

**Report of the Trustees and
Audited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 September 2024
for
LIFE TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL
CHURCH TRUST**

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**LIFE TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL
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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

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LIFE TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH TRUST

Report of the Trustees FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 30 September 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

Objectives and aims

The objectives of Life Tabernacle Church are to advance the Christian faith in accordance with our Statement of Beliefs in the United Kingdom and other parts of the world as the trustees may think fit and to fulfil other such purposes which are connected to charitable work of the Trust.

Significant activities

The charity seeks to support the members of the same Christian belief whose purposes include the relief of poverty; provision of assistance to those in need through age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage; provision of education or the supporting of community development in the said location and in such other parts of the United Kingdom or the world as the Trustees may from time to time think fit.

The charity intends to achieve these objectives by community projects and proclamation of the faith through various outreach and community projects.

Public benefit

The charity affirms that it exists and operates exclusively for charitable purposes for the benefits of the public and to further the it's cause in so doing by it's activities and decisions in accordance with the Charity Commission's guidance.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

In the sixth year as Chief Information Officer (CIO) of the church, overseeing all its operational facets, including personnel, volunteers, and tangible and intangible assets, proved to be invigorating as we continued to streamline management processes for our two premises.

In Battersea, we introduced Spanish-speaking services alongside regular services, bolstering our social media presence, and witnessing three individuals undergoing water baptism. Despite challenges, our Living Manna services continued to offer daily prayer sessions, fostering spiritual growth locally and internationally, with testimonies of healing and revival spanning continents.

Similarly, at our Croydon premises, we seamlessly transitioned to online ministries during the pandemic, maintaining public worship with an average attendance of 55 on Sundays. Noteworthy accomplishments include baptizing ten individuals and engaging an average of 40 online viewers during midweek Bible studies. Consistent translation services to Spanish facilitated connections with Spanish-speaking families, while our Pentecostal Family Church at Labroke saw increased attendance.

Youth work thrived with weekly gatherings and significant attendance at conferences, while RHEMA HOUR TU VOZ RADIO garnered a global following, transcending borders. The inception of Northwood Church further expanded our outreach, complemented by ongoing maintenance works at our premises.

We also intend to aid members facing financial hardships exacerbated by the pandemic, reflecting our commitment to community support. Additionally, through our missions department, we provided aid to areas affected by natural disasters, embodying our ethos of global solidarity.

Community engagement remained paramount, with our premises hosting public events and maintaining online ministries beyond the pandemic. Notably, we facilitated 19 water baptisms and witnessed spiritual manifestations during virtual services, underscoring our enduring commitment to spiritual enrichment.

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Report of the Trustees FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Financial position

Total incoming resources for the year were £573,413 compared to £585,214 received in the prior year. £468,030 of this income was received from the church community as general giving (2023: £406,654).

The expenditure of resources on the church's activities during the year of £521,787 (2023: £500,139) was in line with the church's charitable aims.

Going concern

As of the financial year ending 30 September 2024, the financial statements of the Charity reflect current liabilities amounting to £347,833. This figure indicates that our current liabilities exceed our current assets by £294,759. Despite this, the Trustees are confident in the organization's ability to continue its operations effectively.

To address the net current liabilities and ensure continued operational stability, we have implemented several measures. A detailed cash flow projection has been developed for the next 12 months, projecting positive cash flows based on secured funding, expected grants, and planned fundraising activities. We have also negotiated extended payment terms with soft loan provider to better align with our cash inflows. Regular monitoring of cash flow against projections is being conducted, with adjustments made as necessary to ensure liquidity is maintained.

An internal review of all operational costs has been completed, resulting in a strategic reduction of non-essential expenditures.

New revenue-generating activities have been introduced, including the new tenants in James Dallas house, which are projected to generate additional income of £40,000 per annum. Existing revenue streams have been enhanced through targeted marketing and outreach efforts to increase engagement and support from our donor base. The organisation also has access to a line of credit from core members of the church, providing a financial cushion to manage any short-term cash flow challenges. A contingency plan has been developed, outlining specific actions to be taken in the event of significant deviations from the forecasted cash flows.

The Trustees believe that with these strategies in place, Life Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church Trust is well-positioned to manage its financial obligations and continue its mission-driven work. Regular reviews and updates to our financial plan will be conducted to ensure ongoing financial health and responsiveness to any emerging financial challenges. The Trustees are committed to maintaining transparency and will provide further updates on our financial position and operational strategies in subsequent reports.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust and constitutes an unincorporated charity.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

1174845

Principal address

32 Battersea Park Road
Battersea
London
SW11 4HY

**LIFE TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL
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**Report of the Trustees
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

Trustees

Rev L Francis Chair
Rev C Okala Trustee
Deaconess C Smartt Trustee
J Igbino Trustee
Elder S Brown Trustee
L Badenhorst Trustee
Deacon D Francis Trustee
Rev A Banton Trustee

Auditors

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STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Report of the Trustees and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Charity law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law, the trustees have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law).

Under charity law the trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charity for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011 and The Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by order of the board of trustees on4.11.2025..... and signed on its behalf by:



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Rev C Okala - Trustee

Report of the Independent Auditors to the Trustees of Life Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church Trust

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Life Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church Trust (the 'charity') for the year ended 30 September 2024 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 30 September 2024 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the trustees with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Other information

The trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Annual Report, other than the financial statements and our Report of the Independent Auditors thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the Report of the Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Report of the Independent Auditors to the Trustees of Life Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church Trust

Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the Statement of Trustees' Responsibilities, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements which give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

We have been appointed as auditors under Section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with the Act and relevant regulations made or having effect thereunder.

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue a Report of the Independent Auditors that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

We designed our audit by determining materiality and assessing risks of material misstatement, including fraud, through inquiries with management about their consideration of fraud. We focused on subjective judgments in significant accounting estimates involving assumptions about uncertain future events. We also assessed potential pressures, opportunities, and motivations for fraud, identifying internal controls to mitigate related risks and reviewing management's monitoring processes. Our procedures included reviewing and testing manual journals and key estimates and judgments.

We examined the legal and regulatory framework relevant to the company and industry, considering risks of noncompliance, including fraud, with laws like FRS 102, the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988, and UK tax legislation. We inquired about compliance and corroborated evidence by reviewing legal correspondence and obtaining legal letters on significant matters.

Our tests involved matching financial statement disclosures to supporting documents and management inquiries. We found no key audit matters related to irregularities or fraud. As in all audits, we addressed the risk of management override of controls by testing journals and evaluating potential biases that could lead to material misstatements due to fraud.

Our procedures acknowledged the higher risk of undetected material misstatement due to fraud compared to error, due to deliberate concealment through forgery, misrepresentation, or collusion. Despite inherent limitations in audit procedures, we aimed to identify material misstatements, recognizing that detection of non-compliance is less likely if it is not reflected in financial transactions.

For further details on our responsibilities, please visit the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This forms part of our auditor's report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our Report of the Independent Auditors.

Owadally & King Chartered Certified Accountants & Statutory Auditors is eligible for appointment as auditor of the charity by virtue of its eligibility for appointment as auditor of a company under section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006.

**Report of the Independent Auditors to the Trustees of
Life Tabernacle United Pentecostal
Church Trust**

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.



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Date: 07.11.2025

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**Statement of Financial Activities
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

		2024 Unrestricted fund £	2023 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	Notes		
Donations and legacies	2	526,648	466,795
Other trading activities	3	45,724	117,494
Investment income	4	1,041	925
Total		<u>573,413</u>	<u>585,214</u>
EXPENDITURE ON			
Raising funds	5	505,223	489,489
Other		16,586	10,650
Total		<u>521,809</u>	<u>500,139</u>
NET INCOME		51,604	85,075
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		3,565,493	3,480,418
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>3,617,097</u></u>	<u><u>3,565,493</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

**LIFE TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL
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**Balance Sheet
30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

	Notes	2024 Unrestricted fund £	2023 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	10	6,202,864	6,206,985
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	11	21,292	26,491
Cash at bank		31,782	55,706
		<u>53,074</u>	<u>82,197</u>
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	12	(347,833)	(387,425)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>(294,759)</u>	<u>(305,228)</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		5,908,105	5,901,757
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due after more than one year	13	(2,291,008)	(2,336,264)
NET ASSETS		<u>3,617,097</u>	<u>3,565,493</u>
FUNDS	15		
Unrestricted funds		3,617,097	3,565,493
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>3,617,097</u>	<u>3,565,493</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on
.....04.11.2025..... and were signed on its behalf by:

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C Okala - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

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**Cash Flow Statement
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

	Notes	2024 £	2023 £
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	1	210,572	213,632
Interest paid		(183,444)	(157,652)
Net cash provided by operating activities		27,128	55,980
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of tangible fixed assets		-	(2,160)
Interest received		1,041	925
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities		1,041	(1,235)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Bank loan repayment		(46,093)	(53,841)
Other loan repayment		(6,000)	(10,296)
Net cash used in financing activities		(52,093)	(64,137)
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting period		(23,924)	(9,392)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period		55,706	65,098
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period		31,782	55,706

The notes form part of these financial statements

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**Notes to the Cash Flow Statement
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

1. RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2024 £	2023 £
Net income for the reporting period (as per the Statement of Financial Activities)	51,604	85,075
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation charges	4,121	3,716
Interest received	(1,041)	(925)
Interest paid	183,444	157,652
Decrease/(increase) in debtors	5,199	(26,491)
Decrease in creditors	(32,755)	(5,395)
Net cash provided by operations	<u>210,572</u>	<u>213,632</u>

2. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

	At 1.10.23 £	Cash flow £	At 30.9.24 £
Net cash			
Cash at bank	55,706	(23,924)	31,782
	<u>55,706</u>	<u>(23,924)</u>	<u>31,782</u>
Debt			
Debts falling due within 1 year	(266,234)	6,837	(259,397)
Debts falling due after 1 year	(2,336,264)	45,256	(2,291,008)
	<u>(2,602,498)</u>	<u>52,093</u>	<u>(2,550,405)</u>
Total	<u>(2,546,792)</u>	<u>28,169</u>	<u>(2,518,623)</u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

1. 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.

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 costs 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: straight line over 4 years
Computer Equipment: straight line over 4 years

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.

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.

The trust has only unrestricted fund as at and year ended 30 September 2024 and for year ended 2023.

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.

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Going concern

In evaluating the financial statements of the charity for the financial year ending 30 September 2024, we have identified a material uncertainty regarding the organisation's ability to continue as a going concern. As disclosed in the Trustees' report, the charity has net current liabilities amounting to £294,759, indicating that current liabilities exceed current assets by this amount.

To address this situation, the Trustees have implemented several measures, including developing a detailed cash flow projection, securing committed funding, negotiating extended payment terms, reducing non-essential expenditures, and enhancing revenue-generating activities.

Despite these proactive steps, there remains material uncertainty about the adequacy of these measures to ensure the organisation's ongoing financial stability.

However, after considering these points, the Trustees are confident in the charity's ability to maintain cash flow and continue operating for the foreseeable future. Therefore, the financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

2. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	2024	2023
	£	£
Donations	468,030	406,654
Gift aid	58,618	60,141
	<u>526,648</u>	<u>466,795</u>

3. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	2024	2023
	£	£
Fundraising events	300	828
Rental Income	39,231	107,873
Parking	6,193	8,793
	<u>45,724</u>	<u>117,494</u>

4. INVESTMENT INCOME

	2024	2023
	£	£
Current asset investment	<u>1,041</u>	<u>925</u>

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
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5. RAISING FUNDS

Raising donations and legacies

	2024	2023
	£	£
Hire of plant and machinery	2,050	2,844
Insurance	20,772	20,117
Light and heat	24,346	37,902
Telephone	5,001	3,559
Postage and stationery	3,538	2,473
Petrol	2,046	2,906
Travel	6,594	6,434
Repairs and maintenance	38,184	25,008
Rubbish Collection	3,612	3,002
Consultancy & Professional Fee	32,660	30,045
Computers	5,219	5,614
Hall Rental	10,434	8,703
Subscriptions	2,408	3,255
Admin Expenses	12,802	10,554
Ministers tithes	10,432	13,632
Livewire	2,077	2,187
Love offering	2,527	5,389
Loan Interest	-	2,315
Bank Charges	3,083	3,037
Other	17,985	19,109
Advertising	274	466
Anniversary Expenses	1,353	1,817
Depreciation	4,121	3,716
Support costs	22	-
	<u>211,540</u>	<u>214,084</u>

Other trading activities

	2024	2023
	£	£
Trustees' remuneration etc	33,378	32,813
Staff costs	61,353	67,499
Missions	5,428	7,300
Agent costs	10,080	10,080
Interest payable and similar charges	183,444	157,652
	<u>293,683</u>	<u>275,344</u>

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

5. RAISING FUNDS - continued

Investment management costs

	2024 £	2023 £
Support costs	-	61
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Aggregate amounts	<u>505,223</u>	<u>489,489</u>

6. SUPPORT COSTS

	Finance £	Governance costs £	Totals £
Raising donations and legacies	22	-	22
Other resources expended	-	16,586	16,586
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	<u>22</u>	<u>16,586</u>	<u>16,608</u>

7. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

	2024 £	2023 £
Trustees' salaries	28,324	27,787
Trustees' social security	2,654	2,626
Trustees' pensions paid	2,400	2,400
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	<u>33,378</u>	<u>32,813</u>

Above remuneration is in respect of the Chairman Rev. Leroy Francis.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 30 September 2024 nor for the year ended 30 September 2023.

8. STAFF COSTS

	2024 £	2023 £
Wages and salaries	90,039	91,321
Social security costs	1,391	5,744
Other pension costs	901	847
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	<u>92,331</u>	<u>97,912</u>

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

	2024	2023
General staff	5	5
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

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

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

9. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	
Donations and legacies	466,795
Other trading activities	117,494
Investment income	925
Total	<u>585,214</u>
EXPENDITURE ON	
Raising funds	489,489
Other	10,650
Total	<u>500,139</u>
NET INCOME	85,075
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	
Total funds brought forward	3,480,418
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u><u>3,565,493</u></u>

10. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Freehold property £	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
COST				
At 1 October 2023 and 30 September 2024	6,200,000	10,969	5,515	6,216,484
DEPRECIATION				
At 1 October 2023	-	6,741	2,758	9,499
Charge for year	-	2,743	1,378	4,121
At 30 September 2024	-	9,484	4,136	13,620
NET BOOK VALUE				
At 30 September 2024	6,200,000	1,485	1,379	6,202,864
At 30 September 2023	6,200,000	4,228	2,757	6,206,985

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

10. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

The financial statements include a small element of investment property within the freehold land and buildings. The trustees have reviewed the nature and scale of this investment property and have concluded that it is not material to the readers of the financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2024. Consequently, this element has not been shown separately. This approach is consistent with the trustees' assessment of the financial information's relevance and significance to stakeholders.

11. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2024	2023
	£	£
Trade debtors	20,098	26,491
Other debtors	1,194	-
	<u>21,292</u>	<u>26,491</u>

12. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2024	2023
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 14)	37,351	38,188
Taxation and social security	1	45
Other creditors	310,481	349,192
	<u>347,833</u>	<u>387,425</u>

13. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	2024	2023
	£	£
Bank loans (see note 14)	2,097,008	2,142,264
Other creditors	194,000	194,000
	<u>2,291,008</u>	<u>2,336,264</u>

14. LOANS

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below:

	2024	2023
	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year on demand:		
Bank loans	37,351	38,188
Other loans	222,046	228,046
	<u>259,397</u>	<u>266,234</u>
Amounts falling between one and two years:		
Bank loans - 1-2 years	37,351	38,188
Other loans - 1-2 years	50,000	50,000
	<u>87,351</u>	<u>88,188</u>

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14. LOANS - continued

	2024 £	2023 £
Amounts falling due between two and five years:		
Bank loans - 2-5 years	112,054	114,564
Other loans - 2-5 years	144,000	144,000
	<u>256,054</u>	<u>258,564</u>
Amounts falling due in more than five years:		
Repayable by instalments:		
Bank loans more 5 yr by instal	1,947,603	1,989,512

15. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1.10.23 £	Net movement in funds £	At 30.9.24 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	3,565,493	51,604	3,617,097
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>3,565,493</u>	<u>51,604</u>	<u>3,617,097</u>

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

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	573,413	(521,809)	51,604
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>573,413</u>	<u>(521,809)</u>	<u>51,604</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1.10.22 £	Net movement in funds £	At 30.9.23 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	3,480,418	85,075	3,565,493
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>3,480,418</u>	<u>85,075</u>	<u>3,565,493</u>

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15. 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	585,214	(500,139)	85,075
	<u>585,214</u>	<u>(500,139)</u>	<u>85,075</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>585,214</u>	<u>(500,139)</u>	<u>85,075</u>

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

	At 1.10.22 £	Net movement in funds £	At 30.9.24 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	3,480,418	136,679	3,617,097
	<u>3,480,418</u>	<u>136,679</u>	<u>3,617,097</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>3,480,418</u>	<u>136,679</u>	<u>3,617,097</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	1,158,627	(1,021,948)	136,679
	<u>1,158,627</u>	<u>(1,021,948)</u>	<u>136,679</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>1,158,627</u>	<u>(1,021,948)</u>	<u>136,679</u>

16. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 30 September 2024 (2023: NIL)

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**Detailed Statement of Financial Activities
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	2024 £	2023 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Donations	468,030	406,654
Gift aid	58,618	60,141
	<u>526,648</u>	<u>466,795</u>
Other trading activities		
Fundraising events	300	828
Rental Income	39,231	107,873
Parking	6,193	8,793
	<u>45,724</u>	<u>117,494</u>
Investment income		
Current asset investment	1,041	925
	<u>573,413</u>	<u>585,214</u>
Total incoming resources		
	573,413	585,214
EXPENDITURE		
Raising donations and legacies		
Hire of plant and machinery	2,050	2,844
Insurance	20,772	20,117
Light and heat	24,346	37,902
Telephone	5,001	3,559
Postage and stationery	3,538	2,473
Petrol	2,046	2,906
Travel	6,594	6,434
Repairs and maintenance	38,184	25,008
Rubbish Collection	3,612	3,002
Consultancy & Professional Fee	32,660	30,045
Computers	5,219	5,614
Hall Rental	10,434	8,703
Subscriptions	2,408	3,255
Admin Expenses	12,802	10,554
Ministers tithes	10,432	13,632
Livewire	2,077	2,187
Love offering	2,527	5,389
Loan Interest	-	2,315
Bank Charges	3,083	3,037
Other	17,985	19,109
Advertising	274	466
Anniversary Expenses	1,353	1,817
Carried forward	207,397	210,368

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**Detailed Statement of Financial Activities
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	2024 £	2023 £
Raising donations and legacies		
Brought forward	207,397	210,368
Fixtures and fittings	2,742	2,337
Computer equipment	1,379	1,379
	<u>211,518</u>	<u>214,084</u>
Other trading activities		
Trustees' salaries	28,324	27,787
Trustees' social security	2,654	2,626
Trustees' pensions paid	2,400	2,400
Wages	61,715	63,534
Social security	(1,263)	3,118
Pensions	901	847
Missions	5,428	7,300
Agent costs	10,080	10,080
Mortgage	183,444	157,652
	<u>293,683</u>	<u>275,344</u>
Support costs		
Finance		
Foreign Exchange Losses	22	61
Governance costs		
Auditors' remuneration	13,440	9,000
Accountancy and legal fees	3,146	1,650
	<u>16,586</u>	<u>10,650</u>
Total resources expended	<u>521,809</u>	<u>500,139</u>
Net income	<u><u>51,604</u></u>	<u><u>85,075</u></u>

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