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Chair of Trustees.

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## Statement of Financial Activities for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2023

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		Unrestricted	Restricted	Total
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Investment Income		5,336	-	5,336
Total Incoming Resources		27,874	-	27,874
Resources Expended				
Activities of the Charity	3	26,764	-	26,764
Net income/(expenditure) before investment gains/(losses)		1,110	-	1,110
Investments : Realised/Unrealised Gains/ (Losses)	4	12,166	-	12,166
Net movement in funds		13,276	-	13,276
Reconciliation of funds:				
Total funds brought forward		183,960	-	183,960
Total funds carried forward		197,236	-	197,236

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised during the year.

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Debtors	5	190		-	
Cash at bank and in hand	6	<u>20,206</u>		<u>24,116</u>	
Total Current Assets			20,396		24,116
<b>Liabilities</b>					
Amounts falling due within one year	7	485		1,937	
<b>Net current assets/(liabilities)</b>			19,911		22,179
<b>Total net assets or liabilities</b>			<u><b>197,236</b></u>		<u><b>183,960</b></u>
<b>Funds of the Charity</b>					
Unrestricted Funds			197,236		183,960
Restricted Funds			<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>

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#### 1.6 Cash and cash equivalents

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#### 1.10 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are fully expensed in the year of acquisition.



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## 2: Beneficial Use of Assets

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The value of the property for insurance purposes was: £4,099,526. (2022 : £4,099,526)

## 3: Activities of the Charity : Analysis of Expenditure

	2023			2022
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Total
	£	£	£	£
Cleaning	2,123	-	2,123	817
Insurance	1,935	-	1,935	1,783
Maintenance and Repairs	13,531	-	13,531	8,599
Major Repair Projects	-	-	-	9,075
Utilities	5,167	-	5,167	5,013
Life Path Trust Salaries	2,510	-	2,510	-
Investment Administration Costs	1,191	-	1,191	1,239
Printing and Stationery	36	-	36	-
Bank Charges	73	-	73	79
Independent Examination	200	-	200	200
	<b>26,764</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26,764</b>	<b>26,806</b>

## 4: Investment Assets

	2023			2022		
	Quoted Investments	Cash & Cash Equivalents	Total	Quoted Investments	Cash & Cash Equivalents	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Market Value at 1st January	161,782	11,296	173,078	196,911	3,365	200,276
Additions	21,907	(21,907)	-	3,938	(3,938)	-
Disposals	(18,530)	18,530	-	(18,719)	18,719	-
Dividends Received	-	5,263	5,263	-	4,388	4,388
Management Fees	-	(1,191)	(1,191)	-	(1,239)	(1,239)
Cash Withdrawn	-	-	-	-	(10,000)	(10,000)
Realised & Unrealised gain/(loss)	12,166	-	12,166	(20,348)	-	(20,348)
<b>Market Value at 31st December</b>	<b>177,325</b>	<b>11,991</b>	<b>189,316</b>	<b>161,782</b>	<b>11,296</b>	<b>173,078</b>
Historical Cost at 31st December	155,280	11,991	167,271	146,950	11,296	158,246

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## 4: Investment Assets (cont.)

The following investments represent more than 5% of the investment portfolio :

	<u>Market Value</u> £	<u>Cost</u> £
70 Franklin Templeton Global Funds Plc FTGF Clrbrdg US Eqty Sust Ldrs S GBP Acc	11,078	7,786
250 HSBC ETFS Plc S&P 500 UCITS ETF	9,511	8,533
1,500 JP Morgan American Investment Trust Ord GBP0.05	12,885	7,259
6,000 Quiltor Investors Limited Quiltor Investors Ethical Eqty R GBP Acc	12,666	7,566

## 5: Debtors

	2023 £	2022 £
Prepayments and Accrued Income	190	-

## 6: Cash at Bank and on Hand

	2023 £	2022 £
Cash at Bank and on Hand	8,215	12,820
Quiltors Investments Cash and Cash Equivalents	11,991	11,296
	<u>20,206</u>	<u>24,116</u>

## 7: Liabilities

	2023 £	2022 £
Accruals and Deferred Income	285	737
Other Creditors	200	1,200
	<u>485</u>	<u>1,937</u>

## 8: Employee Costs

There were no employees and no employment costs incurred by the charity during 2023 (2022:: £ nil)

## 9: Trustee Remuneration and Related Party Transactions

No trustee received remuneration or benefits in relation to their services as a trustee to the charity. (2022 £nil). There were no related party transactions. (2022 £ nil).

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## Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Coventry Holy Trinity Old National School (Church Centre)

I report on the accounts for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023 which are set out on pages 5 to 10.

### Respective responsibilities of the trustees and the examiner

The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 (2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioner section 145 (5) (b) of the 2011 Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### Basis of Independent Examiner's Statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the organisation and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes considering any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in a full audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.

### Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matters have come to my attention:

(1) which give me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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Gavin Kibble

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23rd January 2025

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## 4: Investment Assets

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	Quoted Investments	Cash & Cash Equivalents	Total	Quoted Investments	Cash & Cash Equivalents	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Market Value at 1st January	161,782	11,296	173,078	196,911	3,365	200,276
Additions	21,907	(21,907)	-	3,938	(3,938)	-
Disposals	(18,530)	18,530	-	(18,719)	18,719	-
Dividends Received	-	5,263	5,263	-	4,388	4,388
Management Fees	-	(1,191)	(1,191)	-	(1,239)	(1,239)
Cash Withdrawn	-	-	-	-	(10,000)	(10,000)
Realised & Unrealised gain/(loss)	12,166	-	12,166	(20,348)	-	(20,348)
<b>Market Value at 31st December</b>	<b>177,325</b>	<b>11,991</b>	<b>189,316</b>	<b>161,782</b>	<b>11,296</b>	<b>173,078</b>
Historical Cost at 31st December	155,280	11,991	167,271	146,950	11,296	158,246

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## 4: Investment Assets (cont.)

The following investments represent more than 5% of the investment portfolio :

	<u>Market Value</u> £	<u>Cost</u> £
70 Franklin Templeton Global Funds Plc FTGF Clrbrdg US Eqty Sust Ldrs S GBP Acc	11,078	7,786
250 HSBC ETFS Plc S&P 500 UCITS ETF	9,511	8,533
1,500 JP Morgan American Investment Trust Ord GBP0.05	12,885	7,259
6,000 Quiltor Investors Limited Quiltor Investors Ethical Eqty R GBP Acc	12,666	7,566

## 5: Debtors

	2023 £	2022 £
Prepayments and Accrued Income	190	-

## 6: Cash at Bank and on Hand

	2023 £	2022 £
Cash at Bank and on Hand	8,215	12,820
Quiltors Investments Cash and Cash Equivalents	11,991	11,296
	<u>20,206</u>	<u>24,116</u>

## 7: Liabilities

	2023 £	2022 £
Accruals and Deferred Income	285	737
Other Creditors	200	1,200
	<u>485</u>	<u>1,937</u>

## 8: Employee Costs

There were no employees and no employment costs incurred by the charity during 2023 (2022:: £ nil)

## 9: Trustee Remuneration and Related Party Transactions

No trustee received remuneration or benefits in relation to their services as a trustee to the charity. (2022 £nil). There were no related party transactions. (2022 £ nil).

# Coventry Holy Trinity Old National School (Church Centre)

## Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Coventry Holy Trinity Old National School (Church Centre)

I report on the accounts for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023 which are set out on pages 5 to 10.

### Respective responsibilities of the trustees and the examiner

The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 (2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioner section 145 (5) (b) of the 2011 Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### Basis of Independent Examiner's Statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the organisation and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes considering any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in a full audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.

### Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matters have come to my attention:

(1) which give me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
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have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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