



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1st January 2021 to 31st December 2021

Charity name: New Life Community Church, Tonyrefail

Charity registration number: 1174521

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<p>To advance the Christian faith in Tonyrefail and in other parts of the UK or the World, as the Trustees may from time to time see fit.</p> <p>To help relieve sickness and financial hardship and to help promote and preserve good health by the provision of funds, goods or services of any kind including the provision of counselling and support as and when required.</p> <p>To advance education in such ways and in such parts of the United Kingdom or the world as the Trustees from time to time may think fit.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Now we are coming out of the Covid pandemic, the Church is back to hosting its own HUB (Helping-Uniting-Building) session four times a week – this is a community outreach where free cooked breakfast along with tea/coffee is available. This facility is self-funded by the Church. The Hub is a friendly environment and is openly available to the public, especially those that are vulnerable, homeless and isolated.• For those suffering hardship we distribute food hampers etc• The Church also works alongside Focal Point Community shop in alleviating poverty and helping families in crisis• The objective is to impact every life, every street, to see Community Transformation for the better, seeing Tonyrefail taking its strategic place in the Valleys.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have	Para 1.18	It is intended that all Trustees will attend a seminar/read relevant information

had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit		regarding their responsibilities as issued by the Charity Commission on Public benefits and continue to receive updates.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	The policy for grant making or financial beneficiaries is undertaken by the Leadership and the Trustees.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	There is no financial programme related investment as the only investment the Charity wishes to make is in changed lives, in helping our community to realise their potential, wellbeing and contribution to society in general.
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	All of the above is only made possible because of the body of volunteers the Church has to hand, to accommodate such activities and partnering with other Agencies.
Other		

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	<p>Amongst its many other community-based activities, NLCC successfully runs a Foodbank. To be able to help people in their time of need is a privilege.</p> <p>The Pastor, Leadership Team and Trustees are very happy with the service given to the public within our community and look forward to many more years of being able to carry out such accomplishments.</p>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	NLCC has successfully run for another year, as we are coming out of the pandemic, achieving the objectives set out ie helping the community and seeing lives
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		transformed. Our church services have returned in person and continue to be live streamed online meaning we are able to reach those that would not normally attend church.
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity’s financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	Please see attached accounts for 2021.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Currently the Charity has no policies on reserves
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	N/A
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	None
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	New Life Community Church is viable and has no uncertainties about the Charity continuing as a going concern.

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	<p>The Charity’s principle source of funds comes from its membership with 10% of their incomes tithed to the Church.</p> <p>Many members also sign up for ‘gift aid’</p> <p>Further funding is received from freewill offerings and public donations.</p> <p>Funding has supported and enabled the activities and objectives of this Charity thus affording NLCC to be a valuable tool within the Community – we are in the Community for the Community.</p>
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A

A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
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	Elected and appointed by the Church Leadership and noted by the membership at an Annual General Meeting.

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	All Trustees must receive training on induction or ongoing training opportunities.
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<p>Policies are under constant review and if necessary, updated annually.</p> <p>Organisational structure is made up of the Pastor and Church Elders who are responsible for the 'spiritual and practical' application of the church.</p> <p>The Trustees are responsible for the general governance of the Church, and are mindful of Charity Law and its application to the Church, which involves CRB/DBS checks on staff members who work with vulnerable people.</p> <p>NLCC is very closely involved with community transformation and works alongside other Agencies in relieving poverty and self-worth.</p> <p>The Trustees along with the general membership are continually looking at major risk factors and implementing system procedures to manage such risks.</p>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	All known as Partners and we all work closely together.
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	New Life Community Church Tonyrefail
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1174521
Charity's principal address	New Life Community Church Mill Street Tonyrefail Porth CF39 8AB

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Helen Owen	Pastor		Membership
2	Joanna Evans			Membership
3	Ernest Banwell			Membership
4	Gareth Evans			Membership
6	Rebecca Thapa			Membership
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
N/A		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

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

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

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details


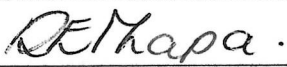
N/A

Other optional information

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Joanna Louise Evans	Rebecca Elizabeth Thapa
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Trustee	Trustee

Date	17 th October 2022
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