

Charity Number: 1182030
Company Number: 11748407

RCCG Fountain of Grace Worship Centre Telford

TRUSTEES REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 2024

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**REFERENCES AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS OF THE CHARITY, ITS TRUSTEES AND ADVISERS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2024**

Trustees	Ebenezer Ampaw Isaac Owosu Oladayo Adeleye
Minister In Charge	Pastor Allen Ohimain
Charity registration no	1182030
Company no	11748407
Principal office	26 Ophelia Gardens Wolverhampton WV10 9LW
Independent Examiner	Tunji Ogedengbe 36 Daffodil Close Hatfield AL10 9FF
Bankers	NatWest Bank plc Queen Square Wolverhampton London WV1 1TR

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TRUSTEES' REPORTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2024

The Trustees present their annual report together with the financial statements of RCCG Fountain of Grace Worship Centre Telford (the charity) for the ended 31 January 2024. The Trustees confirm that the annual report and financial statements of the charity comply with the current statutory requirements, the requirements of the charity's governing document and the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" issued in March 2005.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

a. GOVERNING DOCUMENT

The church is constituted under MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES INCORPORATED 03 JAN 2019

b. METHOD OF APPOINTMENT OR ELECTION OF TRUSTEES

The management of the charity is the responsibility of the Trustees who are elected and co-opted under the terms of the Trust deed.

c. POLICIES ADOPTED FOR THE INDUCTION AND TRAINING OF TRUSTEES

The induction process for any newly appointed member of the Trustees comprises an initial meeting with the Chair and other Trustees, followed by a series of short meetings with the Minister in Charge on the powers and responsibilities of the Trustees.

The Board of Trustees are voted for by simple majority and consists of not less than 3 members and not more than 7 members.

d. ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE AND DECISION MAKING

The church is organised so that the trustees meet regularly to manage its affairs. The day to day administration of the church is managed by a volunteer.

e. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Trustees have assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed, in particular those related to the operations and finances of the charity, and are satisfied that systems and procedures are in place to mitigate our exposure to the major risks.

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TRUSTEES' REPORTS (continued) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2024

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

a. POLICIES AND OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the church are:

- To promote and advance the gospel of Jesus Christ by preaching and teaching in church and preparing members for Christian services to the community.
- To reach out to the people in the community - by providing bibles, tracts, videos and audio recordings in English and foreign languages. The church reaches out to refugees and homeless, alcoholic, drug addicts, elderly lonely and visiting the sick - ministering to their spiritual need and providing food and clothing with the love of God.

Each year our trustees review our objectives and activities to ensure they continue to reflect our aims.

In carrying out this review the trustees have considered the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit and in particular its supplementary public guidance on the advancement of religion for the public benefit.

b. STRATEGIES FOR ACHIEVING OBJECTIVES

The church has adopted the following strategies for achieving the above objectives:

- organisation of seminars and events to address issues of relevance to the relief of poverty and provision of care and support for the needy as appropriate;
- planting of churches;
- support for other charities and events with similar objectives.
- The church runs hospital visitation and ministering to different kinds of people in England,
- The church was successful in the distribution of different materials to different ethnic groups i.e. bibles, videos, tracts etc

c. ACTIVITIES FOR ACHIEVING OBJECTIVES

The main activities of the church are as follows:

- Sunday service
- Sunday school for all ages of children
- Weekly Bible studies
- Outreach and visitations

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TRUSTEES' REPORTS (continued) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2024

FINANCIAL REVIEW

a. RESERVES POLICY

The statement of the financial activities shows net unused resources for the year of £49,218 of which £40,000 is saved as reserves.

The Trustees have established a policy whereby the unrestricted funds not committed or invested in tangible fixed assets ('the free reserves') held by the church should be 3 months of annual expenditure. At this level, the trustees feel that they would be able to continue the current activities of the church in the event of a significant drop in funding.

b. PRINCIPAL FUNDING

This is provided mainly through voluntary tithes and offerings by the church members.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

a. FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

We are hoping to acquire a building of our own and we are also praying that God will help us establish another parish with its own place of worship.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England & Wales requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

This report was approved by the Trustees on 29th February 2024 and signed on their behalf, by:

Ebenezer Ampaw

Name of Approving Trustee

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2024

I report on the financial statements of RCCG FOG Telford for the year ended 31 January 2024 which comprise the statement of financial activities, the balance sheet, and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out therein.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and independent examiner

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts, you consider that the audit requirement of section 43(2) of the Charities Act 1993 (the Act), as amended by s.28 of the Charities Act 2006 does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine accounts under section 43 of the Act, as amended, to follow procedures specified in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners under section 43(7)(b) of the Act, as amended, whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charities Commissioners. 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 I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

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

- (i) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting requirements of the Act have not been met; or
- (ii) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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Tunji Ogedengbe 29th February 2024
36 Daffodil Close
Hatfield
AL10 9FF

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
(incorporating income and expenditure)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds 2024 £	Restricted Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2023 £
INCOMING RESOURCES					
Incoming resources from generated funds:					
Voluntary income	2	114,587	-	114,587	113,109
Investment income	3	-	-	-	-
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES		114,587	-	114,587	113,109
RESOURCES EXPENDED					
Charitable activities	10	33,793		33,793	8,194
Support Cost	11	31,516		31,516	31,066
Governance costs	12	460		460	900
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED		65,770	-	65,770	40,160
MOVEMENT IN TOTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR					
- NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE) FOR THE YEAR					
		48,818	-	48,818	72,949
<i>Total fund at 1 February 2023</i>		199,592		199,592	126,643
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		248,410	-	248,410	199,592

The Notes on pages 11 to 14 formed part of these financial statements.

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**Balance Sheet
At 31 JANUARY 2024**

	Notes	2024 £	2024 £	2023 £
FIXED ASSETS				
Tangible assets	5	-		
CURRENT ASSETS				
Debtors	6			
Cash at bank		<u>249,210</u>		<u>199,992</u>
		249,210		199,992
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	7	<u>800</u>		<u>400</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS			<u>248,410</u>	<u>199,592</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			248,410	199,592
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	8	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>-</u>	<u>248,410</u>	<u>199,592</u>
FUNDS				
Unrestricted funds	9		248,410	199,592
Restricted funds	9			
TOTAL FUNDS			<u>248,410</u>	<u>199,592</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 29th February 2024 and signed on their behalf, by

Ebenezer Ampaw
Name of Approving Trustee

The notes on pages 11 to 14 form part of these financial statements.

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Notes to the Financial Statements
For the year ended 31 January 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), the Companies Act 2006 and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included on the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Motor vehicles	-25% on reducing balance
Fixtures and fittings	-12.5% straight line
Computer Equipment	-33.33% straight line

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees. Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes. Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

2. VOLUNTARY INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds 2024 £	Restricted Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2023 £
Donations	114,587	-	114,587	113,109
Tithes and Love offerings	114,587	-	114,587	113,109
	114,587	-	114,587	113,109

3. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds 2024 £	Restricted Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2023 £
Bank interest	-	-	-	-

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4. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 January 2024

Trustees' Expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid neither for the year ended 31 January 2024

6. DEBTORS

Other debtors

£	£

7. CREDITORS:

AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

HMRC - PAYE/NI owed
Independent Examiner's Fees
Net obligations under finance leases and hire purchases contracts
Accruals and deferred income

2024 £	2023 £
-	-
800	400
-	-
-	-
<u>800</u>	<u>400</u>

8. CREDITORS:

AMOUNTS FALLING DUE MORE THAN ONE YEAR

Net obligations under finance leases and hire purchases contracts

2024 £	2023 £
-	-
<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
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Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	114,587	65,770	48,818
Restricted			
TOTAL FUNDS	114,587	65,770	48,818

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Detailed Statement of Financial Activities for the year ended 31 January 2024

RESOURCES EXPENDED	Unrestricted 2024 £	Restricted 2024 £	2023 £
10. Charitable activities			
Outreach/Evangelism work	2,000		1,704
Welfare	7,460		1,396
Donation & Gift	2,298		354
Central Office	600		840
Region Contributon	3,050		
FOL	240		
WEM	18,095		3,900
Area & Province	50		-
	33,793	-	8,194
11. Support Costs			
Printing, Postage and Stationery	479		146
Travel & subsistence	1,642		2,683
Conferences	4,226		897
Rent	7,428		7,218
Hospitality	1,311		1,209
Training	510		1,476
Children's Dept	533		
Office Expenses	606		460
Office Equipment	477		2,755
Motor Expenses (Inc fuel)	2,881		3,080
Motor Vehicle (Inc repairs)	3,508		4,033
Insurance	682		675
Multi media	400		986
Choir/instruments	516		749
Other	-		-
Church equipment	747		-
Honorarium	5,570		4,700
	31,516	-	31,066
12. Governance			
Independent Examiners fees	400		400
Professional fees	60		500
	460	-	900
Total resources expended	65,770	-	40,160