have the benefit of the Christian Heritage International Charity which could be used in the future. The percentage of gross revenue for the year in the various areas are as follows:

Guided Walks	28%
Tours	56%
Donations	16%

Fundraising continues to be challenging with the few potential donors and donations being mainly focused for humanitarian support as opposed to Christian Education, Spiritual Formation, or Apologetics. Any recommendations on how we could better follow through on this would be welcomed. Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Public benefit

The Trustees have considered the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit and in particular, its supplementary guidance on the advancement of religion for the public benefit.

The charity exists to advance Christianity by drawing attention to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, to equip churches and to serve the purposes of God in this generation. It offers the general public, both Christian and non-Christian, a window on the way Christianity has helped to shape and contribute to the development of Western civilization. serving the regular influx of visitors to London and Europe by offering tours.

Volunteers

Three volunteers are assisting at present and a fourth has helped on a limited number of occasions when needed.

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FINANCIAL REVIEW

Financial position

The charity saw an increase in the income from tours during the year to £137,410 (2023: £91,451),

There has been an increase in income from donations to £26,339 (2023: £9,250),

Total expenditure in the year has increased to £154,783 (2023: £126,107). The cost of tours in the year was £77,142 (2023: £63,893). Non-tour related costs have increased to £77,642 (2023: £62,214) largely due to increased payroll costs.

Reserves policy

There is currently no reserves policy in place, but the Trustees plan to have one established when funds reach more substantial levels.

FUTURE PLANS

The Trustees are looking forward to a continued increase in the number of guided walks in the UK.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation which was registered on 3 March 2015 and amended on 21 August 2015.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

Trustees have been recruited from the Christian Community who have a particular interest in preserving and expanding the role of Christianity in society.

Organisational structure

Four trustees have been appointed. The Trustees endeavour to meet quarterly to monitor the activities of the Charity.

Induction and training of new trustees

As the appointed trustees are typically seasoned Academics or Ministers of Religion, there has been no need to offer any further training.

Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.

The trustees consider that the principal risk would be that of International Terrorism in Europe, and the risk levels perceived by the US State Department, that could negatively impact the number of visitors to the Centre and tours being undertaken.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

1160736

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33 Upper Meadow
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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

Trustees

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Rev D M Wells (resigned 25/4/2024)

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on and signed on its behalf by:

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P Greyling - Trustee

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF
CHRISTIAN HERITAGE LONDON**

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Christian Heritage London

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of Christian Heritage London (the Trust) for the year ended 31 March 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust 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 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all 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 giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by Section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do 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.

Matthew Pettifer

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Date:

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total funds £	2023 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM					
Donations and legacies	3	26,339	-	26,339	9,250
Charitable activities					
Tours and presentations		137,410	-	137,410	91,451
Investment income	4	714	-	714	12
Total		<u>164,463</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>164,463</u>	<u>100,713</u>
EXPENDITURE ON					
Charitable activities					
Tours and presentations		<u>154,783</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>154,783</u>	<u>126,107</u>
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		9,680	-	9,680	(25,394)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		9,725	-	9,725	35,119
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>19,405</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>19,405</u></u>	<u><u>9,725</u></u>

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

All income and expenditure has arisen from continuing activities.

The notes form part of these financial statements

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BALANCE SHEET
31 MARCH 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total funds £	2023 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	9	3,110	-	3,110	3,405
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	10	29,983	-	29,983	1,363
Cash at bank		119,387	-	119,387	59,160
		<u>149,370</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>149,370</u>	<u>60,523</u>
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	11	(133,075)	-	(133,075)	(54,203)
		<u>16,295</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>16,295</u>	<u>6,320</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS					
		<u>19,405</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>19,405</u>	<u>9,725</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES					
		<u>19,405</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>19,405</u>	<u>9,725</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>19,405</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>19,405</u>	<u>9,725</u>
FUNDS	12				
Unrestricted funds				19,405	9,725
TOTAL FUNDS				<u>19,405</u>	<u>9,725</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on and were signed on its behalf by:

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P Greyling - Trustee

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS **FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

1. LEGAL FORM

Christian Heritage London is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation which was registered on 3 March 2015 and amended on 21 August 2015 (registration number 1160736).

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) '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 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Going Concern

The accounts have been prepared on the Going Concern Basis. The charity was heavily dependent on relatively few funders which stopped providing funding in 2016. The Trustees have secured a different source of income, concentrating more on tours. The Trustees have prepared forecasts for the period of 12 months from the date of approval of the Financial Statements and continue to review budgets on a regular basis and are confident that the charity will have sufficient cash to continue in business for this period and therefore that the Going Concern Basis of preparation is appropriate.

The charity has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemption in preparing these financial statements, as permitted by FRS 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland':

- the requirements of Section 7 Statement of Cash Flows.

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Fixtures and fittings	- 25% on cost
Computer equipment	- 25% on cost

Taxation

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

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2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Fund accounting

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The charity operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the charity's pension scheme are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the period to which they relate.

Debtors

Trade and other debtors are recognised at the settlement amount due after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid net of any trade discounts due.

Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and cash in hand includes cash and short term highly liquid investments.

Creditors

Creditors and provisions are recognised where the charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third part and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

Financial instruments

The charity only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

Pension costs

The charitable company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the charitable company's pension scheme are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the period to which they relate.

3. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	2024	2023
	£	£
Donations: general	26,339	9,250
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4. INVESTMENT INCOME

	2024	2023
	£	£
Deposit account interest	714	12
	<u>714</u>	<u>12</u>

5. SUPPORT COSTS

	Finance	Other	Governance costs	Totals
	£	£	£	£
Tours and presentations	14	4,865	6,102	10,981
	<u>14</u>	<u>4,865</u>	<u>6,102</u>	<u>10,981</u>

6. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There was no trustees or key management personnel compensation in the year.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 March 2024 nor for the year ended 31 March 2023.

7. STAFF COSTS

	2024	2023
	£	£
Wages and salaries	47,662	37,131
Other pension costs	862	725
	<u>48,524</u>	<u>37,856</u>

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

	2024	2023
Guides	2	2
	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000.

8. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund	Restricted funds	Total funds
	£	£	£
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies	9,250	-	9,250
Charitable activities			
Tours and presentations	91,451	-	91,451
Investment income	12	-	12
Total	<u>100,713</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>100,713</u>

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8. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES - continued

	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £
Charitable activities			
Tours and presentations	126,107	-	126,107
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)	(25,394)	-	(25,394)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward	35,119	-	35,119
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u>9,725</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,725</u>

9. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
COST			
At 1 April 2023	3,580	9,669	13,249
Additions	-	1,223	1,223
At 31 March 2024	<u>3,580</u>	<u>10,892</u>	<u>14,472</u>
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 April 2023	3,580	6,264	9,844
Charge for year	-	1,518	1,518
At 31 March 2024	<u>3,580</u>	<u>7,782</u>	<u>11,362</u>
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 March 2024	<u>-</u>	<u>3,110</u>	<u>3,110</u>
At 31 March 2023	<u>-</u>	<u>3,405</u>	<u>3,405</u>

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10. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2024	2023
	£	£
Other debtors	100	100
Prepayments and accrued income	29,883	1,263
	<u>29,983</u>	<u>1,363</u>

11. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2024	2023
	£	£
Taxation and social security	8,592	6,462
Other creditors	124,483	47,741
	<u>133,075</u>	<u>54,203</u>

12. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1/4/23	Net movement in funds	At 31/3/24
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	9,725	9,680	19,405
	<u>9,725</u>	<u>9,680</u>	<u>19,405</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>9,725</u>	<u>9,680</u>	<u>19,405</u>

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources	Resources expended	Movement in funds
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	164,463	(154,783)	9,680
	<u>164,463</u>	<u>(154,783)</u>	<u>9,680</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>164,463</u>	<u>(154,783)</u>	<u>9,680</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1/4/22	Net movement in funds	At 31/3/23
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	35,119	(25,394)	9,725
	<u>35,119</u>	<u>(25,394)</u>	<u>9,725</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>35,119</u>	<u>(25,394)</u>	<u>9,725</u>

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12. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	100,713	(126,107)	(25,394)
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>100,713</u>	<u>(126,107)</u>	<u>(25,394)</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined position is as follows:

	At 1/4/22 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/3/24 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	35,119	(15,714)	19,405
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>35,119</u>	<u>(15,714)</u>	<u>19,405</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	265,176	(280,890)	(15,714)
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>265,176</u>	<u>(280,890)</u>	<u>(15,714)</u>

13. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 March 2024.

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14. INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REMUNERATION

	2024	2023
	£	£
Fees relating to independent examination	1,956	1,860

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DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	2024 £	2023 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Donations: general	26,339	9,250
Investment income		
Deposit account interest	714	12
Charitable activities		
Income from walks and tours	137,410	91,451
Total incoming resources	164,463	100,713
EXPENDITURE		
Charitable activities		
Wages	47,662	37,131
Pensions	862	725
Visitors centre	366	717
Tour costs	77,142	63,893
Stationery, printing and IT	3,360	6,793
Travel and subsistence	3,895	4,631
Bank charges	114	104
Development and marketing	8,884	4,966
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	1,517	1,359
	143,802	120,319
Support costs		
Finance		
Bank interest	14	358
Other		
Other operating leases	1,800	1,800
Training	3,065	630
	4,865	2,430
Governance costs		
Independent examiners fee	1,956	2,100
Bookkeeping	4,146	900
	6,102	3,000
Total resources expended	154,783	126,107
Net income/(expenditure)	9,680	(25,394)

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements