

THIS HOPE CIO

England & Wales · Charity number 1170568

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2016-12-06

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

Contact

Address 4 St. Peters Road
West Mersea
Colchester
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Activities

Objects: THE PRINCIPAL PURPOSES OF THE CHURCH ARE:- 3.1.1 THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH ACCORDING TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THE BAPTIST DENOMINATION. 3.1.2 THE CHURCH MAY ALSO ADVANCE EDUCATION AND CARRY OUT OTHER CHARITABLE PURPOSES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND/OR OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD. 3.2 [NOTHING IN THIS CONSTITUTION SHALL AUTHORISE AN APPLICATION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE CHURCH FOR PURPOSES WHICH ARE NOT CHARITABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 7 OF THE CHARITIES AND TRUSTEE INVESTMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005 OR SECTION 2 OF THE CHARITIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2008.]

Activities: Education and training. Baptism. Pastoral care. Discipleship. Encouragement and inclusion of all people. Book and article publishing. Social justice campaigning. Community chaplaincy.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** Religious Activities
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Devon

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£5,134	£2,949	-	-
2023-12-31	£7,636	£6,269	-	-
2022-12-31	£8,012	£8,529	-	-
2021-12-31	£6,838	£6,578	-	-
2020-12-31	£4,800	£5,792	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
CAROLINE LAVER		2018-12-04
HANNAH LAND		2021-12-22
Judy Swann		2021-07-23
Rev JOSEPH ADAM HAWARD		2018-12-04
Sarah Steele		2020-09-26

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Full name(s)

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**Position (eg Secretary,
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Treasurer	
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Date

31/10/2025

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Income	Total
Regular gifts	5134
TOTAL	5134

Expense	
RENT	0
Council tax	1913
BOOK COSTS	1036
	0

TOTAL	2949
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Balance	2185
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BANK SUMMARY

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Income	5134
Expense	2949
Balance 31 Dec 24	4930

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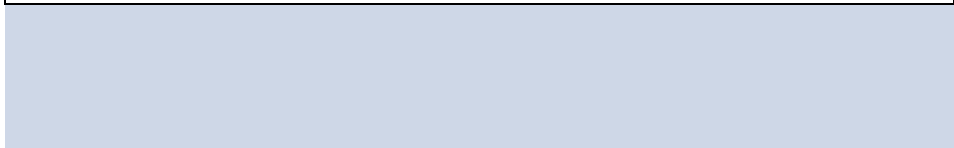
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Full name(s)

Caroline Laver	
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Position (eg Secretary,
Chair, etc)

Treasurer	
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Date

02/10/2024

This Hope Final Accounts Year 8 2023

Income	Total
Regular gifts	7636
TOTAL	7636

Expense	
RENT	3600
Council tax	1994
water	675
	0

TOTAL	6269
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Balance	1367
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BANK SUMMARY

Bank balance 1st Jan 2023	978
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Expense	6269
Balance 31 Dec 23	2345

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Full name(s)

Caroline Laver	
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**Position (eg Secretary,
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Treasurer	
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Date

07/10/2023

This Hope FINAL Accounts Year 6 2022

Income	Total
Regular gifts	8012
TOTAL	8012

Expense	
RENT	6450
Council tax	2199
water	930
	0

TOTAL	8529
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Balance	-517
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BANK SUMMARY

Bank balance 1st Jan 2022	1495
Income	8012
Expense	8529
Balance 31 Dec 22	978

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- chaplaincy within the local community

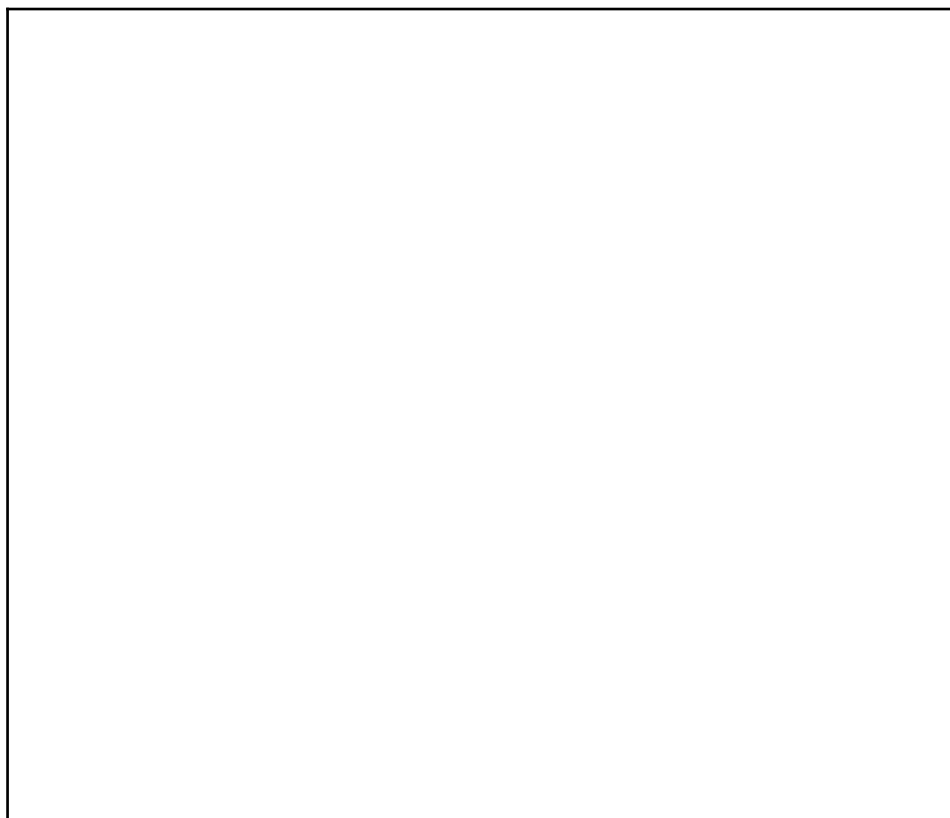
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26/09/2022

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Income	#ERROR!
Regular gifts	5788
One off received towards rent	1050
TOTAL	6838

Expense	
RENT	3300
rent	1050
Council tax	2118
water	990
Haward exps	170
Public liability	0
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TOTAL	6578

Balance	260
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Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

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Details of any funds materially in deficit

Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Section F

Other optional information

Section G

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

CAROLINE LAVER 	
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Full name(s)

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

Treasurer	
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Date

18/10/2021

This Hope FINAL Accounts Year 4 2020

Income	Total
Regular gifts	4800
TOTAL	4800

Expense	
RENT	1800
Council tax	2018
water	606
Expenses	1059
Public liability	278
	0

TOTAL	5762
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Balance -962

BANK SUMMARY

Bank balance 1st Jan 2020	2197
Income	4800
Expense	5762
Balance 31 Dec 20	1235

I certify that these Accounts
are a true representation of
income & expenditure for
'This Hope' year ending 31/12/20

L. Shawer

12/08/21