

VIDEO BIBLE TALKS

England & Wales · Charity number 1181337

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2018-12-21

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECT OF THE CIO IS, FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT, THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH THROUGHOUT THE UNITED KINGDOM AND IN PARTICULAR, BUT WITHOUT LIMITATION, BY THE PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF BIBLE TEACHING VIDEOS.

Activities: To advance the Christian faith by providing Bible-centred teaching videos and other digital content or resources for use by individuals, church groups, church ministries and other organisations.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Religious Activities
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Throughout England And Wales

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£22,801	£21,558	-	-
2024-03-31	£22,938	£28,850	-	-
2023-03-31	£21,806	£21,412	-	-
2022-03-31	£17,910	£15,145	-	-
2021-03-31	£26,893	£17,009	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
JONATHAN RONALD TRINDER	Chair	2018-06-01
Abigail Grace Armond		2023-04-25
Ailie Elizabeth Smallwood		2023-04-25
Alan Witchalls		2018-06-16
Maxwell Benjamin Fenn		2021-02-17

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Trustees Annual Report

Year ending 31st March 2025

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Trustees	Jonathan Trinder (Chair) Alan Witchalls Maxwell Fenn Abigail Christie Ailie Smallwood
Independent examiner	Alan Gray ¹

Objectives and activities

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- To benefit the public by the advancement of the Christian faith throughout the United Kingdom and, in particular, but without limitation, by the production and distribution of Bible teaching videos.

The mission of Video Bible Talks is to provide high-quality video-based Bible teaching for church groups and ministries that is freely available to view and download online, allowing volunteer leaders to focus on pastoral care and personal discipleship. The vision is to see churches grow and thrive as more groups and ministries benefit from high-quality and accessible Bible preaching and teaching.

We confirm that the charity trustees have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Charity Commission in exercising their powers or duties.

¹ As the charity's income is under the £25,000 threshold requiring independent examination, a formal independent examiner is not required by the UK Charities Commission. However, the trustees have nonetheless agreed to continue submitting our accounts to Alan Gray as an informal independent examiner, in order to ensure the charity is beyond reproach in financial matters.

Achievements and performance

Activities this year

Video production

Production of the eighth Video Bible Talks series from Genesis 12-36 (entitled *Promises and Blessings*, exploring the narratives of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob) was completed in June 2024 and was released in July 2024.

Pre-production of the ninth series, *True Freedom*, from the book of Galatians, began in September 2024 and is currently in pre-production. Principal filming was due to begin in May to July 2025, with post-production between July and September 2025. The estimated release date for this series was October 2025 (see 'Future development' below).

Charity performance

By God's grace, many people around the world continue to be served and supported in teaching the good news of Jesus Christ. After a slight decline in online views and downloads observed in the previous year, the number of views and downloads has increased slightly this year.

For the 2024-2025 period, there had been...

- > 4,953 views online
- > 1,428 video downloads
- > 262 churches/ministries worldwide using our ministry
- > This represents approximately 4,716 people served by Bible teaching from Video Bible Talks for this period.

To date, there have been eight series of Video Bible Talks produced, consisting of 44 videos in total.

Future development

Video production

Writing for the ninth Video Bible Talks series, entitled *True Freedom* (a seven-video series from Galatians) began in September 2024, with a view for principal filming to begin mid-2025.

Work has also begun on preparing and writing a new series of eight videos from Revelation 1-3. To date, three out of the eight videos have been scripted.

However, Alan Witchalls has been approached to undertake considerable contract work for *A Passion For Life* over the coming Summer of 2025. Due to current funding limitations, Alan currently balances work for the charity with contract work, which enables him to provide for and support his family.

The trustees have agreed to Alan undertaking this work, as this would allow the charity to strengthen its financial position over the 4-5 months of the A Passion For Life project. As a result, all production that had been scheduled for this coming year has been postponed until 2026.

Financial review

Income from regular donations has remained relatively constant in the 2024-2025 period. While no Gift Aid was reclaimed in this period (Gift Aid for 2024-2025 will be reclaimed in the next financial period), All Saints Church Eastbourne have adopted Video Bible Talks as ministry partners, and St

Peter's Church Harold Wood is likewise considering adopting the charity in a ministry partnership. This has provided the charity with an additional £3,400 in ministry partnership gifts.

The expenses during the 2024-2025 period are lower than the previous year, which were higher due to the cost of redeveloping the website.

The trustees remain very thankful to God and to both our regular supporters, our new ministry partners, and those users who give single one-off donations.

A summary of the accounts for the period ending 31st March 2024 is included below.

Reserves Policy

The reserves as of 31 March 2024 are represented by the bank balance. It is the intention of the Trustees to hold a level of reserves once the finances of the charity allow for this.

Structure, governance, and management

The charity is governed by a constitution and was formed as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation on 21 December 2018.

The charity is organised and managed by the trustees named above, with Alan Witchalls managing the activities of the charity as Video Director and Producer on a self-employed contract basis, and the other trustees appointed according to their skills and expertise, as it may benefit the charity. All Trustees are required to subscribe to and adhere to, in belief and lifestyle, the Statement of Faith adopted by the Charity.

Accounts summary

For the period from 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025

	2024-2025	2023-2024
Opening balance	£12,525	£18,437
Income		
Regular supporters	£15,141	£14,821
Single donations	£4,216	£1,936
Gift Aid	-	£6,157
Partnership Churches	£3,400	
Grants	-	-
Other income	£44	£24
	£22,801	£22,938
Expenditure		
Contract staff	£18,000	£19,650
Running costs	£2,523	£1,594
Production costs	£532	£3,456
Equipment costs	£503	£1,270
Other expenses	-	£2,880
	£21,558	£28,850
Closing balance	£13,768	£12,525

Closing remarks

The trustees of Video Bible Talks are extremely thankful to God for his provision in this ministry, and for our supporters and users for contributing to and making use of the content we provide.

Approved: Jonathan Trinder (on behalf of trustees)

Date: 03/04/2025





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Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

4/1/2024

To

3/31/2025

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Regular donations	15,141	-	-	15,141	14,821
Single donations	4,216	-	-	4,216	1,936
Gift-aid reclaimed	-	-	-	-	6,157
Grants	-	-	-	-	-
Partnerships	3,400	-	-	3,400	-
Other income	44	-	-	44	24
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	22,801	-	-	22,801	22,938
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	22,801	-	-	22,801	22,938
A3 Payments					
Contract staff	18,000	-	-	18,000	19,650
Running costs	2,523	-	-	2,523	1,594
Production costs	532	-	-	532	3,456
Equipment costs and upgrades	503	-	-	503	1,270
Other expenses	-	-	-	-	2,880
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	21,558	-	-	21,558	28,850
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	21,558	-	-	21,558	28,850
Net of receipts/(payments)	1,243	-	-	1,243	5,912
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	12,525	-	-	12,525	18,437
Cash funds this year end	13,768	-	-	13,768	12,525

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	NatWest bank account	13,768	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	13,768	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Details			
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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)
	Production equipment	Unrestricted	6,800	6,700
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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	
		Jonathan Trinder	4/3/2025	
		Alan Witchalls	4/3/2025	
		Maxwell Fenn	4/3/2025	

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Achievements and performance

Activities this year

Video production

Production of the seventh Video Bible Talks series from Obadiah (entitled *What goes around...*) was completed in May 2023 and the three-video series was released in June 2023.

Principal filming for the eighth Video Bible Talks series from Genesis 12-36 (entitled *Promises and Blessings*, exploring the narratives of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob) began in September 2023 and was

completed by December 2023, with a reshoot of one location needed to be carried out in March 2024. Post-production for the series began in February 2024 and is due to be completed by May 2024.

Charity development

In 2022, the charity was awarded a development grant of £5,000 from Le Cornu Charitable Trust (registered charity 1088294) to update and improve the website, and to provide funds for hiring video production assistants.

The website update was completed in June 2023 at a total cost of £2,880. The remaining funds from the Le Cornu grant were used to cover contract staff costs in the production of the Genesis 12-36 series.

Charity performance

By God's grace, the number of people served, and the number of groups supported in teaching the good news of Jesus Christ has remained generally steady throughout 2023, although there was a slight decline in online views and downloads. This appears to be a factor of people accessing less online content personally following the end of the Covid-19 pandemic.

By the end of the 2023-2024 period, there had been...

- > 4,953 views online
- > 1,777 video downloads
- > 237 churches/ministries worldwide using our ministry

To date, there have been eight series of Video Bible Talks produced, consisting of 43 videos in total.

Future development

Video production

In initial study and preparation for a new series of seven videos from Revelation 1-3 began in January 2024 but has been rescheduled for writing to begin in mid-2025.

Instead, writing for a ninth Video Bible Talks series *True Freedom* (a seven-video series from Galatians) is scheduled to begin autumn 2024, with a view for principal filming to begin mid-2025.

Financial review

Regular donations have slightly decreased in 2023-2024, but overall income for the charity has remained relatively constant.

The expenses during the 2023-2024 period represent the production of new video series, the cost of completing the redevelopment of the website, and the ongoing running costs of the charity.

The trustees remain very thankful to God and to both our regular supporters and the users who give single one-off donations.

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Accounts summary

For the period from 1 April 2023 to 31 March 2024

	2023-2024	2021-2022
Opening balance	£18,437	£18,043
Income		
Regular supporters	£14,821	£16,281
Single donations	£1,936	£493
Gift Aid	£6,157	-
Grants	-	£5,000
Other income	£24	£32
	£22,938	£21,806
Expenditure		
Contract staff	£19,650	£18,360
Running costs	£1,594	£1,475
Production costs	£3,456	£1,525
Equipment costs	£1,270	-
Other expenses	£2,880	£52
	£28,850	£21,412
Closing balance	£12,525	£18,437

Closing remarks

The trustees of Video Bible Talks are extremely thankful to God for his provision in this ministry, and for our supporters and users for contributing to and making use of the content we provide.

Approved: Jonathan Trinder (on behalf of trustees)

Date: 25/04/2024





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Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

4/1/2023

To

3/31/2024

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Regular donations	14,821	-	-	14,821	16,281
Single donations	1,936	-	-	1,936	493
Gift-aid reclaimed	6,157	-	-	6,157	-
Grants	-	-	-	-	5,000
Other income	24	-	-	24	32
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	22,938	-	-	22,938	21,806
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	22,938	-	-	22,938	21,806
A3 Payments					
Contract staff	19,650	-	-	19,650	18,360
Running costs	1,594	-	-	1,594	1,475
Production costs	3,456	-	-	3,456	1,525
Equipment costs and upgrades	1,270	-	-	1,270	-
Other expenses	2,880	-	-	2,880	52
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	28,850	-	-	28,850	21,412
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	28,850	-	-	28,850	21,412
Net of receipts/(payments)	5,912	-	-	5,912	394
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	18,437	-	-	18,437	18,043
Cash funds this year end	12,525	-	-	12,525	18,437

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	NatWest bank account	12,525	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	12,525	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Production equipment	Unrestricted	6,700	2,500
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Jonathan Trinder	12/14/2023
	Alan Witchalls	12/14/2023
	Maxwell Fenn	12/14/2023

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Achievements and performance

Activities this year

Video production

Writing for two new series of videos began in 2022. The first series was intended to be a six-video series from Genesis 12-36 (entitled *Promises and Blessings*, exploring the narratives of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob). Principal filming for this series had to be delayed due to an issue with the planned presenter for that series no longer meeting the standard criteria for Video Bible Talks presenters (as agreed by the trustees to ensure presenters have a reputable character and are in good standing with their church community). Production for this series was rescheduled to begin in the second half of 2023.

Production of the second series of three-videos from Obadiah (entitled *What goes around...*) was moved forward and began mid-2022. Pre-production started in June 2022, principal filming began in October 2022 and post-production began in March 2023. The series is due to be completed and released in June 2023.

We are thankful that the 2022-2023 period has seen a return to production of Video Bible Talks videos after the challenges of the past few years.

Charity development

The charity was awarded a development grant of £5,000 from Le Cornu Charitable Trust (registered charity 1088294) to update and improve the website, and to provide funds for hiring video production assistants.

Using the grant from Le Cornu Charitable Trust, the Video Bible Talks website is in the process of being updated and improved, as follows:

- › An improved user experience when downloading videos.
- › Clearer and more prominent call-to-give points in the user experience.
- › Improved analytical information to better profile and understand our user base.

The website is due to be completed May 2023, ahead of the release of the new series from the book of Obadiah.

Charity performance

By God's grace, the number of people reached and the number of groups supported in teaching the good news of Jesus Christ has remained generally steady throughout 2023.

By the end of the 2022-2023 period, there had been...

- › 6,326 views online
- › 3,471 video downloads
- › 207 churches/ministries worldwide using our ministry

To date, there have been eight series of Video Bible Talks produced, consisting of 41 videos in total.

Future development

Video production

Principal filming for *Promises and Blessings* (Genesis 12-36) is scheduled to begin autumn 2023, with a view for post-production and release to take place early 2024.

Writing for an eight-video series from Revelation 1-3 will begin mid-2023, with principal filming pencilled to begin in 2024.

Charity development

The trustees are considering ways to broaden the scope of our work. This includes producing videos that might be helpful to a broader catchment of users, producing videos in partnership with other charities, and producing videos that better utilise popular video platforms (such as YouTube).

The trustees are also considering ways to broaden and increase the donor base and funding sources for the charity. This includes exploring monetisation opportunities (on platforms such as YouTube¹),

¹ Maintaining zero-cost for videos that explicitly preach and teach the message of the Bible.

seeking grants from grant-making trusts, and establishing/utilising crowdfunding to drive some areas of future content.

Financial review

Regular donations have remained constant throughout 2022-2023.

The expenses during the 2022-2023 period represent the pre-production and planning work on the postponed *Promises and Blessings* series (Genesis 12-36), the production of the *What goes around...* series (Obadiah), and the ongoing running costs of the charity.

The trustees remain very thankful to God and to both our regular supporters and the users who give single one-off donations.

Looking ahead, Video Bible Talks is expected to continue being primarily funded by individual supporters of this ministry, with occasional one-off donations from individuals and churches who have benefited from our videos. However, with the release of the *What goes around...* series (Obadiah) and the release of series in currently in production, we are confident that this will see an increase in users, and we trust a subsequent increase in financial support.

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Accounts summary

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	2022-2023	2021-2022
Opening balance	£18,043	£15,278
Income		
Regular supporters	£16,281	£16,647
Single donations	£493	£1,218
Gift Aid	-	-
Grants	£5,000	-
Other income	£32	£45
	£21,806	£17,910
Expenditure		
Contract staff	£18,360	£12,360
Running costs	£1,475	£1,458
Production costs	£1,525	-
Equipment costs	-	£1,327
Other expenses	£52	-
	£21,412	£15,145
Closing balance	£18,437	£18,043

Closing remarks

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Approved: Jonathan Trinder (on behalf of trustees)

Date: 25/04/2023





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Regular donations	16,281	-	-	16,281	16,647
Single donations	493	-	-	493	668
Gift-aid reclaimed	-	-	-	-	-
Grants	5,000	-	-	5,000	595
Other income	32	-	-	32	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	21,806	-	-	21,806	17,910
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
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Total receipts	21,806	-	-	21,806	17,910
A3 Payments					
Contract staff	18,360	-	-	18,360	12,360
Running costs	1,475	-	-	1,475	1,458
Production costs	1,525	-	-	1,525	-
Equipment costs and upgrades	-	-	-	-	1,327
Other expenses	52	-	-	52	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	21,412	-	-	21,412	15,145
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	21,412	-	-	21,412	15,145
Net of receipts/(payments)	394	-	-	394	2,765
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	18,043	-	-	18,043	15,278
Cash funds this year end	18,437	-	-	18,437	18,043

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	NatWest bank account	18,437	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	18,437	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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)
	Production equipment	Unrestricted	6,700	2,500
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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	
		Jonathan Trinder	12/14/2023	
		Alan Witchalls	12/14/2023	
		Maxwell Fenn	12/14/2023	

VIDEO BIBLE TALKS

England & Wales - Charity number 1181337

Accounts

VIDEOBIBLETALKS

Trustees Annual Report

Year ending 31st March 2022

Charity name	Video Bible Talks
Charity registration number	1181337
Registered address	8 Appleby Green Romford RM3 7SL
Trustees	Jonathan Trinder (Chair) Alan Witchalls Dave Cornes (resigned 14 May 2021) Maxwell Fenn
Independent examiner	Alan Gray

Objectives and activities

Video Bible Talks has the following objects contained in the charity's constitution:

- › to benefit to public by the advancement of the Christian faith throughout the United Kingdom and in particular, but without limitation, by the production and distribution of Bible teaching videos.

The mission of Video Bible Talks is to provide high quality video-based Bible teaching for church groups and ministries that is freely available to view and download online, allowing volunteer leaders to focus on pastoral care and personal discipleship. The vision is to see churches grow and thrive as more groups and ministries benefiting from high quality and accessible Bible preaching and teaching.

We confirm that the charity trustees have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Charity Commission in exercising their powers or duties.

Achievements and performance

Activities this year

The 2021-2022 was a challenging and demanding period for many charities and organisations. For Video Bible Talks, the Coronavirus pandemic caused disruptions and delays to production work on a new series of videos due for production mid-2021. Further disruption occurred when a conflict of interest arose with Dave Cornes, one of our trustees who was due to be a presenter on the next series of videos. Dave had signed a contract to do a series of videos from the same book of the Bible with another production company. As soon as this came to light, Dave stepped down from Video Bible Talks to pursue filming with the other company and Video Bible Talks began work drafting a different series.

The trustees are grateful to Dave for his contributions to Video Bible Talks in the past and wish him every blessing in the future.

Video views and download

By God' grace, the number of people reached and the number of groups supported in teaching the good news of Jesus Christ have continued to increase throughout 2021.

By the end of the 2021-2022 period, there had been...

- > 9,118 views online
- > 2,328 video downloads by...
 - 301 unique users (247 new, 54 returning)
 - 291 churches/ministries in 19 countries worldwide

The video downloads represent approximately 5,500 people served by Video Bible Talks in the various ministries and groups that have used them¹.

To date, there have been six series of Video Bible Talks produced, consisting of 35 videos in total.

Future development

With the easing of the Coronavirus pandemic and COVID-19 restrictions, we are planning a series of videos in 2022 from the book of Obadiah as well as a series on Abraham, Isaac and Jacob from the book of Genesis.

Financial review

Regular donations have remained constant throughout 2021-2022. The expenses during this period represent the work on the cancelled series, as well as replacing or upgrading equipment.

The trustees remain very thankful to God and to both our regular supporters and the users who give single one-off donations.

Looking ahead, Video Bible Talks is expected to continue being primarily funded by individual supporters of this ministry, with occasional one-off donations from individuals and churches who have benefited from our videos. Gift Aid for the 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 is due to be reclaimed in the following accounting period as well, to further bolster finances ahead of production on two new series of videos.

A summary of the accounts for the period ending 31st March 2022 is included below.

Reserves Policy

The reserves as of 31 March 2022 are represented by the bank balance. It is the intention of the Trustees to hold a level of reserves once the finances of the charity allow for this.

Structure, governance and management

The charity is governed by a constitution and was formed as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation on 21 December 2018.

¹ Calculated from user group sizes sampled during 2020-2021.

The charity is organised and managed by the trustees named above, with Alan Witchalls managing the activities of the charity as video Director and Producer on a self-employed contract basis, and the other trustees appointed according to their skills and expertise as it may benefit the charity. All Trustees are required to subscribe and adhere to, in belief and lifestyle, the Statement of Faith adopted by the Charity.

Accounts summary

For the period from 1 April 2021 to 31 March 2022

	2021-2022	2020-2021
Opening balance	£15,278	£5,394
Income		
Regular supporters	£16,647	£18,432
Single donations	£1,218	£7,675
Other income	£45	£786
	£17,910	£26,893
Expenditure		
Contract staff	£12,360	£13,560
Running costs	£1,458	£938
Production costs	£0	£899
Equipment costs	£1,327	£1,612
	£15,145	£17,009
Closing balance	£18,043	£15,278

Closing remarks

The trustees of Video Bible Talks are extremely thankful to God for his provision in this ministry, and for our supporters and users for contributing to and making use of the content we provide.

Approved: Jonathan Trinder (on behalf of trustees)

Date: 17/11/2022





CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Video Bible Talks

1181337

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	01/04/2021	To	31/03/2022
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Regular donations	16,647	-	-	16,647	18,432
Single donations	668	-	-	1,218	7,675
Gift-aid reclaimed	-	-	-	-	-
Other income	595	-	-	45	786
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	17,910	-	-	17,910	26,893
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	17,910	-	-	17,910	26,893
A3 Payments					
Contract staff	12,360	-	-	12,360	13,560
Running costs	1,458	-	-	1,458	938
Production costs	-	-	-	-	899
Equipment costs and upgrades	1,327	-	-	1,327	1,612
Other expenses	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	15,145	-	-	15,145	17,009
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	15,145	-	-	15,145	17,009
Net of receipts/(payments)	2,765	-	-	2,765	9,884
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	15,278	-	-	15,278	5,394
Cash funds this year end	18,043	-	-	18,043	15,278

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	NatWest bannk account	18,043	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	18,043	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Production equipment	Unrestricted	6,700	3,300
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Jonathan Trinder	17/11/2022
	Alan Witchalls	17/11/2022
	Maxwell Fenn	17/11/2022



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Video Bible Talks

On accounts for the
period ended

31st March 2022

Charity no
(if any)

1181337

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 31 March 2022.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust, 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 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 which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn 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:

Date: 15 December 2022

Name:

Alan Gray

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

Fellow of Institute of Chartered Accounts in England and Wales (FCA)

Address:

73 Shepherds Hill

Harold Wood

RM3 0NP

VIDEO BIBLE TALKS

England & Wales - Charity number 1181337

Accounts

VIDEOBIBLETALKS

Trustees Annual Report

Year ending 31st March 2021

Video Bible Talks

Charity #1181337

8 Appleby Green
Romford
RM3 7SL

Trustees:

Jonathan Trinder (Chair)
Maxwell Fenn
Alan Witchalls

Organisation overview

Video Bible Talks was formed out of a recognition that video-based Bible preaching and teaching, particularly that is accessible and relevant for teenagers and young people, would be of great help and support to local churches, especially churches who were not in a position to employ more than one full-time vocational pastor or minister. Video Bible Talks was established as a UK charity on 21 December 2018. The charity is governed by a Constitution and has been formed as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation. The Charity has selected the initial Trustees based upon their skills and expertise and all Trustees are required to subscribe and adhere to, in belief and lifestyle, the Statement of Faith adopted by the Charity.

The mission of Video Bible Talks is to provide high quality video-based Bible teaching for church groups and ministries that is freely available to view and download online, allowing volunteer leaders to focus on pastoral care and personal discipleship. The vision is to see churches grow and thrive as more groups and ministries benefiting from high quality and accessible Bible preaching and teaching.

The charity is organised and managed by the trustees named above, with Alan Witchalls managing the activities of the charity as video Director and Producer on a self-employed contract basis.

Summary of activities

Due to the Coronavirus pandemic, initial hopes of producing two new series of videos had to be adjusted to take into account lockdown restrictions which impacted filming possibilities. However, the easing of lockdown restrictions over the summer of 2020 enabled production of a 6th series of videos. This brings the total number of videos available up to 35 videos over 6 complete series.

The number of people watching the videos and the number of groups downloading and using them have continued to increase throughout 2020. By the end of 2020, there had been 10,180 views online¹ (a 234% increase from views in 2019) and 3077 video downloads (a 140% increase from downloads in 2019). The height of this increase was in the first week of the first national lockdown, where weekly downloads peaked at over 300 downloads compared to the average weekly figure of 30 downloads.

¹ YouTube and Vimeo only. This does not include views from other platforms, such as Clayton.TV.

Finance

Regular donations have remained constant throughout 2020-2021. This, in conjunction with a larger single gift, a small grant from a Christian charity promoting Christian media, and lower staff costs (due to pandemic restrictions) have allowed Video Bible Talks to increase its financial reserves. The trustees are very thankful to God and to our both our regular supporters and users of videos give single one-off donations.

Looking ahead, Video Bible Talks is expected to continue being primarily funded by individual supporters of this ministry, with occasional one-off donations from individuals and churches who have benefited from our videos.

A summary of the accounts for the period ending 31st March 2021 is included below.

Reserves Policy

The reserves at 31 March 2021 are represented by the bank balance. It is the intention of the Trustees to hold a level of reserves once the finances of the charity allow for this.

Future development

The ongoing situation with the Coronavirus pandemic and COVID-19 continues to hinder planning for future video series and preventing production from taking place. This is in part due to the social distancing and lockdown restrictions, but also due to availability and scheduling changes with potential presenters.

Public Benefit Statement

We confirm that the charity trustees have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Charity Commission in exercising their powers or duties.

Accounts summary

For the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021

Opening balance			
01/04/2020	£5,394		
Income		Expenditure	
Regular supporters	£18,432	Contract staff	£13,560
Single donations	£7,675	Running costs	£938
Other income	£786	Production costs	£899
		Equipment costs	£1,612
Total income		Total expenditure	£17,009
		Closing balance	
		31/03/2021	£15,278

Closing remarks

The trustees of Video Bible Talks are extremely thankful to God for his provision in this ministry, and for our supporters and users for contributing to and making use of the content we provide.

Approved: Alan Witchalls

Date: 26/01/2022





Receipts and payments accounts

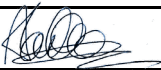
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For the period from	01/04/2020	To	31/03/2021
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Regular donations	18,432	-	-	18,432	20,930
Single donations	7,675	-	-	7,675	23,811
Gift-aid reclaimed	-	-	-	-	1,991
Other income	786	-	-	786	13
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	26,893	-	-	26,893	46,745
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	26,893	-	-	26,893	46,745
A3 Payments					
Contract staff	13,560	-	-	13,560	36,600
Running costs	938	-	-	938	745
Production costs	899	-	-	899	978
Equipment costs and upgrades	1,612	-	-	1,612	4,231
Other expenses	-	-	-	-	1,230
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	17,009	-	-	17,009	43,784
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	17,009	-	-	17,009	43,784
Net of receipts/(payments)	9,884	-	-	9,884	2,961
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	5,394	-	-	5,394	2,433
Cash funds this year end	15,278	-	-	15,278	5,394

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B1 Cash funds	NatWest bannk account	15,278	-	-
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B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
	Production equipment	Unrestricted	5,410	3,000
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities		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	
		Alan Witchalls	26/01/2022	
		Jonathan Trinder	26/01/2022	
		Maxwell Fenn	26/01/2022	



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Video Bible Talks

**On accounts for the
period ended**

31st March 2021

**Charity no
(if any)**

1181337

Set out on pages

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

Signed:

Date: 11 February 2022

Name:

Alan Gray

**Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):**

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Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight 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.