

**REDEEMED CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF GOD (RCCG) - HOLY GHOST ZONE BLACKPOOL  
(REGISTRATION NUMBER - 1195004)**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023.**

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**Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) – Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool**

**Trustees Annual Report**

**For The Year Ended 31 December 2023.**

**Charity's Full Name**

RCCG - Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool

**Registration Number**

Charity Commission Registration Number - 1195004

**Trustees'**

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**Bankers**

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**Independent Examiner**

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**Organisation and Management**

The Overall Management of the Charity is the responsibility of the trustees who are elected under the terms of the governing document. Day to day project activity of the charity is managed and carried out by volunteers.

**Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) – Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool**  
**Trustees Annual Report (Contd)**  
**For The Year Ended 31 December 2023.**

**Charity Aims and Objectives**

The principal aims & objectives of the charity are:

- The advancement of the Christian Faith
- Employing diverse ways of teaching and educating members with the knowledge of God
- To give Christian care and welfare To all members of the community as it deems necessary.
- Organisation of various seminars and leadership training
- To provide welfare support to members
- To support other charities and christian events
- Give support to the youths in meaningful christian and secular activities
- Work in co-operation with other Christian organisations and support events with similar Christian aims and objectives.
- The relief of poverty

**Summary of Activities during the Year**

In order to advance the Christian faith in accordance with the Statement Of Faith throughout England for the benefit of the public mainly but not exclusively through the provision of a place of worship, the holding of prayer meetings, religious education, religious ceremonies and to provide outreach and Pastoral Care for the community. The Church engaged in some activities which are beneficial to the public. The activities Include but not limited to

- Services for public worship and teaching of the Christian faith becoming good Citizens in the community. These meetings are open to anyone who wishes to attend. There are no qualifications or restriction on access to the services.
- Seminars on marriage and family values, open to the general public.
- Seminars on goal setting and self-development and Career Progression open to the general public.
- Food and other support to relief hardship, open to the general public.
- Support to refugees kept in the Grand Metropole Hotel Blackpool.

The Church continues to advance the Christian faith through preaching and teaching of the word Of God to encourage people in this period of economic difficulties. We meet twice a week - Sunday 10:00am to 12:30pm for Sunday Worship and on Thursday 6:00pm - 7:00pm for Bible Study and prayers. There is also a 2-hour prayer meeting every third Saturday on the month The church has a WhatsApp group where members interact and celebrate birthdays. Our Church meetings are transmitted through zoom for people who cannot attend. There is also opportunity for weekly support to people in need by providing food and other necessary help. This is made possible through our partnership with supermarkets like Sainsburys, ASDA and Aldi who make donations to us.

**Trustees Responsibility for Financial Statements**

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the financial statements for the financial period which should give a clear view of the state of affairs of the charity.

In preparing these financial statements the Trustees are required to

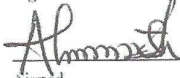
- select suitable accounting policies and apply then accordingly
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity.

The trustees are responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and for taking reasonable steps for the prevention of fraud and irregularities.

The Trustees have declared that they have approved the trustees report above.

Signed On Behalf of the Charity Trustees

 29/10/24  
Signed Date  
Lucky Ishaku Trustee  
Name Position

**Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) – Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool**

**Independent Examiners Report on the Accounts**

**For The Year Ended 31 December 2023.**

I report on the accounts of the Rccg - Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool

set out on pages 5 - 7

**Respective responsibilities of the Trustee and the Examiner**

It is the responsibility of the trustees to maintain proper books and records and prepare accounts.

The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (Under Section 144 (2) of the Charities Act 2011

(The 1993 Act and that an independent examination is needed)

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under Section 14 of the 2011 Act
- to follow the procedures laid down in this General Directions given by the Charity Commissioner (under Section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of the Independent Examiners report**

My examination was carried out in accordance with the general direction given by the Charity commission.

An examination includes the 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 explanation from the trustees concerning any such matters.

The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in any audit and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

**Independent Examiners 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 appropriate accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act 2011 Act 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.



Signed: Babatunde Mosaku

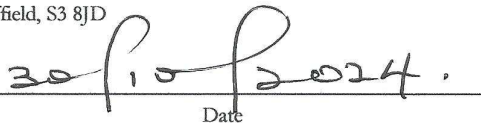
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Date

**Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) – Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool**  
**Statement of Financial Activities**  
**For The Year Ended 31 December 2023.**


		2023	2022
	Notes	£	£
<b>Incoming Resources</b>			
Donations, Legacies and Other Similar Incoming Resources	3	90,925	45,635
HMRC Grants		-	-
<b>Total Incoming Resources</b>		<u>90,925</u>	<u>45,635</u>
<b>Resources Expenses</b>			
Travel & Transport Expenses		100	210
Utility		4,689	1,931
Rent and Rates		1,913	9,650
Hospitality		7,440	-
Welfare		5,880	1,790
Ministers' Conference		2,300	2,190
Equipment and Software		-	880
Repairs & Maintenance		22,154	4,936
Mission Contribution		-	730
Mortgage Related Expenses		-	11,950
Advert & Publicity		600	
Charitable Donation		700	300
Licence		223	250
Postage		9	8
Accountancy Fees		700	-
Telephone & Internet		2,849	422
Depreciation		7,760	1,744
WEM		95	
Professional Fees		6,916	-
Insurance		2,704	-
<b>Total Resources Expended</b>		<u>67,031</u>	<u>36,991</u>
<b>Net Incoming / (Outgoing) Resources</b>		23,893	8,644
<b>Total Funds Brought Forward</b>		19,420	10,776
<b>Total Funds Carried Forward</b>		<u>43,313</u>	<u>19,420</u>

Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) – Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool  
Statement of Assest and Liabilities  
As At 31 December 2023.

	2023	2022
<b>Fixed Asset</b>	£	£
Tangible Asset	143,620	6,976
<b>Current Assets</b>		
Debtors	9,200	2,000
Cash at Bank & in Hand	8,911	10,444
	18,111	12,444
<b>Creditors Amount Falling due within One year</b>	-	-
	18,111	12,444
<b>Total Assets less Current Liabilities</b>	161,731	19,420
<b>Creditors: Amounts Falling due after more than one year</b>	118,418	-
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	43,313	19,420
<b>Represented by</b>		
Accumulated Fund		
Unrestricted Income	43,313	19,420
Restricted Income	-	-
	43,313	19,420

The Trustees declare that they have approved the accounts above

Signed On Behalf of the Charity Trustees

 29/10/24  
 Signed Date  
 Lucky Ishaku Trustee  
 Name Position

**Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) – Holy Ghost Zone Blackpool****Notes to The Account****For The Year Ended 31 December 2023.****1 Accounting Policies****(a) General**

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP Revised 2005) and applicable accounting standards.

**(b) Incoming Resources**

All material incoming resources have been included on a receivables basis i.e. they are included if the date receivable falls within the period covered these by accounts. These have been classified using a natural classification

**(d) Depreciation**

Depreciation has been calculated to write down the cost or valuation less estimated residual value of all tangible fixed assets over their expected useful lives on a straight line basis. The applicable rates are:

Musical & Technical Equipment	20%
Building	4%

**2 Fixed Assets -**

	Church Equipment	Building	Total
	£	£	£
Cost or Valuation			
As at 1 January 2023.	8,720		8,720
Additions	1,500	142,905	144,405
Disposal	-	-	-
<b>As at 31 December 2023.</b>	<b>10,220</b>	<b>142,905</b>	<b>153,125</b>
Depreciation	£	£	£
As at 1 January 2023.	1,744	-	1,744
Charge for this period	2,044	5,716	7,760
Disposal	-	-	-
<b>As at 31 December 2023.</b>	<b>3,788</b>	<b>5,716</b>	<b>9,504</b>
Net Book Value			
<b>As at 31 December 2023.</b>	<b>6,432</b>	<b>137,189</b>	<b>143,620</b>

**3 Donations, Legacies and other Similar Incoming Resources**

	2023	2022
	£	£
Tithe	24,681	22,973
Offering	65,464	22,378
Pledge	-	-
Other income	780	1,110
Entry Reversal	-	826
	<b>90,925</b>	<b>45,635</b>

**4 Unrestricted Funds**

These are grants and donation received or receivable for the object of the charity without restriction as to the purpose of their application as are available as general fund

**5 Trustees Remuneration, Benefits & Expenses**

Trustees received no remuneration, benefits or expenses in this period

**6 Receipts and Payments Accounts**

Because the level of income and expenditure is below £100,000.00, the group has opted for accounts prepared on a receipts and payments rather than an accrual basis. This is in line with Charity Commissioners guidelines for Small Charities and is seen as more appropriate for this project.