



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 04 June 2023 To 22 March 2024

Charity name: THE OUTSTANDING DIVINE SOURCE

Charity registration number: 1180306

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	TO ADVANCE THE CHRISTIAN FAITH IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATEMENT OF FAITH AND IN PARTICULAR BUT WITHOUT LIMITATION BY HOLDING RELIGIOUS SERVICES AND PRAYER MEETINGS AND DISTRIBUTING THE BIBLE AND OTHER LITERATURE
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	We share the Good News of Jesus Christ with people resident locally during our different services and give free bibles away to people in UK and Ivory Coast. We also have a policy of providing hot meals to people in need and giving free homework help and exam preparation in Maths, English and French to young people and adults.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	<div>As trustee of [The outstanding Divine Source], I hereby confirm that I have diligently considered and consistently adhered to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission regarding public benefit. Our actions and decision-making processes are informed by our commitment to serving the public good and advancing the charitable objectives of our organization.</div> <div>In line with the guidance provided by the Charity Commission, I have ensured that our activities are conducted for the benefit of the public, particularly in relation to the objects of our charity. I recognize the importance of transparency,</div>

		<p>accountability, and effectiveness in fulfilling our charitable purposes.</p> <p>Our efforts to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with individuals locally, as well as our distribution of free Bibles both within the UK and in Ivory Coast, are aimed at providing spiritual support and guidance to those in need. These activities contribute to the spiritual well-being and enrichment of individuals, aligning with our charitable objectives.</p> <p>Furthermore, our policy of providing hot meals to individuals in need, along with offering free homework help and exam preparation in Maths, English, and French to young people and adults, directly addresses practical challenges faced by vulnerable populations. By providing these services, we aim to alleviate hardship, enhance educational opportunities, and promote social inclusion within our community.</p> <p>Throughout our decision-making processes and operational activities, we remain committed to upholding the principles of public benefit as outlined by the Charity Commission. We continuously evaluate the impact of our initiatives and strive to ensure that they effectively serve the needs of the public, particularly those who are most vulnerable or marginalized.</p> <p>As trustee, I have dedicated to fulfilling our responsibilities with integrity, prudence, and a steadfast focus on advancing the public benefit through our charitable endeavors.</p>
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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	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
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>Following the challenging period of lockdowns and the ongoing impact of Covid-19, our organization has remained steadfast in our commitment to serving our community. We are pleased to report several significant achievements and impactful initiatives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Continuation of Online Catch-up Club: Despite the challenges posed by the pandemic, we have successfully continued to provide our renowned 'Online Catch-up Club' in English, Maths, and French for both young people and adults. This initiative has ensured that individuals can continue their education and skill development remotely, overcoming barriers imposed by the pandemic. Digital Outreach for Spiritual Support: Recognizing the importance of spiritual well-being, especially during these uncertain times, we have intensified our efforts to share the Good News of

		<p>Jesus Christ. With restrictions on in-person gatherings, we have adapted by predominantly engaging in online outreach activities. As part of this effort, we have distributed free Bibles to individuals through postal services, ensuring that the message of hope reaches those in need, even in the midst of a global crisis.</p> <p>3. Introduction of Food Delivery Service for Vulnerable Individuals: In response to the growing need for support among vulnerable populations, particularly in West London, we have launched a new initiative to provide free home-cooked meals through a dedicated food delivery service. This service aims to alleviate food insecurity and ensure that vulnerable individuals have access to nutritious meals. Each meal package includes a variety of items such as rice, oven-fried chicken, lamb, fish, bread, soup, pasta, fruits, salad, and bottled water, providing recipients with sustenance for a full day.</p> <p>Through these initiatives, we remain committed to making a positive difference in the lives of those we serve, even amidst challenging circumstances. We are grateful for the support of our volunteers, donors, and partners who have enabled us to continue our mission of compassion and service to the community.</p>
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	

Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The charity has not yet received any funding or donation.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	Not applicable
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	Not applicable
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

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	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
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	CIO - FOUNDATION Registered 15 Oct 2018
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Foundation
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	Trustees are appointed or reappointed annually at the annual Meeting held in June

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	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	THE OUTSTANDING DIVINE SOURCE
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1180306
Charity's principal address	3RD FLOOR 86-90 PAUL STREET LONDON EC2A 4NE

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)
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

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Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	Not applicable
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	Not applicable
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	Not applicable

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)

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

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Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

Magloire Yao Akrassi

Full name(s)

Magloire Yao Akrassi

Position (eg Secretary,
Chair, etc)

Chair

Date

22nd March 2024