

REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: CE011980 (England and Wales)
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1175563

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2023
FOR
OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

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OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

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for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

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OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES **for the Year Ended 31st December 2023**

The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31st December 2023. 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

Oasis Christian Fellowship (Telford) is set up for the advancement of the Christian faith in accordance with the basis of faith, and such other charitable purposes as shall, in the opinion of the Trustees, put into practice the Christian faith including but not limited to, the prevention and relief of need, hardship and sickness, the advancement of education and provision of social welfare facilities.

Significant activities

The trustees purchased a building to provide a permanent establishment for the church.

The trustees recognise the need to generate funds to cover the associated loan repayments along with the costs of meeting their charitable objectives.

Public benefit

The trustees have had regard to the public benefit guides PB1, PB2 and PB3 when making decisions on the actions of the charity.

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

The church has continued to grow, with the immigration advice service becoming more established.

The church provided a residential conference for it's under 18 year olds during the year.

The financial position of the Charity has remained satisfactory.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes a charitable incorporated organisation.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

CE011980 (England and Wales)

Registered Charity number

1175563

Registered office

Unit B1
Stafford Park 15
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Trustees

C M Agyeman
K N Etsibah
C Beech
Ms A Bentil
Rev J D Botfield

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Independent Examiner

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 11th October 2024 and signed on its behalf by:

Ms A Bentil - Trustee

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF
OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Oasis Christian Fellowship (Telford) CIO ('the Company')

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31st December 2023.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees of the Company (and also its directors for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts as carried out under Section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under Section 145(5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Company as required by Section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of Section 396 of the 2006 Act 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; or
4. the accounts have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities (applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)).

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.

Russell Ball

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11th October 2024

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

	Notes	31.12.23 Unrestricted fund £	31.12.22 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies		67,898	76,479
EXPENDITURE ON			
Charitable activities			
Church		63,051	45,680
NET INCOME		4,847	30,799
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		135,758	104,959
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		140,605	135,758

The notes form part of these financial statements

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

BALANCE SHEET
31st December 2023

	Notes	31.12.23 Unrestricted fund £	31.12.22 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	5	261,518	250,428
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash at bank		12,882	27,418
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	6	(6,348)	(6,355)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>6,534</u>	<u>21,063</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		268,052	271,491
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due after more than one year	7	(127,447)	(135,733)
NET ASSETS		<u>140,605</u>	<u>135,758</u>
FUNDS	10		
Unrestricted funds		<u>140,605</u>	<u>135,758</u>
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>140,605</u>	<u>135,758</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31st December 2023.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31st December 2023 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

The notes form part of these financial statements

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

BALANCE SHEET - continued
31st December 2023

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to charitable companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 11th October 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:

A Bentil - Trustee

J D Botfield - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS **for the Year Ended 31st December 2023**

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charitable company, 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 Companies Act 2006. 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 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	- 10% on cost
Motor vehicles	- 25% on reducing balance

Freehold property is not depreciated. The trustees are of the view that the level of ongoing repair and maintenance of the property will result in the residual value of the property at the end of its useful life being greater than its original cost. This is reviewed annually by the trustees.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation 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.

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

2. NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)

Net income/(expenditure) is stated after charging/(crediting):

	31.12.23	31.12.22
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	4,981	3,413
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3. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31st December 2023 nor for the year ended 31st December 2022.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31st December 2023 nor for the year ended 31st December 2022.

4. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	
Donations and legacies	76,479
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EXPENDITURE ON	
Charitable activities	
Church	45,680
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NET INCOME	30,799
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RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	
Total funds brought forward	104,959
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TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u>135,758</u>

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

5. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Freehold property £	Fixtures and fittings £	Motor vehicles £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
COST					
At 1st January 2023	226,210	25,802	14,240	870	267,122
Additions	-	9,171	6,900	-	16,071
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At 31st December 2023	226,210	34,973	21,140	870	283,193
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DEPRECIATION					
At 1st January 2023	-	5,398	10,741	555	16,694
Charge for year	-	3,349	1,342	290	4,981
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At 31st December 2023	-	8,747	12,083	845	21,675
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NET BOOK VALUE					
At 31st December 2023	226,210	26,226	9,057	25	261,518
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At 31st December 2022	226,210	20,404	3,499	315	250,428
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6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	31.12.23 £	31.12.22 £
Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 8)	5,400	5,400
Accrued expenses	948	955
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	6,348	6,355
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7. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	31.12.23 £	31.12.22 £
Bank loans (see note 8)	127,447	135,733
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8. LOANS

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below:

	31.12.23 £	31.12.22 £
Amounts falling due within one year on demand:		
Bank loans	5,400	5,400
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Amounts falling between one and two years:		
Bank loans - 1-2 years	11,400	11,400
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Amounts falling due between two and five years:		
Bank loans - 2-5 years	17,100	17,100
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

8. LOANS - continued

	31.12.23	31.12.22
	£	£
Amounts falling due in more than five years:		
Repayable by instalments:		
Bank loans more 5 yr by instal	98,947	107,233

9. SECURED DEBTS

The following secured debts are included within creditors:

	31.12.23	31.12.22
	£	£
Bank loans	132,847	141,133
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10. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

The General Fund represents surplus funds raised while meeting Oasis Christian Fellowships objectives.

The General Funds are intended to increase to provide funds to meet the repayments on the loan for the building purchase, while also being sufficient to meet the ongoing recurring running costs of the church.

11. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31st December 2023.

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (TELFORD) CIO

DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

	31.12.23 £	31.12.22 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Donations - regular giving	48,921	48,947
Donations - other	18,977	14,649
Gift Aid	-	12,883
	<hr/> 67,898	<hr/> 76,479
Total incoming resources	67,898	76,479
 EXPENDITURE		
Charitable activities		
Wages	7,904	9,180
Service charge	350	600
Light and heat	4,478	2,146
Telephone	819	749
Sundries	2,119	4,766
Repairs and maintenance	4,636	7,197
Welfare	18,908	4,382
Motor and travel	7,657	5,301
Church consumable	1,476	1,399
Depreciation - Fixtures	3,349	1,600
Depreciation - Vehicle	1,342	1,523
Depreciation - Computers	290	290
Accountancy	500	490
Bank loan interest	8,694	5,430
Bank charges	529	627
	<hr/> 63,051	<hr/> 45,680
Total resources expended	63,051	45,680
 Net income	<hr/> <hr/> 4,847	<hr/> <hr/> 30,799

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements