

# BOURNE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

England & Wales - Charity number 1184067

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** CIO

**Registered** 2019-06-24

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

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## Activities

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**Objects:** THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH WITHIN BOURNE AND THE SURROUNDING AREAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS CONSTITUTION AND BASIS OF FAITH. THIS INCLUDES THE PROVISION OF A PLACE OF MEETING FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP OF GOD VIA PREACHING AND TEACHING OF THE BIBLE, COMMUNION, PRAYER, PRAISE, FELLOWSHIP, AND ALMSGIVING; INCLUDING EVANGELISTIC OUTREACH AND DISCIPLESHIP

**Activities:** The advancement of the Christian Faith within Bourne and the surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith. This includes the provision of a place of meeting for the public worship of God via preaching and teaching of the Bible, communion, prayer, praise, fellowship, and almsgiving; including evangelistic outreach and discipleship.

## Classification

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- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Religious Activities
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- Lincolnshire

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£11,427	£11,930	-	-
2024-03-31	£15,582	£11,906	-	-
2023-03-31	£11,398	£12,763	-	-
2022-03-31	£15,474	£14,367	-	-
2021-03-31	£22,614	£25,323	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Rev Jason John Edward Wright B.Th.	Chair	2023-01-17
Abbie May Campbell		2023-01-17
Jacob Colin Richard Wright CeMAP BA		2020-05-10

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# Accounts

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Bourne Evangelical Church  
Eastgate, Bourne, Lincolnshire, PE10 9LB

**Charity Name: BOURNE EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

**Charity Number: 1184067**

Trustees : Jason wright, Jacob Wright, Abbie Campbell

Over seen by the trustees, membership led and pastor employed.

Aims and objectives :

The advancement of the Christian Faith within Bourne and the surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith. This includes the provision of a place of meeting for the public worship of God via preaching and teaching of the Bible, communion, prayer, praise, fellowship, and almsgiving; including evangelistic outreach and discipleship.

This year, we have slowly declined in numbers, with the building we rent being up for sale and cold, we are struggling for people and are activities have been greatly reduced, due to this and time pressures of its members.



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## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	01/04/2024	To	31/03/2025
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### 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 £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	8,688	-	-	8,688	-
Building Fund		1,280		1,280	
Resource Room		460		460	
Restricted		1,000		1,000	
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>8,688</b>	<b>2,740</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,427</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>8,688</b>	<b>2,740</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,427</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Property Rental	3,600			3,600	-
General	1,590			1,590	-
Pastor Salary	5,300			5,300	-
Resource Room		440		440	-
Restricted		1,000		1,000	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>10,490</b>	<b>1,440</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,930</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>10,490</b>	<b>1,440</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,930</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>- 1,802</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>1,384</b>	<b>- 1,384</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>5,075</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,418</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>4,991</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,915</b>	<b>-</b>

## 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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>		925	4,991	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>4,991</b>	<b>-</b>
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval

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# Accounts

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**Bourne Evangelical Church**  
**Trustee's Report 15<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

**Trustees:** Jason Wright, Jacob Wright, Abbie Campbell

**1.Charity Objectives and Activities-** Bourne Evangelical Church exists for the advancement of the Christian faith within Bourne and the surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith. This includes provision of a place of meeting for public worship of God via preaching and teaching of the Bible. Communion, prayer, praise, fellowship and alms-giving including evangelistic outreach and discipleship.

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**1. Membership: reminder of obligations- Church Handbook  
2.1.9**

Membership brings with it certain privileges and responsibilities. The privileges are identified as membership of the local Body of Christ in all its work and worship, to be able to partake in discussing and agreeing the way in which the local Church should move forward and fulfil its Biblical role in the local community and the benefit of Pastoral care.

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5. Regular giving to the local Church and the Lord's work in general. (1 Cor. 16:2, 2 Cor. 9:6-7)
6. The showing of Christian love and concern, both for the members of the Church family and for the community at large. (John 13:35, 1 Thess. 3:12)
7. An endeavour to live a life consistent with the faith we profess. (Rom. 6:1-2, Eph. 4:1)
8. Regular attendance at the Lord's Supper. (Acts 2:42, 20:7)

## **2. - Meeting Charity objectives and activities**

**Advancement of the Christian faith.** BEC has a rolling contract with the URC which secures BEC with a regular place of worship, for ecclesiastical activities. Integration of ZOOM remains and our YouTube page with sermons as well as our regular bible studies.

**Programs of support for members and non-members** – Pastor Dave and Sue, they are available for pastoral care and Myself and Lauren continue to organise social interaction, when possible. BEC is linked with the Fenlands Evangelical Network and our relationship with them, provides further social interaction among membership through outreach, fellowship, teaching.

**Long term investments** - Securing the church building, through funders and various options.

**Evangelism** - The Christmas carol service is planned for December 14<sup>h</sup>, joint with Fenlands service. Easter saw us have our usual Passover meal and joint fenlands service. A Christianity explored course was done and further study has continued. Weekly prayer group and bible study for the teaching of the congregation continues. Our yearly Christmas market provides us with a fantastic opportunity for outreach and opportunities to share Jesus. We continue to receive regular supplies of Christian books for the resource room as well as a large supply of preloved books.

**The gallery** - The office space is used weekly by pastor Dave and a quiet place for reading, reflection and Christian resources is available. The chapel is open weekly on a Wednesday . In line with charity objectives and the Church vision the upper room is available as a drop in hub for both members and non-members in the local community.

The trustees and BEC members remain committed to the advancement of the Christian faith within Bourne and its surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith and look forward to a prosperous and blessed 2025.

## Trustee report 2024.

Over the last year, we have been building up and waiting for the sale and the building and building a vision with God guiding to secure the building that we call home.

At the start of the year, we had meetings with the URC to discuss the possibility of working together on the repair of the building, it then became clear that their intention was to sell for their own financial reasons, again we had meetings again to find out to the time scale of this and then as a congregation we patiently waited.

In the meantime, we had a trustee meeting to discuss the potential vision of the church, we prayed into this and shared what we felt the Lord wanted and we all agreed on the same vision, we shared different ideas together. We met again and drafted a vision which is what we shared with you all. We created a logo and a leaflet to share this. We then met several times with Joel to create plans. We have met again several times, with various exchanged in between with the URC synod and other originations on how we secure the money and fundraise.

Each one has set to and contacted individuals, originations, grants, the local council, are enquires are still ongoing and now we have a price, it is crucial that we secure funding.



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## Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	01/04/2023	To	31/03/2024
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### 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 £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	13,211	-	-	13,211	-
Toddler Group		80		80	
Resource Room	-	1,083	-	1,083	-
Building Fund		1,208		1,208	
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>13,211</b>	<b>2,371</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,582</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>13,211</b>	<b>2,371</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,582</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Property Rental	4,800	-	-	4,800	-
General	1,422	-	-	1,422	-
Pastor Salary	5,100	-	-	5,100	-
Resource Room	-	584	-	584	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>11,322</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,906</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>11,322</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,906</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>1,889</b>	<b>1,787</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,676</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>- 320</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>- 226</b>	<b>2,968</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>5,075</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,418</b>	<b>-</b>

## 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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>		1,343	5,075	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>5,075</b>	<b>-</b>
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

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

Signature 	Print Name Abbie Campbell	Date of approval 25/01/2025
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**Long term investments** – Our new domain name for the website is now live and new leads added to tech.

**Evangelism** - The Christmas carol service is planned for December 17<sup>th</sup>, joint with FENlands service. Easter saw us have our usual Passover meal and joint fenlands service. A Christianity explored course was done and We continue to plant seeds through courses like this. A discipleship course is starting soon and bible study for the teaching of the congregation continues. Our yearly Christmas market provides us with a fantastic opportunity for outreach as well as our coffee morning and toddler group, providing us with opportunities to share Jesus. We continue to receive regular supplies of Christian books for the resource room as well as a large supply of preloved books.

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## Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	4/1/2021	To	3/31/2022
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### 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 £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	10,158	-	-	10,158	-
Toddler Group	-	342	-	342	-
Resource Room	-	898	-	898	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>10,158</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,398</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>10,158</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11,398</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Property Rental	4,900	-	-	4,900	-
General	1,605	-	-	1,605	-
Pastor Salary	5,300	-	-	5,300	-
Toddlers	-	240	-	240	-
Resource Room	-	718	-	718	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>11,805</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12,763</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
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<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>- 1,647</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 1,366</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>- 55</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>1,366</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,108</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>- 226</b>	<b>2,968</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>-</b>

## 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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>		- 226	2,968	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>- 226</b>	<b>2,968</b>	<b>-</b>

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

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	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

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

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

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Signature	Print Name	Date of approval

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**Bourne Evangelical Church**  
**Trustee's Report 2021-2022**

**Trustees:** Nadine Wetz, David Tattersall and Jacob Wright

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### **3. - Meeting Charity objectives and activities**

**Advancement of the Christian faith.** BEC has a rolling contract with the URC which secures BEC with a regular place of worship, for ecclesiastical activities. Despite COVID restrictions overall congregational attendance has grown, some through transference from other local congregations. The use of ZOOM meetings is now a fixture of outreach, providing weekly and daily access to prayer groups and bible study reaching people who would otherwise be unable to attend a physical meeting. The BEC YouTube channel has also seen increase with now 86 subscribers compared to our local church membership of 14 people.

**Programs of support for members and non-members** – Following a long absence of physical interaction due to ongoing COVID restrictions, BEC has been able to resume some activities including a monthly joint “Fenlands men’s breakfast”. It is hoped the inter-church Fenlands Evangelical Network will provide further social interaction among membership through outreach, fellowship, teaching and camps. A weekly toddler’s group was started in late 2021 and has proved especially popular with local parents. BEC hopes to expand this area of Ministry in 2022.

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**Long term investments** - future proofing technology within the Church has seen the purchase of a new PC and hanging microphones. Particular attention has been given to those watching lone via ZOOM providing for a much-improved online experience. There is a growing possibility that the Chapel and Church Hall will become available for purchase within the next 18-24 months. Enquiries into how funding might be raised is ongoing.

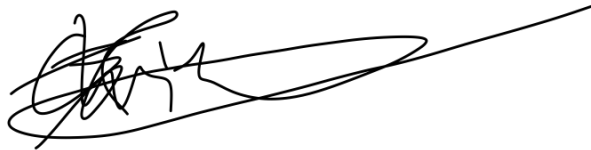
**Evangelism** - Sadly the local council banned all religious activity on the market, thus market outreach has been curtailed since the first lockdown in 2020. The Christmas carol service went ahead as a joint FEN service and was extremely well attended. With the support of Calvary Baptist Peterborough householders around Eastgate were leaf-let dropped highlighting services at Eastgate. Literature dispensers placed at the church entrance while initially popular with passersby have experienced some vandalism. The addition of “CCTV warning” signs seem to have curtailed this.

**Renovation of the gallery** – The completed “upper room” serves as a Pastor’s office and resource room. Over the course of 2021 large amounts of books were donated and various

trade accounts set up which have afforded a good selection of books, gifts, and resources. In line with charity objectives and the Church vision it is hoped that the upper room will become a drop in hub for both members and non-members in the local community.

**Minister** – The current Minister/Pastor of BEC has announced his resignation as of 16<sup>th</sup> January 2022. He will continue as interim Minister until a new Minister is located after which he hopes to maintain his position as “elder” and drop into the role of resident theologian/ associate Pastor. Due to additional commitments the current Minister has announced a cut-off date of December 31<sup>st</sup> 2022. The trustees will endeavor to locate a new Minister through advertising this position. One hindrance to success is the inability to provide a full stipend for the Minister. However, it is hoped the successful candidate will be either self-funded through mission or able to operate as a bi-vocational Minister.

The trustees and BEC members remain committed to the advancement of the Christian faith within Bourne and its surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith and look forward to a prosperous and blessed 2022/23.

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JAMES WRIGHT



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## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	To
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### 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 £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	13,844	-	-	13,844	-
Toddler Group		226		226	
Building	-	528	-	528	-
Resource Room	-	876	-	876	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>13,844</b>	<b>1,629</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,474</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>13,844</b>	<b>1,629</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,474</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Property Rental	4,900	-	-	4,900	-
General	3,590	-	-	3,590	-
Pastor Salary	5,200	-	-	5,200	-
Toddlers	-	79	-	79	-
Resource Room	-	597	-	597	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>13,690</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14,367</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>13,690</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14,367</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,107</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>- 600</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>1,812</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,001</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>1,366</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,108</b>	<b>-</b>

## 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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>		1,366	2,742	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>1,366</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>-</b>

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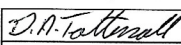
Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	D.A. TATTERSALL	15/1/23

**BOURNE EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

England & Wales - Charity number 1184067

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# Accounts

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**Bourne Evangelical Church**  
**Trustee's Report March 2020 to April 2021**

**Trustees:** Nadine Wetz, David Tattersall and Jacob Wright

**1. Charity Objectives and Activities**

Bourne Evangelical Church exists for the advancement of the Christian faith within Bourne and the surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith. This includes provision of a place of meeting for public worship of God via preaching and teaching of the Bible. Communion, prayer, praise, fellowship and alms-giving including evangelistic outreach and discipleship.

- a) providing a place for worship for ecclesiastical activities
- b) providing Christian resources for the wider community
- c) engaging the general public through evangelism
- d) offering short courses on the Christian faith

Programs for support of members

- a) weekly Bible teaching sessions
- b) weekly prayer groups
- c) pastoral care, visits and calls
- d) advanced discipleship training for members
- e) activities for bonding and personal growth

**2. Membership: reminder of obligations**

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### **3. - Meeting Charity objectives and activities**

**Advancement of the Christian faith.** BEC has a rolling contract with the URC which secures BEC with a regular place of worship, for ecclesiastical activities. Despite COVID restrictions one new person has come to faith, and the overall congregation has grown. Integration of ZOOM has also seen a rise in online participation.

**Programs of support for members and non-members** – COVID restrictions have severely hindered normative pastoral care and social interaction. Nevertheless, care of the flock has been maintained through ZOOM meetings, telephone calls and where safe to do so Pastoral visits. Discipleship programs are working well, helping both members and non-members grow in their faith. For those most vulnerable BEC made itself available offering food deliveries during the first lockdown in 2020. It is hoped that as lockdown eases in 2021 the Church hall will resume activities, such as craft groups, men's breakfast group, women's afternoon tea, teaching days etc. BEC is also now linked with the Fenlands Evangelical Network and it is hoped this inter-church relationship will provide further social interaction among membership through outreach, fellowship, teaching and camps.

**Support of other users** - BEC rents the facility from the URC. BEC members have helped the URC with building maintenance carrying out various tasks, from drain repairs and new slate roof to gardening and vermin control. BEC is also working with the Food Bank (who also rent part of this facility) with a view to removing the stage area and replacing rotten wooden floors.

**Long term investments** - future proofing technology within the Church has seen the purchase of new audio/visual equipment. Particular attention has been given to those watching lone via ZOOM. New AV equipment has made for a much-improved online experience. A new computer is still needed as well as hanging microphones.

**Evangelism** - Sadly the local council banned all religious activity on the market, thus market outreach has been curtailed since the first lockdown. The Christmas carol service went ahead as a joint FEN service. Easter afforded a blanket drop of leaflets door-to-door throughout Eastgate. Dispensers placed at the church entrance have proved popular with passersby – dozens of pieces of literature have been distributed by this means

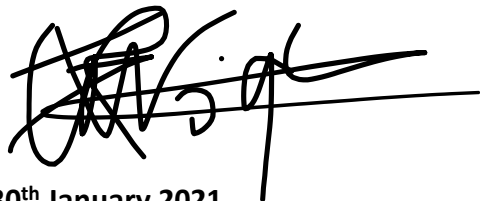
**Renovation of the gallery** – The objective to create an office space and a quiet place for reading, reflection and Christian resources is now complete. Dedication of the "upper room" took place on January 31<sup>st</sup> 2021. The chapel is now open weekly Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. In line with charity objectives and the Church vision it is hoped that the upper

room will become a drop in hub for both members and non-members in the local community.

**COVID 19 Restrictions.** Despite severe restrictions BEC has advanced its charity objectives and activates. Firstly, the completion of the upper room provides the Pastor with an on-site office allowing the Chapel and resource room to be open almost daily. Reacting to church closures greater investment in technology has seen online participation increase, allowing the most vulnerable to still be part of church services. A daily prayer initiative conducted through ZOOM has become multi-cultural with international participation. BEC's online presence will remain a feature of the charity objectives moving forward.

The trustees and BEC members remain committed to the advancement of the Christian faith within Bourne and its surrounding areas in accordance with its constitution and basis of faith and look forward to a prosperous and blessed 2021/22.

**JACOB WRIGHT – Trustee**

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**30<sup>th</sup> January 2021**



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Bourne Evangelical Church

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For the period  
from

01/04/2020

To

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<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	13,550	-	-	13,550	-
Gallery	-	6,968	-	6,968	-
Building	-	521	-	521	-
Books	-	445	-	445	-
Audio	-	1,130	-	1,130	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>13,550</b>	<b>9,064</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>22,614</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
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<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Property Rental	3,600	-	-	3,600	-
Ministry/Evangelism	847	-	-	847	-
Gallery	-	13,748	-	13,748	-
General	1,020	-	-	1,020	-
Pastor Salary	5,200	-	-	5,200	-
Audio	-	608	-	608	-
Books	-	300	-	300	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>10,668</b>	<b>14,655</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25,323</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
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<b>Total payments</b>	<b>10,668</b>	<b>14,655</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25,323</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>2,882</b>	<b>- 5,591</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 2,710</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>- 589</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>- 481</b>	<b>6,191</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,710</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>1,812</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,000</b>	<b>-</b>

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		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
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			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

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			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	DAVID TATTERSALL	09/05/21
	JACOB WRIGHT	23/5/21