

Registered Charity No. 1208186

**BETHESDA BAPTIST CHURCH IPSWICH
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024**

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LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Charity name	Bethesda Baptist Church, Ipswich
Other names charity is known by	Bethesda Baptist Church
Registered charity number	1208186
Principal address	9 St Margaret's Plain Ipswich IP4 2BB
Trustees	Sheila Aldous (From 28 Oct 2024) Stephen Andrews Paul Armstrong (Treasurer) Prasanna Banna (From 28 Oct 2024) Guy Fairweather (Ministry Team) Linda Green (From 28 Oct 2024) Terry Green (Secretary) Paul Law (Ministry Team) Terry Mann Barry Palmer
Independent Examiners	Larking Gowen LLP Unit 1, Claydon Business Park Great Blakenham, IP6 0NL
Bankers	Barclays plc 1 Princes Street Ipswich, IP1 1PN

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TRUSTEES' REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the period ended 31 December 2024.

The trustees confirm: the new CIO was first registered on 9 May 2024; there were no activities during the period; and that the CIO did not become operational until 1 September 2025.

Structure, governance and management

Governance

The governing document is a CIO constitution approved 26 February 2024.

Trustees

The Managing Trustees of the charity are the Minister of the Church (appointed by the Church Meeting for an unspecified period), the Church Secretary, Treasurer and deacons of the church, some of whom may form part of the Ministry Team, (appointed by the Church Meeting for a period of four years).

Objectives and Activities

Principal Activity

The purposes of the church are: the advancement of the Christian faith in accordance with the basis of faith primarily but not exclusively within Ipswich and the surrounding neighbourhood; and 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, including but not limited to: the prevention and relief of need, hardship and sickness; the advancement of education; and the provision of facilities in the interests of social welfare for recreation or other leisure time occupation of individuals who have need of such facilities by reason of their youth, age, infirmity or disability, financial hardship or social circumstances with the object of improving their conditions of life; provided that the advancement of such purposes must be undertaken in a manner that is consistent with the doctrinal distinctives and ethical statements as may be adopted and amended by the church from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the church handbook

Achievements and Performance

Nothing to report as the Charity is dormant.

Financial Review

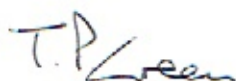
Nothing to report as the Charity is dormant.

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above and the accounts that follow below.

Signed on behalf of the Charity's trustees

Signature



Full Name

Terence Peter Green

Paul Armstrong

Position

Secretary

Treasurer

Date:

21 October 2025

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

There were no activities, income or expenditure in the period.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

There were no activities in the period and no assets or liabilities at the year end.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

1. Accounting Policies

a) Basis of Preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019) – (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act 2011.

There was no other trade or activity during the period.

2. Post Balance Sheet Event

On 1 September 2025 the activities, assets and liabilities of the previously registered Charitable Unincorporated Association, Bethesda Baptist Church, Ipswich (charity no. 1131973) were transferred to the registered Charitable Incorporated Organisation, Bethesda Baptist Church, Ipswich (charity no. 1208186). Prior to this the CIO has been dormant.