

Calvary Braid Valley

Northern Ireland · Charity number 102276

Details

Known as	CBV
Status	Received
Registered	2015-05-27
Register	View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register

Contact

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Activities

Purposes: Purposes: The advancement of Christianity in accordance with the Statement of Faith (Clause D) by engaging in the following activities: 1. Regularly hold public worship of God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. 2. Build up the Church of Jesus Christ through the teaching and preaching of the Word of God (the Bible). 3. Proclaim that men and women should repent and believe in Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord. 4. As we have opportunity, do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith (Galatians 6:10).

What the charity does: The advancement of religion

How the charity works: Counselling/support, Religious activities

Who the charity helps: Children (5-13 year olds), General public, Men, Women, Youth (14-25 year olds)

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-06-30	£21,254	£11,987	£0	0

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Cindy Johnston		
Mrs Jan Revie		
Mrs Tracey Mccloskey		
Rick Johnston		

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Accounts

Calvary Braid Valley

Receipts and Payments Statement for the year ended 30 June 2025

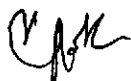
	2025 £	2024 £
Income		
Tithes and offerings	13,909	13,400
Gift aid	7,345	
	<u>21,254</u>	<u>13,400</u>
Expenses		
Retreat & conferences	2,352	2,452
Rent	2,750	3,250
Insurance	283	302
Fellowship meals & refreshments	2,359	1,757
Donations	1,992	2,066
Outreach	76	472
CCLI licence	286	234
Bank fees	147	153
Office supplies and equipment	216	237
Immigrant support	0	536
Travel	0	803
Benevolence	40	0
Honorarium	540	1,083
Ministry support	0	0
Minor equipment	75	0
Repairs	560	0
Sundries	312	0
	<u>11,987</u>	<u>13,345</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	9,267	55
Opening Balances		
Bank account	5,954	5,691
Petty cash	397	607
	<u>6,352</u>	<u>6,298</u>
Closing Balances		
Bank account	14,885	5,954
Petty cash	734	398
	<u>15,619</u>	<u>6,352</u>

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

The Charity's only assets are the cash funds as outlined above and it has no liabilities.

Approval of the Accounts

The above accounts were approved by the Trustees on 19th February 2026 and signed on their behalf by :-



Mrs Cindy Johnston
Trustee

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Accounts

Calvary Braid Valley
Receipts and Payments Statement for the year ended 30 June 2024

	2024	2023
	£	£
Income		
Tithes and offerings	13,400	14,396
Expenses		
Retreat & conferences	2,452	2,536
Rent	3,250	2,960
Insurance	302	296
Fellowship meals & refreshments	1,757	1,999
Donations	2,066	2,300
Outreach	472	170
CCLI licence	234	209
Bank fees	153	155
Office supplies and equipment	237	760
Immigrant support	536	0
Travel	803	997
Benevolence	0	600
Honorarium	1,083	305
Ministry support	0	50
Minor equipment	0	565
Sundries	0	14
	<u>13,345</u>	<u>13,915</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	55	481
Opening Balances		
Bank account	5,691	5,473
Petty cash	607	344
	<u>6,298</u>	<u>5,817</u>
Closing Balances		
Bank account	5,954	5,691
Petty cash	398	607
	<u>6,352</u>	<u>6,298</u>

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Approval of the Accounts

I have prepared the above annual receipts and payments account from the information supplied and confirm they are in agreement therewith.



Mrs Cindy Johnston

Trustee

Date - 14 February 2025

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Trustees Annual Report

Fiscal year - 01 July 2023 to 30 June 2024

Name of Charity: Calvary Braid Valley

Charity Number: NIC 102276

Address: 65 Knowehead Road, Broughshane, Ballymena BT43 7JE

Calvary Braid Valley (CBV) is an evangelical church established for the spread of the gospel message and for the encouragement its members to maintain a life in accordance with Biblical principles. This is done through the dissemination of God's Word, giving Biblical guidance as how to obtain a relationship with God and to continue to live in a manner that is pleasing to God. This is summed up in our mission statement which is, "To Know Jesus and Make Him Known".

Calvary Braid Valley has been fortunate in that those who have benefited from our activities include not only the regular members of the church, but also many members of the wider community of Ballymena as well as the surrounding borough. Having a meeting place located in the town centre of Ballymena proves to be a convenient location to be able to provide fellowship, support and encouragement to many people in the area. For example, the church's "Thrive" ministry, which benefits the public by giving the opportunity for those facing loneliness and isolation to have connection with others, has grown and expanded.

During the period covered by this fiscal year, CBV was able to host many events and activities open to the general public and for their benefit. These include hosting one of a 4-week cross-community mid-day Advent services, and participating in the preparation of and hosting a community prayer space one day a week throughout the month of March, as well as public showing of films. CBV also arraigned for a public concert in Ballymena of world-renounced classical guitarist Rodrigo Rodriquez.

In addition, CBV hosted in-person meetings and activities with inter-faith groups in town as well as facilitating meetings with church leaders and public and civil leaders.

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Also, our online presence has enabled us as a church to host as well as be in attendance of group meetings for prayers, Bible study and a women's Bible study that are open to the public. In the performance of all the above activities we were able to continue to bring comfort, encouragement and hope to many people both within our church and in the community at large.

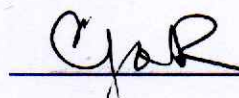
Calvary Braid Valley was able to assist our local Broughshane Improvement Committee's holiday festival by providing volunteers with joyful spirits to participate in running a booth.

The Trustees of Calvary Braid Valley have kept in mind the Charity Commission's statutory public benefit guidance in ensuring that the plans and decisions they have made in regards to carrying out activities are for the purpose of public benefit. This is in accordance with the constitution of Calvary Braid Valley, which governs the administration of the church. In addition, no one from CBV or any members of the Trustees have incurred any private benefit from the activities of the church

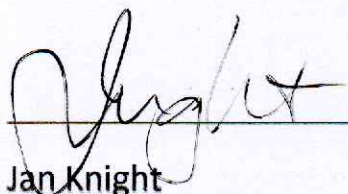
On behalf of the trustees of Calvary Braid Valley this is our statement of activities performed in regards to the public benefit.


Rick Johnston

19-03-25
Date


Cindy Johnston

19 MAR 25
Date


Jan Knight

20/03/25
Date

Calvary Braid Valley

Northern Ireland - Charity number 102276

Annual return

INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF CALVARY BRAID VALLEY

I report on the accounts of the Calvary Braid Valley for the year ended 30th June 2024.

Respective responsibilities of charity trustees and examiner

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008.

It is my responsibility to:

1. Examine the accounts under section 65 of the Charities Act
2. Follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Commission under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act
3. State whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act.


My examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 63 of the Charities Act.
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records.
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act.
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matter (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.



Steven Potter FCA
Potter Finnegan Limited
Chartered Accountants
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14th February 2025

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Accounts

Calvary Braid Valley

Receipts and Payments Statement for the year ended 30 June 2023

	2023 £	2022 £
Income		
Tithes and offerings	14,396	7,643
Expenses		
Retreat & conferences	2,536	810
Rent	2,960	2,280
Insurance	296	289
Fellowship meals & refreshments	1,999	713
Donations	2,300	1,600
Outreach	170	699
CCLI licence	209	189
Bank fees	155	114
Office supplies and equipment	760	813
Immigrant support	0	164
Travel	997	
Benevolence	600	
Honorarium	305	
Ministry support	50	
Minor equipment	565	
Sundries	14	24
	<u>13,915</u>	<u>7,695</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	481	(52)
Opening Balances		
Bank account	5,473	5,724
Petty cash	344	145
	<u>5,817</u>	<u>5,869</u>
Closing Balances		
Bank account	5,691	5,473
Petty cash	607	344
	<u>6,298</u>	<u>5,817</u>

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Approval of the Accounts

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Mrs Cindy Johnston
Trustee

Date - 08 March 2024

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Calvary Braid Valley has been fortunate in the fact that those who have benefited from our activities include not only the regular members of the church, but also many members of the wider community of Ballymena as well as the surrounding borough.

This fiscal year report covers a time when we had changed the meeting location for Sunday morning and midweek meetings. Moving from the village of Broughshane to the town of Ballymena, we have gained a presence in the town centre of Ballymena and have provided fellowship, support and encouragement to many people from this location.

Our online presence has continued during this time. As a church we were able to host as well as be in attendance to group meetings for prayers, daily devotions and women's Bible study that were open to the public. We were able to continue to bring comfort, encouragement and hope too many people both within our church and in the community at large. This presence also allowed us to help mitigate some of the tremendous mental health strains that arise from the stresses of life as well as bringing connection for people who feel alone and disheartened.

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The church's "Thrive" ministry, which benefits the public by giving the opportunity for those facing loneliness and isolation to get together with others, grew and expanded. On-line prayer gatherings with the local community also continued during the period covered by this fiscal year as did in-person meetings and activities with inter-faith groups in town as well as facilitating meetings with church leaders, the public and civil leaders.

Calvary Braid Valley has continued to reach into the local community by bringing religious education programmes to the public school through partnership with Scripture Union. Also we were able to assist our local Broughshane Improvement Committee's holiday festival by providing volunteers with joyful spirits to participate in running a booth.

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On behalf of the trustees of Calvary Braid Valley this is our statement of annual report in regards to our activities for the public benefit.

 26-03-24  26/03/24
Rick Johnston Date Cindy Johnston Date

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Jan Knight Date

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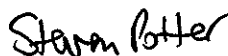
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