

EXETER CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA

England & Wales · Charity number 254924

Details

Other names	Good News Church
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	1968-03-11
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

Contact

Address Exeter Christadelphians
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Activities

Objects: ACCEPTING AND PROFESSING THE DOCTRINE AND PRECEPTS OF CHRIST AND APOSTOLIC WRITINGS AS DEFINED IN THE "BIRMINGHAM AMENDED STATEMENT OF FAITH

Activities: To preach the good news of the kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ. To support and encourage our members and all those connected with them to reflect the character of God as exemplified by His son, Jesus Christ. To show the characteristics of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self control in all of our activities.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Other Charitable Activities
- **What:** Education/training, Religious Activities
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, Other Defined Groups, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Devon

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£20,644	£22,446	-	-
2024-03-31	£55,171	£44,032	-	-
2023-03-31	£38,684	£45,044	-	-
2022-03-31	£30,759	£38,672	-	-
2021-03-31	£33,940	£22,921	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Anne Avery		2019-07-16
Jennifer Bateman		2021-01-28
Linda Ruth Reed		2024-07-16
SIMON PALMER		
Stephen James Bilton		2022-02-07

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A Avery

J Bateman

S Bilton

No remuneration is paid for any work undertaken by the Trustees.

Membership

Membership is 58 (plus 9 inactive members).

Finance

Total income during the year was £55,171.10. Total expenditure was £44,031.72. Income exceeded expenditure by £11,139.38 for the year compared with a deficit of £6,359.99 in 2022/23.

All accounts due to or by the church have been cleared.

Preaching

This year there have been further Bible Studies, Bible Reading Groups, Seminars and a weekly Café all of which have continued throughout the year.

Outreach

Fortnightly meals are provided for visitors and support is given to assist the needy with life's challenges.

Future

By the grace of God, and subject to His will, the Trustees of the church will continue to make similar arrangements as in the past year, while we wait in faith, hope and patience for the Lord Jesus to return.

On Behalf of the Trustees of the church

Simon Palmer (Secretary)



Statement of Account for the Year End 31 March 2024

INCOME

Funds in hand at 1.4.23 **£27,486.49**

Receipts during the year:

Members subscriptions & donations:

Gen Fund	28,448.60	
Hall fund	564.06	
Exeter Donations	212.96	
Kenya Appeal	1,946.24	
Charitable Appeals	13,974.34	
		45,146.20

HMRC Claims	4,714.23	
Interest on bank balances	1,110.67	
Welfare Grant	4,200.00	
		£10,024.90

£55,171.10

£82,657.59

EXPENDITURE

Funds in hand at 31 March 2024 **£38,625.87**

Paid out during the year:

Gen Fund	£23,906.65	
Hall Fund	537.08	
Exeter Donations	250.00	
Kenya Appeal	2,639.00	
Charitable Appeals	13,198.99	
		£40,531.72

Welfare Grants	3,500.00	
		£3,500.00

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Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees

EXETER CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH

On accounts for the year
ended

31 March 2024

Charity no
(if any)

254924

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Independent
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records.

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.

Signed:

[Signature]

Date:

12 JAN 2025

Name:

Fiona Swain

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

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Address:

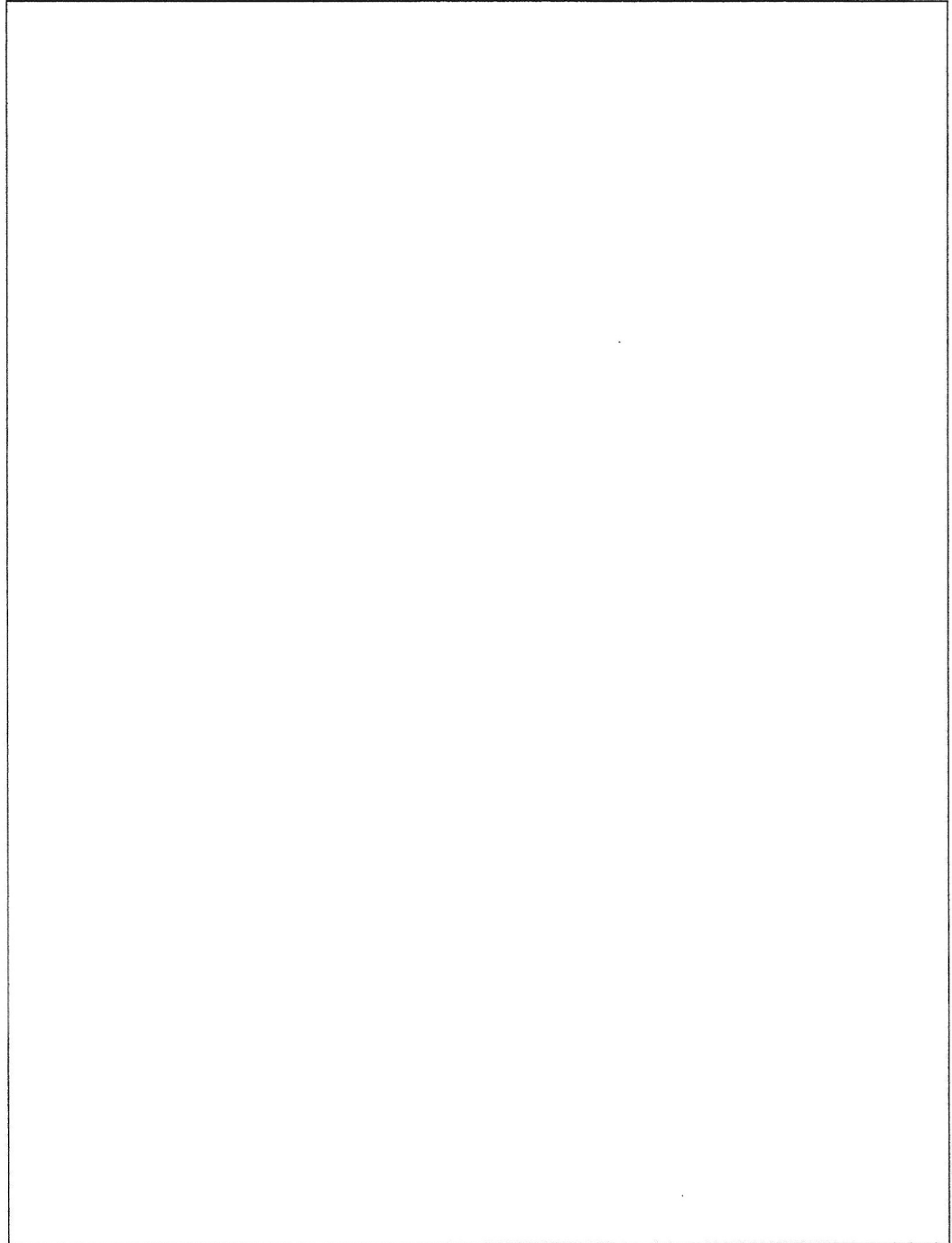
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Aylesbeare

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Finance

Total income during the year was £38,684.22. Total expenditure was £45,044.31. Expenditure exceeded income by £6,359.99 for the year compared with a deficit of £7,913.45 in 2021/22.

All accounts due to or by the church have been cleared.

Preaching

This year there have been further Bible Studies, Bible Reading Groups, and a weekly Café all of which have continued throughout the year.

Youth

The Sunday School and Youth Groups continue to work with young people of the church and the surrounding area.

Future

By the grace of God, and subject to His will, the Trustees of the church will continue to make similar arrangements as in the past year, while we wait in faith, hope and patience for the Lord Jesus to return.

On Behalf of the Trustees of the church

Simon Palmer (Secretary)



EXETER CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA**Charity No: 254924****Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2023****INCOME**

Funds in Hand at 1 April 2022: £33,846.58

Receipts during the year:

Members' subscriptions and donations:

General Fund	8,165.54
Building Fund	4,461.22
Kenya Appeal	1,312.43
Exeter Donations	342.10
Charitable Appeals	11,140.72
	<u>£25,422.01</u>

HMRC Claims	8,685.84
Interest on Bank Balances:	376.37
Welfare Grant	<u>4,200.00</u>
	<u>£13,262.21</u>

£38,684.22

£72,530.80**EXPENDITURE**


in Hand at 31 March 2023 £27,486.49

Paid out during the year:

General Fund	14,785.62
Building Fund	9,097.65
Kenya Appeal	1,600.00
Exeter Donations	2,126.31
Charitable Appeals	13,234.73
	<u>£40,844.31</u>

Welfare Grants	4,200.00
	<u>£4,200.00</u>

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£72,530.80

..... Secretary



..... Treasurer



Section A Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
EXETER CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH

**On accounts for the year
ended**

31ST MARCH 2023

**Charity no
(if any)** 254924

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Signed: 

Date: 10 Jan 24

Name: Linda Ruth Reed

**Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):**

Address:

8 The Fairways
Sherford
TAUNTON TA1 3PA

Section B Disclosure

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Membership

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Finance

Total income during the year was £30,758.76. Total expenditure was £38,672.21. Expenditure exceeded income by £7,913.45 for the year compared with a surplus of £11,018.34 in 2020/21.

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EXETER CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA

Charity No: 254924

Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022

INCOME

EXPENDITURE

Funds in Hand at 1 April 2021: £41,760.03

in Hand at 31 March 2022 £33,846.58

Receipts during the year:

Paid out during the year:

Members' subscriptions and donations:

General Fund	11,103.27
Building Fund	366.30
Bible Treasure Hunters	148.37
Kenya Appeal	1,152.80
Exeter Donations	100.73
Charitable Appeals	8,646.71
	<u>£21,518.18</u>

General Fund	13,774.90
Building Fund	259.12
Bible Treasure Hunters	0.00
Kenya Appeal	3,000.00
Exeter Donations	0.00
Charitable Appeals	11,834.19
	<u>£28,868.21</u>

HMRC Claims	4,425.42
Interest on Bank Balances:	11.16
Welfare Grant	<u>4,804.00</u>
	<u>£9,240.58</u>

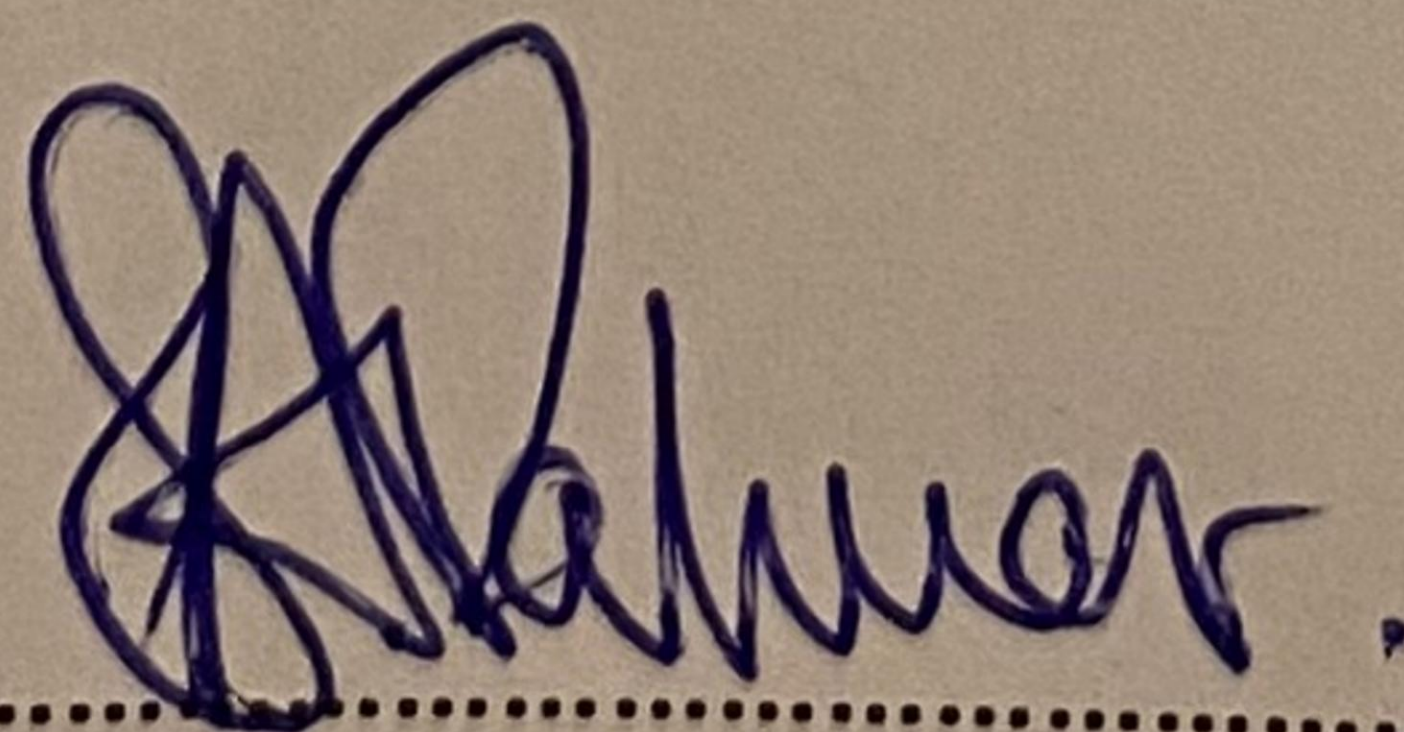
Welfare Grants	4,804.00
Loan	<u>5,000.00</u>
	<u>£9,804.00</u>

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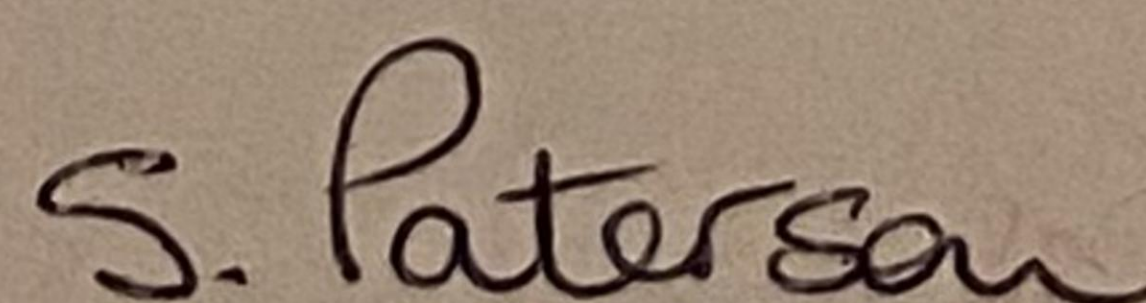
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..... Secretary



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Signed:

Linda Ruth Reed

Date:

9 Jan 2023

Name:

Linda Ruth Reed

**Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):**

Address:

8 The Fairways

Sherford

TAUNTON TA1 3PA

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EXETER CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA**Charity No: 254924**

Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2021

INCOME

Funds in Hand at 1 April 2020: £30,741.69

Receipts during the year:

Members' subscriptions and donations:

General Fund	7,962.06
Building Fund	375.80
Bible Treasure Hunters	305.10
Kenya Appeal	1,166.80
Charitable Appeals	8,319.16
	<u>£18,128.92</u>

HMRC Claims	15,117.79
Interest on Bank Balances:	33.03
Welfare Grants	<u>660.00</u>
	£15,810.82

£33,939.74

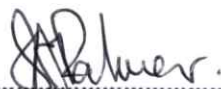
£64,681.43**EXPENDITURE**

in Hand at 31 March 2021 £41,760.03

Paid out during the year:

General Fund	9,049.65
Building Fund	35.00
Bible Treasure Hunters	0.00
Kenya Appeal	1,500.00
Charitable Appeals	11,676.75
	<u>£22,261.40</u>

Welfare Grants	<u>660.00</u>	£22,921.40
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£64,681.43

..... Secretary



..... Treasurer



Section A Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
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Date:

25 Jan 22

Name:

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**Relevant professional
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CHARITY COMMISSION
FORM 1000 (2017)

1. Name of the charity: [Faint text]

2. Address: [Faint text]

3. Date of completion: [Faint text]

4. Name of the person completing the form: [Faint text]

5. Signature: [Faint signature]

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12. Date: [Faint date]