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REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: 11256448
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1181416

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REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR (UNAUDITED)

YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2024

*J & T LEXINGTON SERVICES LIMITED
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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

11256448

Registered Charity number

1181416

Registered office

St Matthew's Church,
Dyson Road,
Stratford, London
E15 4JX.

Trustees

Timothy Karanja Wanjohi
Anne Achola
Dr Paul Onginjo
Gladys Ngunjiri
Ruth Muiruri
Purity Mwangi
Peter Muturi Kimani
Stephen Muchemi Njoroge
Ayub Wairia

Treasurer

Stephen Njoroge Muchemi

Secretary

Ruth Muiruri

Accountants

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8 Holme Close
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Trustees' Report

The Trustees have pleasure in submitting their report, and accounts for the year ended 31st March 2023. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 9, and comply with the statement of recommended practice.

Constitution, objective of the charity, principal activity.

The charity is governed under a memorandum and articles of association dated 15th March 2018 with company registration number 11256448 and UK registered charity no. 1181416.

The objectives of the charity:

To advance the Christian faith in accordance with the statement of beliefs, in the United Kingdom and Other parts of the world in such ways as the trustees from time to time may think fit, and to fulfil such other purposes which are exclusively charitable according to the laws of England and Wales and are connected with the charitable work of the charity.

The ministry is involved in Christian outreach programmes designed to increase Christian awareness and spread the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Review of the financial position

The charity made a surplus for the year amounting to £47,897. (2023 surplus £40,952)

Approval

The report was approved by the board of trustees on 2024 and signed on their behalf by:

Ruth Muiruri

Trustee

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Independent Examiner's Report
To the Trustees

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I report on the accounts of the church for the year ended 31st March 2024 set out on pages six to eleven

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The trustees of the charity are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustee consider that an audit is not required for this year (under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act), and that an independent examination is required.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- 1) Examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act.
- 2) Follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act) and
- 3) To state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statements below.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006;
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of section 394 and 395 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice and Reporting by Charities have not been met; or
2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Joseph Kinuthia CPA, DMS, MBA
J & T Lexington Services Ltd
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Statement of financial activities for the year ended 31st March 2024 Incorporating the Income and Expenditure Account

	Note	2024 £	2023 £
Incoming Resources			
Incoming resources from generated funds			
Tithes & offerings		251,030	203,167
Other income		10,584	18,636
Gift aid		56,005	43,424
Interest received		2,212	372
Total Incoming Resources	2	319,831	265,599
Resources expended			
<u>Charitable activities</u>			
Rent		35,358	27,528
Subsistence		23,305	27,589
Travel		45,956	2,905
Misc expenses		5,470	-
Gifts and Donations		4,425	11,629
Insurance		306	306
Professional fees		9,091	6,018
Repairs & Maintenance		4,578	
Salaries & Wages		23,342	20,000
Events, Conferences & Refreshment		69,688	96,596
Evangelism & Guest ministers		41,517	27,415
Depreciation of fixed assets		7,998	3,761
Total resources expended		271,034	223,747
Governance costs	3	900	900
		271,934	224,647
Net incoming/ (outgoing) resources		47,897	40,952
Balance carried forward at 31st March 2024		47,897	40,952

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Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2024

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2024</u> £	<u>2023</u> £
Fixed assets			
Tangible fixed assets	4	146,886	131,942
Current assets			
Debtors	5	56,005	43,424
Cash at bank and in hand		122,374	102,002
		<u>178,379</u>	<u>145,426</u>
Creditors - amounts falling due within one year	6	(900)	(900)
Net current assets/(liabilities)		<u>177,479</u>	<u>144,526</u>
Net assets		<u>324,365</u>	<u>276,468</u>
Represented by:			
Funds of the charity			
Reserves		276,468	235,516
Net incoming resources		<u>47,897</u>	<u>40,952</u>
Total funds		<u>324,365</u>	<u>276,468</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on2024 and signed on their behalf by:

Ruth Muiruri **Trustee**

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2024

1. Accounting policies

a) Accounting basis

These accounts have been prepared on the receipts and payments basis under section 42(3) of the Charities Act 1993 and the Statement of Recommended Practice on Accounting by Charities published in March 2008. The adoption of the revised SORP has resulted in reclassification of some items.

b) Incoming resources

i) Voluntary income

Voluntary income is received by way of Tithes offerings, donations and gifts and is included in full in the Statement of Financial Activities when receivable.

c) Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis.

d) Fixed assets and depreciation

Fixed assets are included at cost. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset over its expected useful life using reducing balance method.

Church equipment and Instruments 12%.
Building 1%

e) Restricted and unrestricted funds

Income received for restricted purposes is included in a separate restricted fund against which appropriate expenditure is allocated. Restricted funds are those funds which represent grants and donations for a specific purpose. Upon full performance of the purpose of the grant, any surplus is then retrievable by the donor. Income generated for the objects of the charity without further specified purpose is allocated to unrestricted funds. Accumulated surpluses may be retained by the church and are expendable at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the church's objects. There were no restricted funds during the year.

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2024

1. Accounting policies (continued)

f) Designated funds

Designated funds are allocated out of unrestricted funds by the trustees for specific purposes. The use of such funds is at the trustees' discretion. There were no designated funds during the year.

g) Irrecoverable VAT

The church is unable to recover VAT since it does not make taxable supplies. The cost of irrecoverable VAT is not separately analysed in the financial statements.

h) Cash Flow

The church has taken advantage of the exemptions in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small church.

2. Incoming resources from generated funds

	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total funds 2024
	£	£	£
Tithes and offerings	251,030	-	251,030
Gift aid – received	56,005	-	56,005
	<u>307,035</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>307,035</u>

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2024

3. Governance costs

	2024	2023
	£	£
Accountancy fees	900	900
	<u>900</u>	<u>900</u>

4. Tangible fixed assets

	Building	Motor Vehicle	Church Instruments & Equipments	Total
	£	£	£	£
Cost				
At 1 st April 2023	115,000	-	23,998	138,998
Additions	-	13,923	9,019	22,942
At 31 st March 2024	<u>115,000</u>	<u>13,923</u>	<u>33,017</u>	<u>161,940</u>
Depreciation				
At 1 st April 2023	2,289	-	4,767	7,056
Charge for the year	1,127	3,481	3,390	7,998
At 31 st March 2024	<u>3,416</u>	<u>3,481</u>	<u>8,157</u>	<u>15,054</u>
Net book value 2024	<u>111,584</u>	<u>10,442</u>	<u>24,860</u>	<u>146,886</u>
Net book value 2023	<u>112,711</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>19,231</u>	<u>131,942</u>

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2024

5. Debtors

	<u>2024</u> £	<u>2023</u> £
HMRC	56,005	43,424
	<u>56,005</u>	<u>43,424</u>

6. Creditors – amounts falling due within one year

	<u>2024</u> £	<u>2023</u> £
Other creditors and accruals	900	900
Accountancy fees	<u>900</u>	<u>900</u>

7. Financial commitments

Capital Commitments

The church had no capital commitments as at 31st March 2024.

Operating lease commitments

The church had no operating lease commitment as at 31st March 2024.