

ST. ANDREWS EVANGELICAL MISSION

126 EALING ROAD

BRENTFORD

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UNITED KINGDOM

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Charity

Commission

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ANNUAL REPORT FOR YEAR 2020

FROM THE ST. ANDREWS CHILDRENS HOME (ORPHANAGE) AT CHOSICA, LIMA, PERU

INTRODUCTION May we please begin this Annual Report by expressing our most grateful thanks for all the very kind and generous donations we have received from our supporters throughout the year, without which we would not be able to continue to run the St. Andrews Childrens Home. Thank you very much indeed.

CHILDREN IN THE HOME We continue to care for just over 30 children, aged from a few months old, up to 24 years. Some are mentally and physically disabled, but the majority are perfectly fit and well, but have been found abandoned or made orphans due to the untimely death of their mothers.

ABANDONED BABIES AND TODDLERS The Police and Social Workers continue to find babies and toddlers abandoned in the waiting rooms of hospitals, supermarkets and other public buildings. They bring them to the Home for their safety and medical examination. On arrival at the Home, we have no knowledge of the childrens name, age, date of birth, medical history, nor the whereabouts of the mothers or any information about grandparents or other relatives whom we could contact. The Police are unable to trace the natural mothers, who most probably live in one of the many "shanty towns" around the city.

In view of this situation, these very young children are given a new name and estimated date of birth, and examined by a doctor for any medical conditions they may be suffering. However, so far none of the abandoned babies and toddlers brought to the Home have been found to be disabled in any way.

With the help of Social Workers, these very young children are being offered for adoption to childless couples and families willing to provide all the love, care and security they need. We pray they will all be found loving homes and have a bright future.

FAMILIES IN CRISIS Some of the children in the Home have come to us from families facing a crisis due to the death or sickness of the mother. Some mothers are no longer able to care for their children due to TB in an advanced stage, or alcohol and drug addiction. Some mothers have serious mental problems as well.

A number of children have been brought to the Home from such families in a badly neglected condition, painfully thin and undernourished and with various medical needs.

Thankfully, the children generally make a full recovery after a few months following medical treatment and a high protein diet. Once they are fit and well again, enquiries are made to trace grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, or other close family members, and to persuade them to take care of the children and bring them up as their own. This policy continues to be successful in a great many cases.

EDUCATION Most of the children in the Home attend the local State school, which they enjoy. Those boys and girls who are physically or mentally disabled, receive their education in the Home. A retired Peruvian lady school teacher comes in every day to give them their lessons.

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ANNUAL REPORT FOR YEAR 2020 (continued)

DAY NURSERY Betty and Peruvian nursing staff continue to run the Day Nursery, located in one of the rooms in the Home. Single mothers bring their babies and toddlers in the early morning, and then go off to work on the many market stalls in the town, returning in the evening to collect their children.

CLINIC AND DISPENSARY A doctor from Lima city visits the Home several times each week and holds a surgery in a room dedicated for his work. He treats any sick children and mothers free of charge. We also have a well-stocked Dispensary of medicines to meet the most common ailments. When necessary, the doctor refers patients to hospitals and clinics for blood tests, x-rays, scans and surgery.

PLAY FACILITIES IN THE HOME There are swings in the garden for the boys and girls to use, plus an indoor play area for handicrafts and table games which the children enjoy.

GAMES AND HOBBIES The children are encouraged to have an interest or hobby after school. Some are particularly artistic and enjoy making things out of paper, plastics, string and other ordinary materials, creating beautiful artificial flowers and artwork. The boys enjoy reading books, doing jigsaw puzzles, ball games, sports, as well as watching cartoons on TV and videos.

DOMESTIC WORK The older girls like to help in the kitchen with food preparation and cooking. They are also encouraged to look after their own clothes, doing personal washing and ironing. The boys like to help the Handiman with painting and simple DIY jobs around the Home.

SUNDAY SCHOOL Betty and Christian members of staff conduct the Sunday School and teach the children Bible stories and Christian values of behaviour and conduct. Young people from a local church come into the Home with their guitars and other musical instruments to lead the singing of hymns and choruses. The boys and girls much enjoy the Sunday School, and even the severely disabled children like to join in by singing and clapping their hands to the music.

SCHOOL CLASSROOM PROJECT Construction work on the final School Classroom built in memory of the late Brian Attwell, is now complete. Funds permitting, it is hoped to start our own private Primary School for children up to the age of 11 years. Children can only be enrolled in the State schools if they have a uniform and all the necessary text books for every lesson being taught. Sadly, these items are too expensive for parents living in the "shanty town". As a result, their children are denied an education. It is our great desire to help remedy this unfortunate situation.

(MRS.) BETTY ATTWELL
DIRECTOR
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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT FOR YEAR-ENDING: 31 DECEMBER 2020

(FROM 1 JANUARY to 31 DECEMBER 2020)

I N C O M E

Gifts and Donations for the St. Andrews
Childrens Home (orphanage) at Chosica,
Lima, Peru, South America

As at 31 December 2019 £19189.54

JANUARY 2020	£2272.00
FEBRUARY	£3571.83
MARCH	£12841.64
APRIL	£3332.00
MAY	£8880.92
JUNE	£7685.00
JULY	£33465.00
AUGUST	£1000.00
SEPTEMBER	£10985.00
OCTOBER	£4610.00
NOVEMBER	£1765.00
DECEMBER	£6718.75

National Savings Investment
Account Deposit

£1937.36

£118254.04

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E X P E N D I T U R E

Funds despatched to Peru by International
Money Orders to support the St. Andrews
Childrens Home (orphanage) at Chosica,
Lima, Peru, South America.

JANUARY 2020	£9343.94
FEBRUARY	£8562.06
MARCH	£8789.24
APRIL	£9053.97
MAY	£9089.69
JUNE	£8890.25
JULY	£8940.55
AUGUST	£8556.76
SEPTEMBER	£8733.04
OCTOBER	£8651.77
NOVEMBER	£8549.49
DECEMBER	£9129.01

£106289.77

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CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

ST. ANDREWS EVANGELICAL MISSION
(PERU)

On accounts for the year
ended

31 DECEMBER 2020

Charity no
(if any)

290252

Set out on pages

ONE PAGE

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above
charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 DECEMBER 2020

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the
accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011
("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out
under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I
have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission
under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

~~The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to
undertake the examination by being a qualified member of [insert name of
applicable listed body]]. Delete [] if not applicable.~~

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have
come to my attention in connection with the examination (~~other than that
disclosed below~~ *) 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; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements
concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities
(Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 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.

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.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

R CR Lindie

Date:

9 SEPTEMBER 2021

Name:

ROGER LINDIE

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body

CHURCH MINISTER

(if any):

Address:

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.