

DEBRE YDRAS ST GEORGE ERITREAN ORTHODOX TEWAHDO COMMUNITY CHURCH BIRMINGHAM UK

England & Wales · Charity number 1199309

Details

Other names DY.STGEORGE.EOTCC

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2022-06-15

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

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Activities

Objects: TO ADVANCE THE CHRISTIAN RELIGION IN BIRMINGHAM AND THE SURROUNDING AREAS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC IN PARTICULAR BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY THROUGH THE HOLDING OF PRAYER MEETINGS, LECTURES, PUBLIC CELEBRATION OF RELIGIOUS FESTIVALS, PRODUCING AND/OR DISTRIBUTING LITERATURE ON THE CHRISTIAN FAITH TO ENLIGHTEN OTHERS ABOUT THE CHRISTIAN RELIGION, PROVIDING PASTORAL CARE BY CARRYING OUT MISSIONARY / OUTREACH WORK AND CREATE A NETWORK OF SUPPORT SERVICES FOR ALL MEMBERS, ESPECIALLY FOR REFUGEES IN THE COMMUNITY.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Religious Activities
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin

Geography

- Throughout England

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-08-31	£19,647	£13,741	-	-
2023-08-31	£29,609	£15,069	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Amanuel Weldyohanis	Chair	
Kinfe Gebregergsh Beyene		
Paulos Gebregziabher		
Semret Berhane		
Sirak Asfaha		
TESFALIDET BERHE		
Tsaedu Ghidey Haile		

Accounts

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(D. Y. ST GEORGE ERITREAN ORTHODOX TEWAHDO CHURCH)

Trustees' report and financial statements

For the year ended 31st August 2024

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Legal and administrative information

For the year ended 31st August 2024

Status

The Organisation is a charity registered with the Charity Commission on 15 June 2022. The charity is governed by its constitution.

Charity number:

1199309

Trustees:

Mr Amanuel Weldyohanis

Mr Paulos Gebregziabher

Mrs Semret Berhane

Mr Tesfalidet Berhe

Mrs Tsaedu Ghidey Haile

Mr Kinfе Gebregergsh Beyene

Mr Sirak Asfaha

Chairman:

Mr Amanuel Weldyohanis

Registered office:

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Trustees' Report

For the year ended 31st August 2024

The trustees present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31st August 2024.

This report and accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice; Accounting and Reporting by Charities 2005.

Charitable object

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- **Community Engagement:** Provided weekly community refreshments and facilitated online teaching and pastoral engagement.

D. Y. ST GEORGE ERITREAN ORTHODOX TEWAHDO CHURCH**Statement of Financial Activities****For the year ended 31st August 2024**

		Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total	Total
	Notes	£	£	2024 £	2023 £
Incoming resources					
Voluntary income		19,647	-	19,647	29,609
Resources Expended					
Charitable expenditure	2	13,741	-	13,741	15,069
Total expenditure		(13,741)	-	(13,741)	(15,069)
Net movement in funds		5,906	-	5,906	14,540
Funds balances at 1 Septemebr 2023		12,445	-	12,445	(2,095)
Funds balances at 31 August 2024		18,351	-	18,351	12,445

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Balance Sheet

As at 31 August 2024

	Note	2024 £	2023 £
Fixed Assets			
Tangible Assets	3	1,424	1,854
Current Assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		16,927	12,573
		<u>18,351</u>	<u>14,427</u>
Creditors : Amounts falling due within one year	4	-	(1,500)
Net Assets		<u>18,351</u>	<u>12,927</u>
Accumulated Funds			
Balance brought forward		12,445	(2,095)
Surplus of income over expenditure		5,906	14,540
As at 31 August 2024	5	<u>18,351</u>	<u>12,445</u>

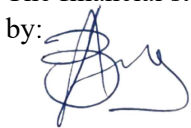
The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part V11 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies and with the Statement of Recommended Practice. Accounting and reporting by Charities issued in March 2005 and the Financial Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005).

The Trustees are of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemptions from audit conferred by section 447 of the Companies Act 2006.

The Trustees are responsible for:

- ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006, and
- preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 31st August 2024, and its results for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of section 386 of the Companies Act 2006, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements on page 3 to 8 were approved by the Trustees on 27th June 2025 and signed on their behalf by:



Mr. Amanuel Weldyohanis

Chairman

Date: 27/06/2025

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities, the Statement of Recommended Practice; Accounting and Reporting by Charities 2005.

1.2 Incoming Resources

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

1.3 Resources expended

Resources expended are accounted for on an accrual basis. Expenditure includes VAT which cannot be recovered and which is included as part of the expenditure to which it relates.

Costs are allocated between charitable expenditure and governance as appropriate. Charitable expenditure comprises those costs directly incurred in carrying out its charitable activities and expenditure of an indirect nature necessary to support these activities. Governance costs are those associated with the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include Independent Examiners' fees and costs incurred in the strategic management of the charity.

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Notes to the Financial Statements - (Continued)

For the year ended 31st August 2024

2 Total Resources Expended

Item Description	Charitable activities	Governance Costs	Total 2024	Total 2023
	£	£	£	£
Travel expenses	4,665	-	4,665	5,253
Printing, postage and stationery	-	-	-	476
Rent	4,000	-	4,000	4,180
Sundry expenses	1,075	-	1,075	1,285
Other charitable activities	3,857	-	3,857	3,722
Depreciation charge	144	-	144	153
	<u>13,741</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,741</u>	<u>15,069</u>

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Notes and Accounting Policies

For the year ended 31st August 2024

3 Tangible Fixed Assets

Tangible Fixed assets comprised:

	Fixtures and fittings £	Total £
Cost		
At 1st Septemebr 2023	1,372	1,372
Additions	196	196
At 31st August 2024	1,568	1,568
Depreciation		
Charge for year	144	144
At 31st August 2024	144	144
Net Book Value		
At 31st August 2024	1,424	1,424
At 1st Septemebr 2023	890	1,372

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For the year ended 31st August 2024

4 Creditors

Creditors comprised amounts falling due within one year as follows:

	2024	2023
	£	£
Trade Creditors and accruals	-	1,500
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	-	1,500
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5 The Funds of the Charity

	At 1st Septemebr 2023	Incoming Resources	Outgoing Resources	At 31st August 2024
	£	£	£	£
Unrestricted Funds	(2,095)	29,609	(15,069)	12,445
Restricted Funds	-	19,647	(13,741)	5,906
Total	<hr/> (2,095)	<hr/> 49,256	<hr/> (28,810)	<hr/> 18,351

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Statement of Financial Activities

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		Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2023 £
	Notes	£	£	
Incoming resources				
Voluntary income		24,348	5,261	29,609
Resources Expended				
Charitable expenditure	2	15,069	-	15,069
Total expenditure		(15,069)	-	(15,069)
Net movement in funds		9,279	5,261	14,540
Funds balances at 14 June 2022		(2,095)	-	(2,095)
Funds balances at 31 August 2023		7,184	5,261	12,445

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Balance Sheet

As at 31 August 2023

	Note	2023 £
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Current Assets		
Cash at bank and in hand		12,573
		<hr/> 13,945
Creditors : Amounts falling due within one year	4	(1,500)
		<hr/> 12,445
Net Assets		
Accumulated Funds		
Balance brought forward		(2,095)
Surplus of income over expenditure		14,540
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Date:



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For the period ended 31st August 2023

2 Total Resources Expended

Item Description	Charitable activities	Governance Costs	Total 2023
	£	£	£
Travel expenses	5,253	-	5,253
Printing, postage and stationery	476	-	476
Rent	4,180	-	4,180
Sundry expenses	1,285	-	1,285
Other charitable activities	3,722	-	3,722
Depreciation charge	153	-	153
	<u>15,069</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>15,069</u>

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Notes and Accounting Policies

For the period ended 31st August 2023

3 Tangible Fixed Assets

Tangible Fixed assets comprised:

	Fixtures and fittings £	Total £
Cost		
At 15th June 2022	890	890
Additions	635	635
At 31st August 2023	<u>1,525</u>	<u>1,525</u>
Depreciation		
Charge for year	153	153
At 31st August 2023	<u>153</u>	<u>153</u>
Net Book Value		
At 31st August 2023	1,372	1,372
At 14th June 2022	890	890

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For the period ended 31st August 2023

4 Creditors

Creditors comprised amounts falling due within one year as follows:

	2023
	£
Trade Creditors and accruals	1,500
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	1,500
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5 The Funds of the Charity

	At 1st 14.June 2022	Incoming Resources	Outgoing Resources	At 31st August 2023
	£	£	£	£
Unrestricted Funds	(2,095)	24,348	(15,069)	7,184
Restricted Funds	-	5,261	-	5,261
Total	<hr/> (2,095)	<hr/> 29,609	<hr/> (15,069)	<hr/> 12,445
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