

# COWPLAIN EVANGELICAL CHURCH

England & Wales · Charity number 1202826

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** CIO

**Registered** 2023-04-25

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

## Contact

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**Address** Cowplain Evangelical Church  
Durley Avenue  
Waterlooville  
PO8 8XA

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**Website** [www.cowplainchurch.co.uk](http://www.cowplainchurch.co.uk)

## Activities

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**Objects:** 3.1 THE PURPOSES OF THE CHURCH ARE:3.1.1 THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BASIS OF FAITH PRIMARILY BUT NOTEXCLUSIVELY WITHIN COWPLAIN, PORTSMOUTH AND THE SURROUNDING NEIGHBOURHOOD; AND3.1.2 SUCH OTHER CHARITABLE PURPOSES AS SHALL, IN THE OPINION OF THE CHARITY TRUSTEES, PUT INTO PRACTICE THECHRISTIAN FAITH IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BASIS OF FAITH, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO: THE PREVENTION AND RELIEFOF NEED, HARDSHIP AND SICKNESS; THE ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION; AND THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES IN THEINTERESTS OF SOCIAL WELFARE FOR RECREATION OR OTHER LEISURE TIME OCCUPATION OF INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE NEED OFSUCH FACILITIES BY REASON OF THEIR YOUTH, AGE INFIRMITY OR DISABILITY, FINANCIAL HARDSHIP OR SOCIAL CIRCUMSTANCESWITH THE OBJECT OF IMPROVING THEIR CONDITIONS OF LIFEPROVIDED THAT THE ADVANCEMENT OF SUCH PURPOSES MUST BE UNDERTAKEN IN A MANNER THAT IS CONSISTENT WITHTHE DOCTRINAL DISTINCTIVES AND ETHICAL STATEMENTS AS MAY BE ADOPTED AND AMENDED BY THE CHURCH FROMTIME TO TIME IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE CHURCH HANDBOOK.

**Activities:** Advancement of the Christian faith by proclamation of the Christian Gospel, worship and practical Bible teaching at Sunday and other services, and Sunday School

## Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** Religious Activities
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- Hampshire

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£0	£0	-	-
2024-03-31	£0	£0	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
<b>PHILIP ROY MARFLEET</b>	Chair	2023-04-25
AMANDA JANE SIMMONS		2023-04-25
Christopher John Bruce		2025-04-07
EDWARD JOHN ROLLINS		2023-04-25
Mark Stuart Webb		2024-10-15
Philip Thomas Atherton		2023-04-25
Rev PHILLIP JAMES BROWN		2023-04-25
Robert Ian Matthews		2023-04-25
STUART ANTHONY WILLIAM BENNETT		2023-04-25
Samuel Edward Skeet		2023-04-25
Samuel Hudson		2025-09-01
Verity Roxanne Leaver		2025-07-15

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# Accounts

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# Cowplain Evangelical Church

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## Trustees' Annual Report for year ended 31st March 2025

Principal address: Cowplain Evangelical Church  
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Trustee name	Office	Dates acted if not for whole year
Philip Atherton	Elder	
Stuart Bennett	Deacon	
Phillip Brown	Pastor/Elder	
Christopher Bruce	Asst Pastor/Elder	Appointed April 2025
Samuel Hudson	Asst Pastor/Elder	Appointed September 2025
Brian Johnson	Deacon	Resigned July 2024
Verity Leaver	Deacon	Appointed June 2025
Philip Marfleet	Elder	
Robert Matthews	Deacon	
Edward Rollins	Elder	
Amanda Simmons	Deacon	
Samuel Skeet	Deacon	
Mark Webb	Deacon	Appointed October 2024
Derek Williams	Deacon	Resigned January 2026

## Structure, governance and management

### Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document: Constitution

How the charity is constituted: Charitable Incorporated Organisation

Trustee selection methods: Under the Constitution, the Trustees are the Pastor(s), Elders and Deacons of the Church. Details of the appointment and voting procedures and eligibility criteria for each of these offices are set out in the Church Handbook.

## Objectives

The objectives of the Church are:

- a) the advancement of the Christian faith in accordance with the Basis of Faith primarily but not exclusively within Cowplain, Waterlooville, Portsmouth and the surrounding neighbourhood; and
- b) such other charitable purposes as shall, in the opinion of the charity trustees, put into practice the Christian faith in accordance with the Basis of Faith.

## **Achievements and performance**

An unincorporated charity (Cowplain Evangelical Church, Registered Charity No. 1150603) has carried out the activities of the church in the furtherance of the purposes of the charity and Cowplain Evangelical Church (Registered Charity No. 1202826) will take over these activities following the transfer of assets to Cowplain Evangelical Church (Registered Charity No. 1202826).

**Note:** The transfer took place on the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025 (the day after the end of this reporting period)

## **Financial review**

There were no receipts, payments or assets for the charity in the year.

## **Declaration**

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature: *S A W Bennett*

Full name: Stuart A W Bennett

Position: Treasurer

Date: 22 January 2026



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Brian Johnson	Deacon	Resigned July 2024
Daniel Kent	Deacon	Resigned October 2023
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Robert Matthews	Deacon	
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Full name: Edward Rollins \_\_\_\_\_

Position: Trustee \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 13/01/2025 \_\_\_\_\_

March 2024

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REGISTERED CHARITY No. 1202826

**Accounts for the Year Ended 31st March 2024**

**Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st March 2024**

	<u>Unrestricted Funds</u> £	<u>Restricted Funds</u> £	<u>Endowment Funds</u> £	<u>Total Funds</u> £
<b><u>Receipts</u></b>				
Income	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00 0.00
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
<b><u>Payments:</u></b>				
Payments	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
<b>Net of (payments) receipts</b>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Transfers between funds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Funds carried forward</b>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>

**Statement of Assets and Liabilities at 31st March 2024**

Cash Funds	£ 0.00
Other assets	0.00
Total assets	<u>0.00</u>

Signed Stuart Bennett

Date 13/01/2025

Treasurer