

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

England & Wales · Charity number 249957

## Details

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Status	Registered
Legal form	Charitable company
Company number	<a href="#">00113222</a>
Registered	1966-11-16
Register	<a href="#">View on the Charity Commission register</a>

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** 3) The object for which the company was established is: -The advancement of the Christian faith

**Activities:** Publication of the "English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle"

## Classification

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

## Geography

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- Throughout England And Wales

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£23,119	£9,759	-	-
2023-12-31	£22,623	£64,404	-	-
2022-12-31	£36,194	£83,575	-	-
2021-12-31	£49,678	£78,147	-	-
2020-12-31	£40,236	£46,672	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
DEREK ALAN SCALES		1979-04-18
Penelope Ann Hill		2023-02-27
Rev Helkias Mapimhidze		2023-02-27

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

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# Accounts

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**COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 0113222**

**CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 0249957**

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

**UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
31 DECEMBER 2022**

**NEVILLE WESTON & COMPANY**

Chartered Certified Accountants

3 High Street

St Lawrence

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# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

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# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCORPORATING THE DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

The Trustees, who are also the Directors for the purposes of Company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the Charity for the year ended 31 December 2022.

### Reference and Administrative Details

**Registered Charity Name** The English Churchman Trust Limited

**Charity Registration Number** 0249957

**Company Registration Number** 0113222

**Principal Office and Registered Office** 15 Grange Court  
Cambridge  
CB3 9BD

**The Trustees** Dr D A Scales  
The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel  
(Resigned 27.02.2023)  
The Rev Helkias Mapimhidze  
(Appointed 27.02.2023)  
Mrs P A Hill (Appointed  
27.02.2023)

**Company Secretary** Dr D A Scales

**Independent Examiner** C J N Weston FCCA  
3 High Street  
St Lawrence  
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### Structure, Governance and Management

The governing documents of the Trust are the Memorandum and Articles of Association, dated December 12th 1910 as amended. The Trust is a Company limited by shares.

Fit persons are appointed as members of the Trust, when a vacancy occurs, in accordance with the requirements of Articles 6 to 17 and 21 to 25 of the Articles of Association.

### Objectives and Activities

The objects for which the Company is established are (Article 3) to promote the Protestant and Evangelical doctrines of the Church of England as set forth in the Thirty-nine Articles and the Homilies thereof, in particular by the publication of the English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle newspaper.

We have referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing our aims and objectives and in planning our future activities.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCORPORATING THE DIRECTOR'S REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### Achievements and Performance

The Trust has continued to publish the English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle as a distinctive and uncompromising Protestant and Evangelical Family Newspaper, as required by the Memorandum of Association.

### Financial Review

The Trust has recorded a deficit of £47,381 of incoming resources over resources expended.

### Reserves Policy

In the Trustees' view, the reserves should provide the Charity with adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives for the foreseeable future. The Trustees propose to maintain the Charity's reserves at a level which is at least equivalent to three months operational expenditure.

### Independent Examiner

A resolution to re-appoint C J N Weston, FCCA as Independent Examiner for the ensuing year will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

### Small Company Provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The Trustees' annual report was approved on .....2023 and signed on behalf of the board of Trustees by:

.....  
**Dr D A Scales**  
Trustee

.....  
**The Rev H Mapimhidze**  
Trustee

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

I report to the Trustees on my examination of the financial statements of The English Churchman Trust Limited ('the Charity') for the year ended 31 December 2022.

### Responsibilities and Basis of Report

As the Trustees of the Company (and also its Directors for the purposes of Company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the Charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

### Independent Examiner's Statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
3. the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
4. the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

3 High Street  
St Lawrence  
Ramsgate  
Kent  
CT11 0QL

**C J N Weston FCCA**  
**Independent Examiner**

**Neville Weston & Company**  
**Chartered Certified Accountants**

**2023**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Note	2022		2021
		Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds	Total Funds
		£	£	£
<b>Income and Endowments</b>				
Donations and Legacies	5	6,554	<b>6,554</b>	15,545
Other Trading Activities	6	5,800	<b>5,800</b>	8,735
Investment Income	7	23,840	<b>23,840</b>	25,398
<b>Total Income</b>		<u>36,194</u>	<u><b>36,194</b></u>	<u>49,678</u>
<b>Expenditure</b>				
Expenditure on Raising Funds:				
Investment Management Costs	8	2,285	<b>2,285</b>	1,108
Expenditure on Charitable Activities	9,10	81,290	<b>81,290</b>	78,147
<b>Total Expenditure</b>		<u>83,575</u>	<u><b>83,575</b></u>	<u>79,255</u>
Net (Losses)/Gains on Investments	11	(13,638)	<b>(13,638)</b>	66,748
<b>Net (Expenditure)/Income and Net Movement in Funds</b>		<u>(61,019)</u>	<u><b>(61,019)</b></u>	<u>37,171</u>
<b>Reconciliation of Funds</b>				
Total Funds Brought Forward		736,255	<b>736,255</b>	699,084
<b>Total Funds Carried Forward</b>		<u>675,236</u>	<u><b>675,236</b></u>	<u>736,255</u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.  
All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 6 to 15 form part of these financial statements.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Note	2022 £	£	2021 £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>				
Intangible Assets	17		1	1
Tangible Fixed Assets	18		1,699	2,266
Investments	19		<u>667,163</u>	<u>732,636</u>
			<b>668,863</b>	<b>734,903</b>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>				
Debtors	20	6,426		855
Cash at Bank and in Hand		<u>3,838</u>		<u>4,185</u>
		<b>10,264</b>		<b>5,040</b>
<b>CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year</b>	<b>21</b>		<u>3,891</u>	<u>3,688</u>
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>			<u><b>6,373</b></u>	<u><b>1,352</b></u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			<u><b>675,236</b></u>	<u><b>736,255</b></u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>			<u><b>675,236</b></u>	<u><b>736,255</b></u>
<b>FUNDS OF THE CHARITY</b>				
Unrestricted Funds			<u>675,236</u>	<u>736,255</u>
<b>TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS</b>	<b>23</b>		<u><b>675,236</b></u>	<u><b>736,255</b></u>

For the year ending 31 December 2022 the Charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The Directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

These financial statements were approved by the board of Trustees and authorised for issue on .....2023, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

.....  
**Dr D A Scales**  
 Trustee

.....  
**The Rev H Mapimhidze**  
 Trustee

**The notes on pages 6 to 15 form part of these financial statements.**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Charity is a private limited Company, registered in England and Wales and a registered Charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is 15 Grange Court, Cambridge, CB3 9BD.

### 2. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the 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) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

#### **Going Concern**

There are no material uncertainties about the Charity's ability to continue.

#### **Judgements and Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty**

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

#### **Fund Accounting**

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees to further any of the Charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the Trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Incoming Resources**

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the Charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

#### **Resources Expended**

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a Charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the Charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the Charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Tangible Assets**

Tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

An increase in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of a revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, unless it reverses a charge for impairment that has previously been recognised as expenditure within the statement of financial activities. A decrease in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, except to which it offsets any previous revaluation gain, in which case the loss is shown within other recognised gains and losses on the statement of financial activities.

#### **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Fixtures and Fittings	-	25% reducing balance
Equipment	-	25% reducing balance

#### **Investments**

Unlisted equity investments are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently measured at fair value. If fair value cannot be reliably measured, assets are measured at cost less impairment.

Listed investments are measured at fair value with changes in fair value being recognised in income or expenditure.

#### **Investment Property**

Investment property is initially recorded at cost, which includes purchase price and any directly attributable expenditure.

Investment property is revalued to its fair value at each reporting date and any changes in fair value are recognised in income or expenditure.

If a reliable measure of fair value is no longer available without undue cost or effort for an item of investment property, it shall be transferred to tangible assets and treated as such until it is expected that fair value will be reliably measurable on an on-going basis.

#### **Impairment of Fixed Assets**

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Impairment of Fixed Assets** *(continued)*

For the purposes of impairment testing, when it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

For impairment testing of goodwill, the goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the Charity are assigned to those units.

#### **Financial Instruments**

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Where investments in shares or preference shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

#### **Defined Contribution Plans**

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is provided. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund.

When contributions are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the end of the reporting date in which the employees render the related service, the liability is measured on a discounted present value basis. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as an expense in the period in which it arises.

### 4. LIMITED BY SHARES

The Charity is a private Company limited by shares.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 5. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2022 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
<b>DONATIONS</b>				
Donations	554	<b>554</b>	1,108	<i>1,108</i>
<b>LEGACIES</b>				
Legacies	6,000	<b>6,000</b>	14,437	<i>14,437</i>
	<u>6,554</u>	<u><b>6,554</b></u>	<u>15,545</u>	<u><i>15,545</i></u>

### 6. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2022 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Subscriptions	5,447	<b>5,447</b>	7,399	<i>7,399</i>
Advertisements	353	<b>353</b>	1,336	<i>1,336</i>
	<u>5,800</u>	<u><b>5,800</b></u>	<u>8,735</u>	<u><i>8,735</i></u>

### 7. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2022 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Rental Income	14,692	<b>14,692</b>	16,200	<i>16,200</i>
Income from Listed Investments	3,630	<b>3,630</b>	2,744	<i>2,744</i>
Finance Board Deposit Account - Income Received	5,518	<b>5,518</b>	6,454	<i>6,454</i>
	<u>23,840</u>	<u><b>23,840</b></u>	<u>25,398</u>	<u><i>25,398</i></u>

### 8. INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COSTS

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2022 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Insurance	395	<b>395</b>	370	<i>370</i>
Repairs and Maintenance	—	—	108	<i>108</i>
Property Management Fees	1,890	<b>1,890</b>	630	<i>630</i>
	<u>2,285</u>	<u><b>2,285</b></u>	<u>1,108</u>	<u><i>1,108</i></u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 9. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY FUND TYPE

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2022 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Publication of 'The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle	79,440	<b>79,440</b>	76,389	76,389
Support Costs	1,850	<b>1,850</b>	1,758	1,758
	<u>81,290</u>	<u><b>81,290</b></u>	<u>78,147</u>	<u>78,147</u>

### 10. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY ACTIVITY TYPE

	Activities Undertaken Directly £	Support Costs £	<b>Total funds 2022 £</b>	Total fund 2021 £
Publication of 'The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle	79,440	–	<b>79,440</b>	76,389
Governance costs	–	1,850	<b>1,850</b>	1,758
	<u>79,440</u>	<u>1,850</u>	<u><b>81,290</b></u>	<u>78,147</u>

### 11. NET (LOSSES)/GAINS ON INVESTMENTS

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2022 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Gains/(losses) on Investment Property	20,000	<b>20,000</b>	20,000	20,000
Gains/(Losses) on Listed Investments	(33,638)	<b>(33,638)</b>	46,748	46,748
	<u>(13,638)</u>	<u><b>(13,638)</b></u>	<u>66,748</u>	<u>66,748</u>

### 12. NET (EXPENDITURE)/INCOME

Net (expenditure)/income is stated after charging/(crediting):

	<b>2022 £</b>	2021 £
Depreciation of Tangible Fixed Assets	<u>567</u>	<u>756</u>

### 13. INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION FEES

	<b>2022 £</b>	2021 £
Fees Payable to the Independent Examiner for: Independent Examination of the Financial Statements	<u>1,850</u>	<u>1,760</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 14. STAFF COSTS

The total staff costs and employee benefits for the reporting period are analysed as follows:

	<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Wages and Salaries	<b>40,745</b>	38,700
Employer Contributions to Pension Plans	<b>1,539</b>	335
	<b><u>42,284</u></b>	<u>39,035</u>

The average head count of employees during the year was 2 (2021: 2). The average number of full-time equivalent employees during the year is analysed as follows:

	<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>
	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>
Number of Administrative Staff	<b><u>2</u></b>	<u>2</u>

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2021: Nil).

### 15. TRUSTEE REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

No remuneration or other benefits from employment with the Charity or a related entity were received by the Trustees.

No Trustee expenses have been incurred.

### 16. SHARE CAPITAL

	<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Authorised:		
10 Ordinary Shares of £250 each	<b>2,500</b>	2,500
Allotted, Issued and Fully Paid:		
10 Ordinary Shares of £250 each	<b><u>2,500</u></b>	<u>2,500</u>

### 17. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	<b>Goodwill</b>
	<b>£</b>
<b>Cost</b>	
<b>At 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022</b>	<b><u>1</u></b>
<b>Amortisation</b>	
<b>At 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022</b>	<b><u>-</u></b>
<b>Carrying amount</b>	
<b>At 31 December 2022</b>	<b><u>1</u></b>
At 31 December 2021	<u>1</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 18. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures and Fittings £	Equipment £	Total £
<b>Cost</b>			
<b>At 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022</b>	<u>7,780</u>	<u>2,809</u>	<u>10,589</u>
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 January 2022	7,354	969	8,323
Charge for the year	<u>107</u>	<u>460</u>	<u>567</u>
<b>At 31 December 2022</b>	<u>7,461</u>	<u>1,429</u>	<u>8,890</u>
<b>Carrying Amount</b>			
<b>At 31 December 2022</b>	<u>319</u>	<u>1,380</u>	<u>1,699</u>
At 31 December 2021	<u>426</u>	<u>1,840</u>	<u>2,266</u>

### 19. INVESTMENTS

	Listed Investments £	Investment Properties £	Total £
<b>Cost or Valuation</b>			
At 1 January 2022	282,636	450,000	732,636
Additions	165	–	165
Disposals	(52,000)	–	(52,000)
Fair value movements	<u>(33,638)</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>(13,638)</u>
<b>At 31 December 2022</b>	<u>197,163</u>	<u>470,000</u>	<u>667,163</u>
<b>Impairment</b>			
<b>At 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022</b>			<u>–</u>
<b>Carrying amount</b>			
<b>At 31 December 2022</b>	<u>197,163</u>	<u>470,000</u>	<u>667,163</u>
At 31 December 2021	<u>282,636</u>	<u>450,000</u>	<u>732,636</u>

All investments shown above are held at valuation.

#### Investment Properties

The property was revalued on 31 December 2022 by the Trustees, having regard to the values of adjacent properties at their last change of ownership.

#### Financial Assets Held at Fair Value

All fixed asset investments are included at market value.

### 20. DEBTORS

	2022 £	2021 £
Other Debtors	<u>6,426</u>	<u>855</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 21. CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year

	<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Accruals and Deferred Income	<b><u>3,891</u></b>	<b><u>3,688</u></b>

### 22. PENSIONS AND OTHER POST RETIREMENT BENEFITS

#### Defined Contribution Plans

The amount recognised in income or expenditure as an expense in relation to defined contribution plans was £1,539 (2021: £335).

### 23. ANALYSIS OF CHARITABLE FUNDS

#### Unrestricted Funds

	At 1 January 2022	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains and Losses £	At 31 December 2022 £
General Funds	273,410	36,194	(83,575)	–	<b>226,029</b>
Property Revaluation Reserve	318,020	–	–	20,000	<b>338,020</b>
Investments Revaluation Reserve	142,325	–	–	(33,638)	<b>108,687</b>
Share Capital	2,500	–	–	–	<b>2,500</b>
	<u>736,255</u>	<u>36,194</u>	<u>(83,575)</u>	<u>(13,638)</u>	<u><b>675,236</b></u>

	At 1 January 2021	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains and Losses £	At 31 December 2021 £
General Funds	289,683	49,678	(79,255)	13,304	273,410
Property Revaluation Reserve	298,020	–	–	20,000	318,020
Investments Revaluation Reserve	108,881	–	–	33,444	142,325
Share Capital	2,500	–	–	–	2,500
	<u>699,084</u>	<u>49,678</u>	<u>(79,255)</u>	<u>66,748</u>	<u>736,255</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

### 24. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds
	£	£
Intangible Assets	1	1
Tangible Fixed Assets	1,699	1,699
Investments	667,163	667,163
Current assets	10,264	10,264
Creditors less than 1 year	(3,891)	(3,891)
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>675,236</u>	<u>675,236</u>

  

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds
	£	£
Intangible Assets	1	1
Tangible Fixed Assets	2,266	2,266
Investments	732,636	732,636
Current assets	5,040	5,040
Creditors less than 1 year	(3,688)	(3,688)
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>736,255</u>	<u>736,255</u>

### 25. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The carrying amount for each category of financial instrument is as follows:

	2022	2021
	£	£
<b>Financial Assets Measured at Fair Value through Income and Expenditure</b>		
Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure	<u>197,163</u>	<u>282,636</u>

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

**MANAGEMENT INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022**

**The following pages do not form part of the financial statements.**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

	2022 £	2021 £
<b>Income and Endowments</b>		
<b>Donations and Legacies</b>		
Donations	554	1,108
Legacies	<u>6,000</u>	<u>14,437</u>
	<u>6,554</u>	<u>15,545</u>
<b>Other Trading Activities</b>		
Subscriptions	5,447	7,399
Advertisements	<u>353</u>	<u>1,336</u>
	<u>5,800</u>	<u>8,735</u>
<b>Investment Income</b>		
Rental Income	14,692	16,200
Income from Listed Investments	3,630	2,744
Finance Board Deposit Account - Income Received	<u>5,518</u>	<u>6,454</u>
	<u>23,840</u>	<u>25,398</u>
<b>Total Income</b>	<u>36,194</u>	<u>49,678</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

	2022	2021
	£	£
<b>Expenditure</b>		
<b>Investment Management Costs</b>		
Insurance	395	370
Repairs and Maintenance	–	108
Property Management Fees	1,890	630
	<u>2,285</u>	<u>1,108</u>
<b>Expenditure on Charitable Activities</b>		
<b>Publication of 'The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle</b>		
<i>Activities Undertaken Directly</i>		
Wages and Salaries	40,745	38,700
Pension Costs	1,539	335
Insurance	75	82
Legal Fees and Charges	13	163
Telephone	72	78
Depreciation	567	756
Publication and Printing Costs	24,084	25,619
Advertising	196	–
Travelling Expenses	168	192
Postage, Stationery and Office Expenses	11,981	10,462
	<u>79,440</u>	<u>76,387</u>
<b>Governance Costs</b>		
Governance Costs – Accountancy Fees	1,850	1,760
	<u>1,850</u>	<u>1,760</u>
<b>Expenditure on Charitable Activities</b>	<u>81,290</u>	<u>78,147</u>
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<u>83,575</u>	<u>79,255</u>
<b>Net (Losses)/Gains on Investments</b>		
Gains/(losses) on Investment Property	20,000	20,000
Gains/(losses) on Listed Investments	(33,638)	46,748
	<u>(13,638)</u>	<u>66,748</u>
<b>Net (Expenditure)/Income</b>	<u>(61,019)</u>	<u>37,171</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

		Market Value At 31.12.2022	Cost
		£	£
Aviva	768 25p Ordinary Shares	3,401	2,067
Barclays Bank	7,904 25p Ordinary Shares	12,529	4,085
Royal Dutch Shell	1,551 B Shares	36,075	1,529
L & G UK Equity Income Fund (R)	9829.551 Units	4,972	423
Lloyds Banking Group	13,689 25p Ordinary Shares	6,216	27,247
Glaxo Smith Kline	610 25p Ordinary Shares	8,769	121
Central Board of Finance of the Church of England Investment Fund	57 Shares	1,181	800
Central Board of Finance of the Church of England Equity Fund	69,581 Shares	124,020	89,123
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		<b>£ 197,163</b>	<b>£ 125,395</b>
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**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

England & Wales - Charity number 249957

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# Accounts

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**COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 0113222**

**CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 0249957**

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

**UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE  
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021**

**NEVILLE WESTON & COMPANY**

Chartered Certified Accountants

3 High Street

St Lawrence

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# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

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# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCORPORATING THE DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

The Trustees, who are also the Directors for the purposes of Company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the Charity for the year ended 31 December 2021.

### Reference and Administrative Details

**Registered Charity Name** The English Churchman Trust Limited

**Charity Registration Number** 0249957

**Company Registration Number** 0113222

**Principal Office and Registered Office** 15 Grange Court  
Cambridge  
CB3 9BD

**The Trustees** The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel  
Dr D A Scales

**Company Secretary** Dr D A Scales

**Independent Examiner** C J N Weston FCCA  
3 High Street  
St Lawrence  
Ramsgate  
Kent  
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### Structure, Governance and Management

The governing documents of the Trust are the Memorandum and Articles of Association, dated December 12<sup>th</sup>, 1910 as amended. The Trust is a Company limited by shares.

Fit persons are appointed as members of the Trust, when a vacancy occurs, in accordance with the requirements of Articles 6 to 17 and 21 to 25 of the Articles of Association.

### Objectives and Activities

The objects for which the Company is established are (Article 3) to promote the Protestant and Evangelical doctrines of the Church of England as set forth in the Thirty-nine Articles and the Homilies thereof, in particular by the publication of the English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle newspaper.

We have referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing our aims and objectives and in planning our future activities.

### Achievements and Performance

The Trust has continued to publish the English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle as a distinctive and uncompromising Protestant and Evangelical Family Newspaper, as required by the Memorandum of Association.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCORPORATING THE DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### Financial Review

The Trust has recorded a deficit of £29,577 of incoming resources over resources expended.

#### Reserves policy

In the Trustees' view, the reserves should provide the Charity with adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives for the foreseeable future. The Trustees propose to maintain the Charity's reserves at a level which is at least equivalent to three months operational expenditure.

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### Independent Examiner

A resolution to re-appoint C J N Weston, FCCA as Independent Examiner for the ensuing year will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

### Small Company Provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The Trustees' annual report was approved on  
of Trustees by:

2022 and signed on behalf of the board

.....  
**Dr D A Scales**  
Trustee

.....  
**The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel**  
Trustee

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**  
**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF**  
**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021**

I report to the Trustees on my examination of the financial statements of The English Churchman Trust Limited ('the Charity') for the year ended 31 December 2021.

**Responsibilities and Basis of Report**

As the Trustees of the Company (and also its Directors for the purposes of Company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the Charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

**Independent Examiner's Statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
3. the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
4. the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

3 High Street  
St Lawrence  
Ramsgate  
Kent  
CT11 0QL

**C J N Weston FCCA**  
**Independent Examiner**  
  
**Neville Weston & Company**  
**Chartered Certified Accountants**

**2022**

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**  
**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES**  
**(INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT)**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021**

		2021		2020
		Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds	Total Funds
	Note	£	£	£
<b>Income and Endowments</b>				
Donations and Legacies	5	15,545	<b>15,545</b>	7,487
Other Trading Activities	6	8,735	<b>8,735</b>	7,703
Investment Income	7	25,398	<b>25,398</b>	25,046
<b>Total Income</b>		<u>49,678</u>	<u><b>49,678</b></u>	<u>40,236</u>
<b>Expenditure</b>				
Expenditure on Raising Funds:				
Investment Management Costs	8	1,108	<b>1,108</b>	342
Expenditure on Charitable Activities	9,10	78,147	<b>78,147</b>	46,330
<b>Total Expenditure</b>		<u>79,255</u>	<u><b>79,255</b></u>	<u>46,672</u>
Net Gains/(Losses) on Investments	11	66,748	<b>66,748</b>	(21,476)
<b>Net Income/(Expenditure) and Net Movement in Funds</b>		<u>37,171</u>	<u><b>37,171</b></u>	<u>(27,912)</u>
<b>Reconciliation of Funds</b>				
Total Funds Brought Forward		699,084	<b>699,084</b>	726,996
<b>Total Funds Carried Forward</b>		<u>736,255</u>	<u><b>736,255</b></u>	<u>699,084</u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.  
All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 6 to 15 form part of these financial statements.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

	Note	2021 £	£	2020 £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>				
Intangible Assets	17		1	1
Tangible Fixed Assets	18		2,266	1,023
Investments	19		<u>732,636</u>	<u>698,052</u>
			<b>734,903</b>	<b>699,076</b>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>				
Debtors	20	855		442
Cash at Bank and in Hand		<u>4,185</u>		<u>3,094</u>
		<b>5,040</b>		<b>3,536</b>
<b>CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year</b>				
	21		<u>3,688</u>	<u>3,528</u>
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>			<u>1,352</u>	<u>8</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			<u>736,255</u>	<u>699,084</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>			<u>736,255</u>	<u>699,084</u>
<b>FUNDS OF THE CHARITY</b>				
Unrestricted Funds			<u>736,255</u>	<u>699,084</u>
<b>TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS</b>			<u>736,255</u>	<u>699,084</u>

For the year ending 31 December 2021 the Charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The Directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

These financial statements were approved by the board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 2022, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

.....  
**Dr D A Scales**  
Trustee

.....  
**The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel**  
Trustee

**The notes on pages 6 to 15 form part of these financial statements.**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Charity is a private limited Company, registered in England and Wales and a registered Charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is 15 Grange Court, Cambridge, CB3 9BD.

### 2. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the 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) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

#### **Going Concern**

There are no material uncertainties about the Charity's ability to continue.

#### **Judgements and Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty**

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

#### **Fund Accounting**

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees to further any of the Charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the Trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Incoming Resources**

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the Charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

#### **Resources Expended**

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a Charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the Charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the Charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Tangible Assets**

Tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

An increase in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of a revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, unless it reverses a charge for impairment that has previously been recognised as expenditure within the statement of financial activities. A decrease in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, except to which it offsets any previous revaluation gain, in which case the loss is shown within other recognised gains and losses on the statement of financial activities.

#### **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Fixtures and Fittings	- 25% reducing balance
Equipment	- 25% reducing balance

#### **Investments**

Unlisted equity investments are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently measured at fair value. If fair value cannot be reliably measured, assets are measured at cost less impairment.

Listed investments are measured at fair value with changes in fair value being recognised in income or expenditure.

#### **Investment Property**

Investment property is initially recorded at cost, which includes purchase price and any directly attributable expenditure.

Investment property is revalued to its fair value at each reporting date and any changes in fair value are recognised in income or expenditure.

If a reliable measure of fair value is no longer available without undue cost or effort for an item of investment property, it shall be transferred to tangible assets and treated as such until it is expected that fair value will be reliably measurable on an on-going basis.

#### **Impairment of Fixed Assets**

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Impairment of Fixed Assets** *(continued)*

For the purposes of impairment testing, when it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

For impairment testing of goodwill, the goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the Charity are assigned to those units.

#### **Financial Instruments**

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Where investments in shares or preference shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

#### **Defined Contribution Plans**

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is provided. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund.

When contributions are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the end of the reporting date in which the employees render the related service, the liability is measured on a discounted present value basis. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as an expense in the period in which it arises.

### 4. LIMITED BY SHARES

The Charity is a private Company limited by shares

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 5. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
<b>DONATIONS</b>				
Donations	1,108	<b>1,108</b>	2,487	2,487
<b>LEGACIES</b>				
Legacies	14,437	<b>14,437</b>	5,000	5,000
	<u>15,545</u>	<u><b>15,545</b></u>	<u>7,487</u>	<u>7,487</u>

### 6. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Subscriptions	7,399	<b>7,399</b>	6,616	6,616
Advertisements	1,336	<b>1,336</b>	1,087	1,087
	<u>8,735</u>	<u><b>8,735</b></u>	<u>7,703</u>	<u>7,703</u>

### 7. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Rental Income	16,200	<b>16,200</b>	16,200	16,200
Income from Listed Investments	2,744	<b>2,744</b>	1,996	1,996
Finance Board Funds - Income Received	6,454	<b>6,454</b>	6,850	6,850
	<u>25,398</u>	<u><b>25,398</b></u>	<u>25,046</u>	<u>25,046</u>

### 8. INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COSTS

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Insurance	370	<b>370</b>	342	342
Repairs and Maintenance	108	<b>108</b>	–	–
Property Management Fees	630	<b>630</b>	–	–
	<u>1,108</u>	<u><b>1,108</b></u>	<u>342</u>	<u>342</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 9. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY FUND TYPE

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Publication of "The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle"	76,387	<b>76,387</b>	44,730	44,730
Support Costs	1,760	<b>1,760</b>	1,600	1,600
	<u>78,147</u>	<u><b>78,147</b></u>	<u>46,330</u>	<u>46,330</u>

### 10. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY ACTIVITY TYPE

	Activities Undertaken Directly £	Support Costs £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Total Funds 2020 £
Publication of "The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle"	76,387	–	<b>76,387</b>	44,730
Governance Costs	–	1,760	<b>1,760</b>	1,600
	<u>76,387</u>	<u>1,760</u>	<u><b>78,147</b></u>	<u>46,330</u>

### 11. NET GAINS/(LOSSES) ON INVESTMENTS

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2021 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Gains/(Losses) on Investment Property	20,000	<b>20,000</b>	5,000	5,000
Gains/(Losses) on Listed Investments	46,748	<b>46,748</b>	(26,476)	(26,476)
	<u>66,748</u>	<u><b>66,748</b></u>	<u>(21,476)</u>	<u>(21,476)</u>

### 12. NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)

Net income/(expenditure) is stated after charging/(crediting):

	<b>2021 £</b>	2020 £
Depreciation of Tangible Fixed Assets	<u>756</u>	<u>341</u>

### 13. INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION FEES

	<b>2021 £</b>	2020 £
Fees Payable to the Independent Examiner for: Independent Examination of the Financial Statements	<u>1,760</u>	<u>1,600</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 14. STAFF COSTS

The total staff costs and employee benefits for the reporting period are analysed as follows:

	<b>2021</b>	2020
	<b>£</b>	£
Wages and Salaries	<b>38,700</b>	7,200
Employer Contributions to Pension Plans	<b>335</b>	–
	<u><b>39,035</b></u>	<u>7,200</u>

The average head count of employees during the year was 2 (2020: 1). The average number of full-time equivalent employees during the year is analysed as follows:

	<b>2021</b>	2020
	<b>No.</b>	No.
Number of Administrative Staff	<u><b>2</b></u>	<u>1</u>

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2020: Nil).

### 15. TRUSTEE REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

No remuneration or other benefits from employment with the Charity or a related entity were received by the Trustees

No Trustee expenses have been incurred

### 16. SHARE CAPITAL

	<b>2021</b>	2020
	<b>£</b>	£
Authorised:		
10 Ordinary Shares of £250 each	<b>2,500</b>	2,500
Allotted, Issued and Fully Paid:		
10 Ordinary Shares of £250 each	<b>2,500</b>	2,500

### 17. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	<b>Goodwill</b>
	<b>£</b>
<b>Cost</b>	
<b>At 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021</b>	<u><b>1</b></u>
<b>Amortisation</b>	
<b>At 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021</b>	<u>–</u>
<b>Carrying amount</b>	
<b>At 31 December 2021</b>	<u><b>1</b></u>
At 31 December 2020	<u>1</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 18. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures and Fittings £	Equipment £	Total £
<b>Cost</b>			
At 1 January 2021	7,780	810	<b>8,590</b>
Additions	–	1,999	<b>1,999</b>
<b>At 31 December 2021</b>	<u>7,780</u>	<u>2,809</u>	<u><b>10,589</b></u>
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 January 2021	7,212	355	<b>7,567</b>
Charge for the year	142	614	<b>756</b>
<b>At 31 December 2021</b>	<u>7,354</u>	<u>969</u>	<u><b>8,323</b></u>
<b>Carrying amount</b>			
<b>At 31 December 2021</b>	<u>426</u>	<u>1,840</u>	<u><b>2,266</b></u>
At 31 December 2020	<u>568</u>	<u>455</u>	<u><i>1,023</i></u>

### 19. INVESTMENTS

	Listed Investments £	Investment Properties £	Total £
<b>Cost or Valuation</b>			
At 1 January 2021	268,052	430,000	<b>698,052</b>
Additions	15,336	–	<b>15,336</b>
Disposals	(47,500)	–	<b>(47,500)</b>
Fair value movements	46,748	20,000	<b>66,748</b>
<b>At 31 December 2021</b>	<u>282,636</u>	<u>450,000</u>	<u><b>732,636</b></u>
<b>Impairment</b>			
<b>At 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021</b>			<u>–</u>
<b>Carrying amount</b>			
<b>At 31 December 2021</b>	<u>282,636</u>	<u>450,000</u>	<u><b>732,636</b></u>
At 31 December 2020	<u>268,052</u>	<u>430,000</u>	<u><i>698,052</i></u>

All investments shown above are held at valuation.

#### Investment Properties

The property was revalued on 31 December 2021 by the Trustees, having regard to the values of adjacent properties at their last change of ownership.

#### Financial Assets Held at Fair Value

All fixed asset investments are included at market value

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 20. DEBTORS

	2021	2020
	£	£
Other Debtors	<u>855</u>	<u>442</u>

### 21. CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year

	2021	2020
	£	£
Accruals and Deferred Income	<u>3,688</u>	<u>3,528</u>

### 22. PENSIONS AND OTHER POST RETIREMENT BENEFITS

#### Defined Contribution Plans

The amount recognised in income or expenditure as an expense in relation to defined contribution plans was £335 (2020: £Nil).

### 23. ANALYSIS OF CHARITABLE FUNDS

#### Unrestricted Funds

	At 1 January 2021	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains and Losses £	At 31 December 2021 £
General Funds	289,683	49,678	(79,255)	13,304	<b>273,410</b>
Property Revaluation Reserve	298,020	–	–	20,000	<b>318,020</b>
Investments Revaluation Reserve	108,881	–	–	33,444	<b>142,325</b>
Share Capital	2,500	–	–	–	<b>2,500</b>
	<u>699,084</u>	<u>49,678</u>	<u>(79,255)</u>	<u>66,748</u>	<u><b>736,255</b></u>

	At 1 January 2020	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains and Losses £	At 31 December 2020 £
General Funds	296,119	40,236	(46,672)	–	289,683
Property Revaluation Reserve	293,020	–	–	5,000	298,020
Investments Revaluation Reserve	135,357	–	–	(26,476)	108,881
Share Capital	2,500	–	–	–	2,500
	<u>726,996</u>	<u>40,236</u>	<u>(46,672)</u>	<u>(21,476)</u>	<u>699,084</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

### 24. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Intangible Assets	1	1
Tangible Fixed Assets	2,266	2,266
Investments	732,636	732,636
Current Assets	5,040	5,040
Creditors Less than 1 Year	(3,688)	(3,688)
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>736,255</u>	<u>736,255</u>

  

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Intangible Assets	1	1
Tangible Fixed Assets	1,023	1,023
Investments	698,052	698,052
Current Assets	3,536	3,536
Creditors Less than 1 Year	(3,528)	(3,528)
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>699,084</u>	<u>699,084</u>

### 25. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The carrying amount for each category of financial instrument is as follows:

	2021 £	2020 £
<b>Financial Assets Measured at Fair Value through Income and Expenditure</b>		
Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure	<u>282,636</u>	<u>268,052</u>

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

**MANAGEMENT INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
31 DECEMBER 2021**

**The following pages do not form part of the financial statements.**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

	2021 £	2020 £
<b>Income and Endowments</b>		
<b>Donations and Legacies</b>		
Donations	1,108	2,487
Legacies	14,437	5,000
	<u>15,545</u>	<u>7,487</u>
<b>Other Trading Activities</b>		
Subscriptions	7,399	6,616
Advertisements	1,336	1,087
	<u>8,735</u>	<u>7,703</u>
<b>Investment Income</b>		
Rental Income	16,200	16,200
Income from Listed Investments	2,744	1,996
Finance Board Funds - Income Received	6,454	6,850
	<u>25,398</u>	<u>25,046</u>
<b>Total Income</b>	<u>49,678</u>	<u>40,236</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

	2021	2020
	£	£
<b>Expenditure</b>		
<b>Investment Management Costs</b>		
Insurance	370	342
Repairs and Maintenance	108	–
Property Management Fees	630	–
	<u>1,108</u>	<u>342</u>
<b>Expenditure on Charitable Activities</b>		
Wages and Salaries	38,700	7,200
Pension Costs	335	–
Insurance	82	75
Legal and Professional Fees	163	13
Telephone	78	80
Depreciation	756	341
Publication and Printing Costs	25,619	22,904
Advertising	–	1,238
Travelling Expenses	192	69
Printing, Stationery and Office Expenses	10,462	12,810
	<u>76,387</u>	<u>44,730</u>
<b>Governance Costs</b>		
Governance Costs - Accountancy Fees	1,760	1,600
<b>Expenditure on Charitable Activities</b>	<u>78,147</u>	<u>46,330</u>
<b>Net Gains/(Losses) on Investments</b>		
Gains/(Losses) on Investment Property	20,000	5,000
Gains/(Losses) on Listed Investments	46,748	(26,476)
	<u>66,748</u>	<u>(21,476)</u>
<b>Net Income/(Expenditure)</b>	<u>37,171</u>	<u>(27,912)</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

		<b>Market Value At 31.12.2021</b>	<b>Cost</b>
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Aviva	768 25p Ordinary Shares	3,152	2,067
Barclays Bank	7,904 25p Ordinary Shares	14,780	4,085
Royal Dutch Shell	1,551 B Shares	25,154	1,529
L & G UK Equity Income Fund (R)	9829.551 Units	4,990	423
Lloyds Banking Group	13,431 25p Ordinary Shares	6,420	27,082
Glaxo Smith Kline	763 25p Ordinary Shares	12,258	121
Central Board of Finance of the Church of England Investment Fund	1,434 Shares	33,577	20,127
Central Board of Finance of the Church of England Equity Fund	82,013 Shares	182,305	105,047
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		<b>£ 282,636</b>	<b>£ 160,481</b>
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**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

England & Wales - Charity number 249957

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# Accounts

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**COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 0113222**

**CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 0249957**

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

**UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
31 DECEMBER 2020**

**NEVILLE WESTON & COMPANY**

**Chartered Certified Accountants**

**3 High Street**

**St Lawrence**

**Ramsgate**

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# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

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# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCORPORATING THE DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

The Trustees, who are also the Directors for the purposes of Company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the Charity for the year ended 31 December 2020.

### Reference and Administrative Details

**Registered Charity Name**            The English Churchman Trust Limited

**Charity Registration Number**    0249957

**Company Registration Number**   0113222

**Registered Office**                    15 Grange Court  
Cambridge  
CB3 9BD

**The Trustees**                         The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel  
Dr D A Scales

**Company Secretary**                Dr D A Scales

**Independent Examiner**            C J N Weston FCCA  
3 High Street  
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### Structure, Governance and Management

The governing documents of the Trust are the Memorandum and Articles of Association, dated December 12<sup>th</sup>, 1910 as amended. The Trust is a Company limited by shares.

Fit persons are appointed as members of the Trust, when a vacancy occurs, in accordance with the requirements of Articles 6 to 17 and 21 to 25 of the Articles of Association.

### Objects and Activities

The objects for which the Company is established are (Article 3) to promote the Protestant and Evangelical doctrines of the Church of England as set forth in the Thirty-nine Articles and the Homilies thereof, in particular by the publication of the English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle newspaper.

We have referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing our aims and objectives and in planning our future activities.

# **THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**

## **TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCORPORATING THE DIRECTOR'S REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020**

### **Achievements and Performance**

The Trust has continued to publish the English Churchman and St. James's Chronicle as a distinctive and uncompromising Protestant and Evangelical Family Newspaper, as required by the Memorandum of Association.

### **Financial Review**

The Trust has recorded a deficit of £6,436 of incoming resources over resources expended.

### **Reserves Policy**

In the Trustees' view, the reserves should provide the Charity with adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives for the foreseeable future. The Trustees propose to maintain the Charity's reserves at a level which is at least equivalent to three months operational expenditure.

### **Independent Examiner**

A resolution to re-appoint C J N Weston, FCCA as Independent Examiner for the ensuing year will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

### **Small Company Provisions**

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The Trustees' annual report was approved on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021 and signed on behalf of the board of Trustees by:

.....  
**Dr D A Scales**  
Trustee

.....  
**The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel**  
Trustee

**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**  
**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF**  
**THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020**

I report to the Trustees on my examination of the financial statements of The English Churchman Trust Limited ('the Charity') for the year ended 31 December 2020.

**Responsibilities and Basis of Report**

As the Trustees of the Company (and also its Directors for the purposes of Company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the Charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

**Independent Examiner's Statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
3. the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
4. the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

3 High Street  
St Lawrence  
Ramsgate  
Kent  
CT11 0QL

**C J N Weston FCCA**  
**Independent Examiner**

**Neville Weston & Company**  
**Chartered Certified Accountants**

**2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

	Note	2020		2019
		Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
<b>Income and Endowments</b>				
Donations and legacies	5	7,487	7,487	31,122
Other trading activities	6	7,703	7,703	8,231
Investment income	7	25,046	25,046	27,699
<b>Total Income</b>		<u>40,236</u>	<u>40,236</u>	<u>67,052</u>
<b>Expenditure</b>				
Expenditure on raising funds:				
Investment management costs	8	342	342	1,260
Expenditure on charitable activities	9,10	46,330	46,330	43,321
<b>Total Expenditure</b>		<u>46,672</u>	<u>46,672</u>	<u>44,581</u>
Net (losses)/gains on investments	11	(21,476)	(21,476)	49,997
<b>Net (Expenditure)/Income and Net Movement in Funds</b>		<u>(27,912)</u>	<u>(27,912)</u>	<u>72,468</u>
<b>Reconciliation of Funds</b>				
Total funds brought forward		726,996	726,996	654,528
<b>Total Funds Carried Forward</b>		<u>699,084</u>	<u>699,084</u>	<u>726,996</u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.  
All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 6 to 15 form part of these financial statements.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2020

	Note	2020 £	2019 £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>			
Intangible assets	17	1	1
Tangible fixed assets	18	1,023	1,364
Investments	19	698,052	722,028
		<u>699,076</u>	<u>723,393</u>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Debtors	20	442	959
Cash at bank and in hand		3,094	6,037
		<u>3,536</u>	<u>6,996</u>
<b>CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year</b>	21	<u>3,528</u>	<u>3,393</u>
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<u>8</u>	<u>3,603</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<u>699,084</u>	<u>726,996</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<u>699,084</u>	<u>726,996</u>
<b>FUNDS OF THE CHARITY</b>			
Unrestricted funds		<u>699,084</u>	<u>726,996</u>
<b>TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS</b>	22	<u>699,084</u>	<u>726,996</u>

For the year ending 31 December 2020 the Charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The Directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

These financial statements were approved by the board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

.....  
**Dr D A Scales**  
Trustee

.....  
**The Rt Rev Dr D N Samuel**  
Trustee

**The notes on pages 6 to 15 form part of these financial statements.**

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Charity is a private limited Company, registered in England and Wales and a registered Charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is 15 Grange Court, Cambridge, CB3 9BD.

### 2. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the 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) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

#### **Going Concern**

There are no material uncertainties about the Charity's ability to continue.

#### **Judgements and Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty**

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

#### **Fund Accounting**

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees to further any of the Charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the Trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Incoming Resources**

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the Charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

#### **Resources Expended**

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a Charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the Charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the Charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Tangible Assets**

Tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

An increase in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of a revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, unless it reverses a charge for impairment that has previously been recognised as expenditure within the statement of financial activities. A decrease in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, except to which it offsets any previous revaluation gain, in which case the loss is shown within other recognised gains and losses on the statement of financial activities.

#### **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Fixtures and fittings	-	25% reducing balance
Equipment	-	25% reducing balance

#### **Investments**

Unlisted equity investments are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently measured at fair value. If fair value cannot be reliably measured, assets are measured at cost less impairment.

Listed investments are measured at fair value with changes in fair value being recognised in income or expenditure.

#### **Investment Property**

Investment property is initially recorded at cost, which includes purchase price and any directly attributable expenditure.

Investment property is revalued to its fair value at each reporting date and any changes in fair value are recognised in income or expenditure.

If a reliable measure of fair value is no longer available without undue cost or effort for an item of investment property, it shall be transferred to tangible assets and treated as such until it is expected that fair value will be reliably measurable on an on-going basis.

#### **Impairment of Fixed Assets**

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date.

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### 3. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

#### **Impairment of Fixed Assets** *(continued)*

For the purposes of impairment testing, when it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

For impairment testing of goodwill, the goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the Charity are assigned to those units.

#### **Financial Instruments**

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Where investments in shares or preference shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

### 4. LIMITED BY SHARES

The Charity is a private Company limited by shares

### 5. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2020 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2019 £
<b>DONATIONS</b>				
Donations	2,487	<b>2,487</b>	3,785	3,785
<b>LEGACIES</b>				
Legacies	5,000	<b>5,000</b>	27,337	27,337
	<u>7,487</u>	<u><b>7,487</b></u>	<u>31,122</u>	<u>31,122</u>

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### 6. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2019
	£	£	£	£
Subscriptions	6,616	<b>6,616</b>	6,660	6,660
Sales : Trade	–	–	37	37
Advertisements	1,087	<b>1,087</b>	1,534	1,534
	<u>7,703</u>	<u><b>7,703</b></u>	<u>8,231</u>	<u>8,231</u>

### 7. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2019
	£	£	£	£
Rental Income	16,200	<b>16,200</b>	16,200	16,200
Income from Listed Investments	1,996	<b>1,996</b>	5,417	5,417
Finance Board Deposit Account - Income Received	6,850	<b>6,850</b>	6,082	6,082
	<u>25,046</u>	<u><b>25,046</b></u>	<u>27,699</u>	<u>27,699</u>

### 8. INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COSTS

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2019
	£	£	£	£
Insurance	342	<b>342</b>	330	330
Repairs and Maintenance	–	–	930	930
	<u>342</u>	<u><b>342</b></u>	<u>1,260</u>	<u>1,260</u>

### 9. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY FUND TYPE

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2019
	£	£	£	£
Publication of 'The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle	44,731	<b>44,731</b>	41,769	41,769
Support Costs	1,599	<b>1,599</b>	1,552	1,552
	<u>46,330</u>	<u><b>46,330</b></u>	<u>43,321</u>	<u>43,321</u>

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### 10. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY ACTIVITY TYPE

	Activities Undertaken Directly £	Support Costs £	<b>Total Funds 2020 £</b>	Total Funds 2019 £
Publication of 'The English Churchman and St James's Chronicle	44,731	–	44,731	41,769
Governance Costs	–	1,599	1,599	1,552
	<u>44,731</u>	<u>1,599</u>	<u>46,330</u>	<u>43,321</u>

### 11. NET (LOSSES)/GAINS ON INVESTMENTS

	Unrestricted Funds £	<b>Total Funds 2020 £</b>	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2019 £
Gains/(Losses) on Investment Property	5,000	5,000	10,000	10,000
Gains/(Losses) on Listed Investments	(26,476)	(26,476)	39,997	39,997
	<u>(21,476)</u>	<u>(21,476)</u>	<u>49,997</u>	<u>49,997</u>

### 12. NET (EXPENDITURE)/INCOME

Net (expenditure)/income is stated after charging/(crediting):

	<b>2020 £</b>	2019 £
Depreciation of Tangible Fixed Assets	<u>341</u>	<u>456</u>

### 13. INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION FEES

	<b>2020 £</b>	2019 £
Fees Payable to the Independent Examiner for: Independent Examination of the Financial Statements	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,550</u>

### 14. STAFF COSTS

The total staff costs and employee benefits for the reporting period are analysed as follows:

	<b>2020 £</b>	2019 £
Wages and Salaries	<u>7,200</u>	<u>7,200</u>

The average head count of employees during the year was 1 (2019: 1). The average number of full-time equivalent employees during the year is analysed as follows:

	<b>2020 No.</b>	2019 No.
Number of Administrative Staff	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2019: Nil).

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### 15. TRUSTEE REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

No remuneration or other benefits from employment with the Charity or a related entity were received by the Trustees.

No Trustee expenses have been incurred.

### 16. SHARE CAPITAL

	<b>2020</b>	<i>2019</i>
	<b>£</b>	<i>£</i>
Authorised:		
10 Ordinary Shares of £250 each	<b>2,500</b>	<i>2,500</i>
Allotted, Issued and Fully Paid:		
10 Ordinary Shares of £250 each	<b>2,500</b>	<i>2,500</i>

### 17. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	<b>Goodwill</b>
	<b>£</b>
<b>Cost</b>	
<b>At 1 January 2020 and 31 December 2020</b>	<b><u>1</u></b>
<b>Amortisation</b>	
<b>At 1 January 2020 and 31 December 2020</b>	<b><u>–</u></b>
<b>Carrying amount</b>	
<b>At 31 December 2020</b>	<b><u>1</u></b>
At 31 December 2019	<i><u>1</u></i>

### 18. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures and Fittings	Equipment	<b>Total</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Cost</b>			
<b>At 1 January 2020 and 31 December 2020</b>	<b><u>7,780</u></b>	<b><u>810</u></b>	<b><u>8,590</u></b>
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 January 2020	7,023	203	7,226
Charge for the year	189	152	341
<b>At 31 December 2020</b>	<b><u>7,212</u></b>	<b><u>355</u></b>	<b><u>7,567</u></b>
<b>Carrying amount</b>			
<b>At 31 December 2020</b>	<b><u>568</u></b>	<b><u>455</u></b>	<b><u>1,023</u></b>
At 31 December 2019	<i><u>757</u></i>	<i><u>607</u></i>	<i><u>1,364</u></i>

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### 19. INVESTMENTS

	Listed Investments £	Investment Properties £	Total £
<b>Cost or Valuation</b>			
At 1 January 2020	297,028	425,000	<b>722,028</b>
Additions	–	–	–
Disposals	(2,500)	–	<b>(2,500)</b>
Fair value movements	(26,476)	5,000	<b>(21,476)</b>
<b>At 31 December 2020</b>	<u>268,052</u>	<u>430,000</u>	<u><b>698,052</b></u>
<b>Impairment</b>			
At 1 January 2020 and 31 December 2020			–
<b>Carrying amount</b>			
At 31 December 2020	<u>268,052</u>	<u>430,000</u>	<u><b>698,052</b></u>
At 31 December 2019	<u>297,028</u>	<u>425,000</u>	<u>722,028</u>

All investments shown above are held at valuation.

#### Investment Properties

The property was revalued on 31 December 2020 by the Trustees, having regard to the values of adjacent properties at their last change of ownership.

#### Financial Assets held at Fair Value

All fixed asset investments are included at market value.

### 20. DEBTORS

	2020 £	2019 £
Other debtors	<u>442</u>	<u>959</u>

### 21. CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year

	2020 £	2019 £
Accruals and deferred income	<u>3,528</u>	<u>3,393</u>

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### 22. ANALYSIS OF CHARITABLE FUNDS

#### Unrestricted Funds

	At 1 January 2020	Income	Expenditure	Gains and Losses	At 31 December 2020
	£	£	£	£	£
General funds	296,119	40,236	(46,672)	–	<b>289,683</b>
Property Revaluation Reserve	293,020	–	–	5,000	<b>298,020</b>
Investments Revaluation Reserve	135,357	–	–	(26,476)	<b>108,881</b>
Share Capital	2,500	–	–	–	<b>2,500</b>
	<u>726,996</u>	<u>40,236</u>	<u>(46,672)</u>	<u>(21,476)</u>	<u><b>699,084</b></u>

	At 1 January 2019	Income	Expenditure	Gains and Losses	At 31 December 2019
	£	£	£	£	£
General funds	273,648	67,052	(44,581)	–	296,119
Property Revaluation Reserve	283,020	–	–	10,000	293,020
Investments Revaluation Reserve	95,360	–	–	39,997	135,357
Share Capital	2,500	–	–	–	2,500
	<u>654,528</u>	<u>67,052</u>	<u>(44,581)</u>	<u>49,997</u>	<u>726,996</u>

### 23. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£
Intangible assets	1	1
Tangible fixed assets	1,023	1,023
Investments	698,052	698,052
Current assets	3,536	3,536
Creditors less than 1 year	(3,528)	(3,528)
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>699,084</u>	<u><b>699,084</b></u>

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2019
	£	£
Intangible assets	1	1
Tangible fixed assets	1,364	1,364
Investments	722,028	722,028
Current assets	6,996	6,996
Creditors less than 1 year	(3,393)	(3,393)
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>726,996</u>	<u>726,996</u>

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**24. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The carrying amount for each category of financial instrument is as follows:

	<b>2020</b>	2019
	<b>£</b>	£
<b>Financial Assets Measured at Fair Value through Income and Expenditure</b>		
Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure	<b><u>268,052</u></b>	<u>297,030</u>

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**MANAGEMENT INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
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**The following pages do not form part of the financial statements.**

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## DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

	2020 £	2019 £
<b>Income and Endowments</b>		
<b>Donations and Legacies</b>		
Donations	2,487	3,785
Legacies	<u>5,000</u>	<u>27,337</u>
	<u>7,487</u>	<u>31,122</u>
 <b>Other Trading Activities</b>		
Subscriptions	6,616	6,660
Sales : Trade	–	37
Advertisements	<u>1,087</u>	<u>1,534</u>
	<u>7,703</u>	<u>8,231</u>
 <b>Investment Income</b>		
Rental income	16,200	16,200
Income from listed investments	1,996	5,417
Finance Board Deposit Account - income received	<u>6,850</u>	<u>6,082</u>
	<u>25,046</u>	<u>27,699</u>
 <b>Total Income</b>	<u>40,236</u>	<u>67,052</u>
 <b>Expenditure</b>		
<b>Investment Management Costs</b>		
Insurance	342	330
Repairs and Maintenance	–	930
	<u>342</u>	<u>1,260</u>
 <b>Expenditure on Charitable Activities</b>		
<b>Publication of ‘The English Churchman and St James’s Chronicle’</b>		
Wages and salaries	7,200	7,200
Insurance	75	87
Legal and professional fees	1,612	1,565
Telephone	80	234
Depreciation	341	456
Publication and printing costs	22,904	22,411
Advertising	1,238	–
Travelling expenses	69	77
Printing, stationery and office expenses	<u>12,811</u>	<u>11,291</u>
	<u>46,330</u>	<u>43,321</u>
 <b>Total Expenditure</b>	<u>46,672</u>	<u>44,581</u>
 <b>Net (Losses)/Gains on Investments</b>		
Gains/(losses) on investment property	5,000	10,000
Gains/(losses) on listed investments	<u>(26,476)</u>	<u>39,997</u>
	<u>(21,476)</u>	<u>49,997</u>
 <b>Net (Expenditure)/Income</b>	<u>27,912</u>	<u>72,468</u>

# THE ENGLISH CHURCHMAN TRUST LIMITED

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2020

		Market Value At 31.12.2020	Cost
		£	£
Aviva	768 25p Ordinary Shares	2,498	2,067
Barclays Bank	7,904 25p Ordinary Shares	11,593	4,085
Royal Dutch Shell	1,551 B Shares	19,533	1,529
L & G UK Equity Income Fund (R)	9829.551 Units	4,613	423
Lloyds Banking Group	12,054 25p Ordinary Shares	4,638	26,379
Glaxo Smith Kline	763 25p Ordinary Shares	10,238	121
Central Board of Finance of the Church of England Investment Fund	2,924 Shares	59,903	19,522
Central Board of Finance of the Church of England Equity Fund	82,013 Shares	155,036	105,047
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		<b>£ 268,052</b>	<b>£ 159,173</b>
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