



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 15/10/2023 To 15/10/2024

Charity name: Oasis Central Church

Charity registration number: 1180714

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<p>The objectives of the CIO are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a) To advance the Christian faith for the public benefit in the UK and worldwide in accordance with the Statement of Faith.b) The relief of poverty, sickness and financial hardship.
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	<p>Introduction:</p> <p>This report outlines the primary activities undertaken by the church to fulfil its mission and serve the community, as reflected in the church's financial accounts. These activities are designed to promote spiritual growth, provide community support, and enhance the overall well-being of individuals and families.</p> <p>1. Worship Services</p> <p>The church conducts regular worship services every Sunday, with additional services during special occasions. These gatherings are central to the church's mission, providing spiritual guidance and fostering a sense of belonging among congregants.</p> <p>Services typically include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sermons focused on relevant themes and teachings.• Music and Worship featuring

		<p>choirs and congregational singing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prayer Sessions for individual and collective needs. <p>2. Community Outreach Programs</p> <p>The church is committed to outreach initiatives aimed at addressing local needs and supporting vulnerable populations. Key projects include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Drives: Regular collections of non-perishable food items for local food banks. • Clothing Donations: Organizing seasonal clothing drives to provide for those in need. • Partnerships with Local Shelters: Collaborating with nearby shelters to offer support and resources for the homeless. <p>3. Educational Programs</p> <p>To promote spiritual development and lifelong learning, the church offers a range of educational opportunities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible Study Groups: Weekly sessions for different age groups focused on scripture and daily life application. • Workshops and Seminars: Topics cover personal development, mental health, and community service. • Children's Sunday School: Engaging activities that teach children about faith and values. <p>4. Youth and Family Services</p> <p>Recognising the importance of engaging families and youth, the church provides several tailored programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teens Church: Activities and discussions that foster fellowship and spiritual growth among young
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		<p>members.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family Events include wedding ceremonies, child naming ceremonies, community dinners, game nights, and retreats that strengthen family bonds and promote church involvement. <p>5. Counselling and Support Services</p> <p>The church offers pastoral care and counselling services to assist individuals and families facing various challenges:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pastoral Counselling: Confidential support for emotional and spiritual issues. • Support Groups: Facilitation of groups for grief, addiction, and other life challenges. <p>6. Volunteer Opportunities</p> <p>The church encourages active participation through various volunteer roles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service Projects: Organizing community clean-ups, assisting at local events, and providing hands-on help to those in need. • Leadership Engagement: Opportunities for congregants to lead educational programs and outreach efforts, fostering a sense of ownership and community engagement. <p>7. Cultural and Social Events</p> <p>The church hosts a variety of cultural and social events aimed at enhancing community relationships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concerts and Art Shows: Showcasing local talent and fostering appreciation for the arts. • Community Gatherings: Seasonal festivals, potlucks, and picnics that encourage fellowship
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		<p>and cultural exchange.</p> <p>Conclusion:</p> <p>The church remains dedicated to serving the community and promoting spiritual growth. Through its diverse activities and programs, the church nurtures its congregants and contributes significantly to the broader community's welfare. This commitment to public benefit is reflected in the financial accounts, which support ongoing and new initiatives to foster a caring and connected community.</p>
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	N/A

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	N/A
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Oasis Central Church's mission is supported by our passionate volunteers who generously give their time to the church and its people. This is evidenced in numerous ways; from providing food and hospitality, giving musical performances to mentoring young people in their studies.
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP	
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	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>The church has supported its members to enrol into adult learning and further education. We are proud to say that several of our members have started pursuing qualifications that they would admittedly not have sought had it not been for the encouragement of the church.</p> <p>The church has also supported members in their search for employment.</p> <p>The pastoral team has provided remedial care to young members who experienced trouble with the police.</p> <p>The church also supported the weddings and marital ceremonies of members by providing counselling and support.</p> <p>The trustees appointed Mr Samuel Opoku-Kuffour as an independent examiner.</p>

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	See attached CC16a form
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	
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	By voluntarily donations from members
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		We would like to thank all the volunteers who make Oasis Central Church the Spirit-filled and vibrant community it is.

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	

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	<i>Ecumenical Relationships</i> We are a member of Transform Bexley Borough, and of Churches Together South London and Evangelical Alliance.
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Oasis Central Church
Other name the charity uses	N/A
Registered charity number	1180714

Charity's principal address	231 Ampleforth Road London SE2 9BQ

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	Francicca Nantwi			
2	Rev Paul Agyei			
3	Rev Daniel Amoateng			
4	Grace Chirombo			
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

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)

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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)	FNantwi	PAgyei
Full name(s)	Francisca Nantwi	Reverend Paul Agyei
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Secretary	Chairman

Date	22/12/2024
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Oasis Central Church

1180714

Receipts and payments accounts

CC16a

For the period
from

15/10/2023

To

15/10/2024

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 £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	38 470	-	-	38 470	68 500
Gift Aid	12 929	-	-	12 929	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	51 399	-	-	51 399	68 500
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	51 399	-	-	51 399	68 500
A3 Payments					
Hire of Premises/Rent	15 000	-	-	15 000	-
Purchase / Hire of Equipment and Repairs	17 000	-	-	17 000	-
Promotion & Advertising & Trainings	850	-	-	850	-
Welfare, Covid_19 Reliefs	12 000	-	-	12 000	-
Evangelism, Missions & Camp Meeting	300	-	-	300	-
General Travel & Car Hire Expenses	1 000	-	-	1 000	-
Community Projects	1 200	-	-	1 200	-
Worship / Music Ministry Costs	2 500	-	-	2 500	-
Telephone / Internet & Live Streaming	700	-	-	700	-
	50 550	-	-	50 550	-
Sub total					
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total					
	50 550	-	-	50 550	-
Total payments					
	849	-	-	849	68 500
Net of receipts/(payments)	-	-	-	-	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	849	-	-	849	68 500
Cash funds this year end					

Section B Statement of

Categories

B1 Cash funds

Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
	849	-	-
	-	-	-
	-	-	-
Total cash funds	849	-	-
(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

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
GChirombo	Grace Chirombo	21/12/2024

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Oasis Central Church

On accounts for the year
ended

15/10/2023 - 15/10/2024

Charity no
(if any)

1180714

Set out on pages

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended **15/10/2023 - 15/10/2024**.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

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

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 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.

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.

** Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed: SOKuffour

Date: 26/12/2024

Name: Samuel Opoku-Kuffour

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body

N/A

(if any):

Address:	46 Carlton House
	Algers road
	IG10 4RS, Loughton

Section B	Disclosure
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Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

N/A