

# **Strong Tower Christian Centre**

**Charity Commission Number: 1179480.**

**Trustees' Annual Report and Account: 31 March 2024**

The trustees present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024.

**Trustees**

Pastor Daniel Ikechukwu Kamalu

Mr Fred Kiyaga

Pastor Nkeiru Anita Kamalu

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Wakefield

WF4 2EZ

**Solicitors:**

Edward Connor Solicitors

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LS1 5AA

**Church Address:**

Portobello Community Centre,

Portobello Road

WF2 7JJ

## **Background**

Strong Tower Christian Centre exists to share the love of Jesus Christ to as many in and outside of the city of Wakefield. We encourage our church members to love one another and maintain intimacy with our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ as instructed in the Holy Scriptures.

For now, and in the future, the church has decided to continue with combining face-to-face meetings and online meetings across all the events and programmes being held to allow greater reach.

The church embarked on several evangelism campaigns aimed at spreading the gospel of Christ with the members of the public.

The Church continues to operate from the Portobello Community Centre where it reaches out to many residents in the city of Wakefield with the good news of the gospel of Christ.

## **Charity Activities and achievements**

Activities carried out by the Strong Tower Christian Centre includes:

- **Normal Church Events:** The Church activities comprises face to face service and online services.
- **Evangelism Outreach:** The structure of our outreach programme now includes one-to-one evangelism and group evangelism to reach a wider audience with spread of the love of Jesus in the city.
- **Summer Family Day Outing:** The Church hosted various family day outings in Wakefield as a way of reaching out to the community while bonding in love.
- **Church Leaders weekly Prayer Meeting:** The church continued to engage with other churches in prayers sessions and hosting of events for the churches together initiatives. The prayer meetings have continued to be held online. Workshops, yearly retreat and joint Christmas Carols were held amongst church leaders in the city which shows the unity and bond amongst church leaders.

- **Annual Christmas party:** The Church had her Annual Christmas party in December 2023 where the members of the public were invited to experience the love of Christ.

## **Risk Management**

The Church has been working closely with the Management of the Portobello Community Centre in identifying, reviewing and mitigating risks at the place of worship being a public place.

## **Volunteers**

The church experienced a drop of some of the volunteers due to relocation. New volunteers were added after having completed training.

The charity appreciates the dedication and commitment of volunteers and friends of the church who under the direction of the church leaders perform several tasks in order to assist in fulfilling its objectives.

## **Financial Review**

In view of the fact that the income of the charity was less than £10,000, the charity has prepared the receipts and payment account in compliance with the Charity Commission's governing document.

## **Funding**

The church has entirely funded by members donations, offerings and tithes.

## **Summary of Accounts**

The summary of the account is as follows:

Receipts: £8,123.15

Payments: £10,172.55

Balance: **£ -2049.40**

## **Future Plans**

The church Trustees are currently discussing on reaching more members of the community with the good news of Christ. Which means in future, bigger worship

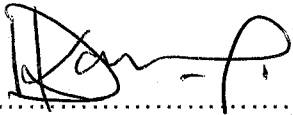
space would be needed to accommodate the increase of new members and their families.

To this end, consideration would be given to identifying and creating income generating streams for the church in order to meet its strategic goals.

### **Public benefit**

The Trustees' strategy for achieving the objectives as stated in the charity's constitution, for the public benefit is to advance the Christian faith in the United Kingdom via the proclamation of the gospel of Jesus Christ whilst complying with the Public Benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission. Our achievements as to how we fulfilled these objectives are detailed within this report.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Daniel Kamalu', written over a dotted line.

Pastor —Daniel Kamalu

Date: 31/01/2025



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Strong Tower Christian Centre

No (if any)

## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period  
from

Apr-23

To

Mar-24

### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
	8,123	-	-	8,123	8,606
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	8,123	-	-	8,123	8,606
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	8,123	-	-	8,123	8,606
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
	10,172	-	-	10,172	6,374
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	10,172	-	-	10,172	6,374
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total payments</b>	10,172	-	-	10,172	6,374
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	- 2,049	-	-	- 2,049	2,232
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	- 2,049	-	-	- 2,049	2,232

## Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	-	-	-
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B2 Other monetary assets	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
	DKAMALU	Daniel Kamalu	31/01/2025	