

Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland · Charity number 103640

Details

Known as	None
Status	Received
Registered	2015-09-17
Register	View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register

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Activities

Purposes: The Trustees shall hold the capital and income of the Trust Fund upon trust to apply the income and all or such part or parts of the capital at such time or times and in such manner as the Trustees in their absolute discretion shall decide to or for any one or more of the following objects or purposes:- The advancement of the Christian Religion in the United Kingdom and Northern Ireland and throughout the world.

What the charity does: The advancement of religion

How the charity works: Counselling/support, Education/training, Religious activities, Volunteer development

Who the charity helps: Adult training, Overseas/developing countries, Voluntary and community sector, Volunteers

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£6,538	£11,348	£0	0

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Derek Mckelvey		
Helen Mckelvey		
Lester Manley		
Melanie Douglas		
Mr Timothy Houston		
Mrs Valerie Little		

Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Accounts

CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: XR25091

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
31 MARCH 2025

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Trustees' Annual Report

Year ended 31 March 2025

The trustees' present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2025.

Reference and administrative details:

Registered charity name: The Kairos Trust

Charity registration number: XR25091

Principal Office: 6 Grangewood Chase
Dundonald
Co Down
Northern Ireland
BT16 1HW

The trustees Derek McKelvey
Helen McKelvey
Lester Manley
Melaine Douglas
Valerie Little
Tim Houston

Independent examiner: Keith McManus for and on behalf of
HLB McGuire + Farry
Emerson House
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Structure, governance and management

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The principal address of the charity is 6 Grangewood Chase, Dundonald, Co Down, Northern Ireland BT16 1HW.

The charity's governing document is its Trust Deed, dated 28 November 1998.

The charity is managed by its trustees. Trustees meet regularly throughout the year.

THE KAIROS TRUST

Trustees' Annual Report

Year Ended 31 March 2025

Objectives and activities

The trustees present their Trustees Report prepared in accordance with Charities SORP (effective January 2015), and the unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025, also prepared in accordance with the aforementioned Statement of Recommended Practice.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the charity are as follows:

- Individual and group mentoring of young ministers from a variety of denominations especially those in the first years of sole charge of parishes and congregations.
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- Training for existing Prayer Ministry Teams in congregations.
- Work with churches and colleges in Budapest Hungary and in Loule in Portugal to strengthen leadership, train young students and teach the principles of effective listening to local prayer teams.

Achievements and performance

The need for this work is clear. The trustees have now had the course consisting of the material, gathered and refined over the last 20 years, filmed, together with filmed instances by team members of the use of the skills in ministry.

Printed manuals have been produced and the final editing of all material printed and filmed is ongoing.

In the current year we had opportunity to speak of the work of the Trust, teach the principles of effective listening in prayer situations, and provide a team offering individual prayer listening appointments to the European Christian Mission Biennial in Spain with over 500 missionaries and families from across Europe.

The Trust has also provided teams to The Methodist Church in Ireland Ministers retreat and to other ministries.

In addition to the Trustees the Trust is grateful for the involvement and word of eight others. These 12 represent a variety of denominations and age groups.

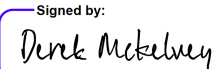
A Second Advanced Course is planned for 2025-6.

Financial review

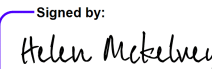
The charity had income of £6,538 (2024: £500) during the year. Expenditure increased from £1,381 last year to £11,348 this year.

The trustees remain confident that the charity can continue to successfully work towards meeting its aim and objectives.

The trustees' annual report was approved on 28 January 2026 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Signed by:

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Derek McKelvey
Trustee

Signed by:

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Helen McKelvey
Trustee

THE KAIROS TRUST

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of The Kairos Trust Year ended 31 March 2025

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of The Kairos Trust ("the charity" for the year ended 31 March 2025

Responsibilities and basis of report

As trustees of the charity, you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 ("the 2008 Act"). You are satisfied that your charity is not required by charity law to be audited and have chosen instead to have an independent examination.

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's financial statements as carried out under section 65 of the 2008 Act. In carrying out my examination I have followed the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the 2008 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

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

1. Accounting records were not kept as required by with section 63 of the 2008 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 the 2008 Act; or
4. The financial statements do 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 confirm that there are no other matters to which your attention should be drawn to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed by:
McGuire + Farry Limited
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Keith McManus BA (Hons) FCCA
For and on behalf of HLB McGuire + Farry
Emerson House
Carryduff
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28 January 2026

THE KAIROS TRUST

Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2025

		2025		2024
	Note	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds	Total Funds
Income and endowments				
Donations and legacies	4	27	27	500
Courses		6,511	6,511	-
		—	—	—
Total Income		6,538	6,538	500
		====	====	=====
Expenditure				
Expenditure in charitable activities	5,6	11,348	11,348	1,381
		—	—	—
Total expenditure		11,348	11,348	1,381
		—	—	—
Net expenditure and net movement in funds		(4,810)	(4,810)	(881)
		=====	=====	=====
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		17,538	17,538	18,419
		—	—	—
Total funds carried forward		12,728	12,728	17,538
		=====	=====	=====


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 10 form part of these financial statements

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Statement of Financial Position
31 March 2025

	Note	2025	2024
Current assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		12,728 _____	17,832 _____
Current liabilities			
Sundry creditors		- _____	(294) _____
Net current assets		12,728 =====	17,538 =====
Funds of the charity			
Unrestricted funds		12,728 _____	17,538 _____
Total charity funds	9	12,728 =====	17,538 =====

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 28 January 2026, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

Signed by:


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Derek McKelvey
Trustee

Signed by:


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Helen McKelvey
Trustee

The notes on pages 6 to 10 form part of these financial statements

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2025

1. **General information**

The charity is a public benefit entity and a registered charity in Northern Ireland and is unincorporated. The address of the principal office is 6 Grangewood Chase, Dundonald, BT15 1HW, Northern Ireland.

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 UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)(Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008.

3. **Accounting policies**

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

Going concern

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

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 projects or commitments.

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.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2025

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 impracticable 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.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

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3. Accounting policies (*continued*)

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the charity 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.

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 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.

Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the state of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

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Year ended 31 March 2025

4. **Donations and legacies**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Donations				
Donations	27	27	500	500
	=====	=====	=====	=====

5. **Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Event Costs	6,709	6,709	1,047	1,047
Support Costs	3,639	3,639	334	334
Donation	1,000	1,000	-	-
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	11,348	11,348	1,381	1,381
	=====	=====	=====	=====

6. **Expenditure on charitable activities by activity type**

	Activities Undertaken Directly	Donation	Support costs	Total funds 2025	Total funds 2024
Event costs	6,709		-	6,709	1,047
Support costs	-		3,639	3,639	334
Donation		1,000	-	1,000	-
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	6,709	1,000	3,639	11,348	1,381
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====

7. **Staff costs**

The average head count of employees during the year was Nil (2024: Nil).

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2024: Nil).

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Year ended 31 March 2025

8. **Trustee remuneration and expenses**

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

9. **Analysis of charitable funds**

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 April 2024	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2025
General funds	17,538 =====	6,538 =====	(11,348) =====	12,728 =====

	At 1 April 2023	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2024
General funds	18,419 =====	500 =====	(1,381) =====	17,538 =====

10. **Analysis of net assets between funds**

	Unrestricted Funds 2025	Total Funds 2025
Current Assets	12,728 =====	12,728 =====

	Unrestricted Funds 2024	Total Funds 2024
Current assets	17,538 =====	17,538 =====

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Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Accounts

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Trustees' Annual Report

Year ended 31 March 2024

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THE KAIROS TRUST

Trustees' Annual Report Year Ended 31 March 2024

Objectives and activities

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Principal Activities

The principal activities of the charity are as follows:

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- Work with churches and colleges in Budapest Hungary and in Loule in Portugal to strengthen leadership, train young students and teach the principles of effective listening to local prayer teams.

Achievements and performance

The need for this work is clear. The trustees are now actively involved in discussions by which the material, gathered and refined over the last 20 years, can be made available in a format of video and printed manuals which can be used by others beyond the members of the Trust.

In the current year we had opportunity to speak of the work of the Trust, teach the principles of effective listening in prayer situations and provide a team offering individual prayer listening appointments to the 400+ missionaries of European Christian Mission at their Biennial gathering in Croatia.

The Trust has also provided teams to The Methodist Church in Ireland Ministers retreat and to other ministries.

Financial review

The charity raised £500 during the year. Expenditure decreased from £5,560 last year to £1,381 this year.

The trustees remain confident that the charity can continue to successfully work towards meeting its aim and objectives.

The trustees' annual report was approved on 3 April 2025 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

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Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2024

	Note	2024 Unrestricted Funds	2023 Total Funds	2023 Total Funds
Income and endowments				
Donations and legacies	4	500	500	3,883
		—	—	—
Total Income		500	500	3,883
		====	====	=====
Expenditure				
Expenditure in charitable activities	5,6	1,381	1,381	5,560
		—	—	—
Total expenditure		1,381	1,381	5,560
		—	—	—
Net expenditure and net movement in funds		(881)	(881)	1,677
		=====	=====	=====
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		18,419	18,419	20,096
		—	—	—
Total funds carried forward		17,538	17,538	18,419
		=====	=====	=====

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

THE KAIROS TRUST

Statement of Financial Position 31 March 2024

	2024	2023
	Note	
Current assets		
Cash at bank and in hand	17,832	18,419
	_____	_____
Current liabilities		
Sundry creditors	(294)	-
	_____	_____
Net current assets	17,538	18,419
	=====	=====
Funds of the charity		
Unrestricted funds	17,538	18,419
	_____	_____
Total charity funds	9 17,538	18,419
	=====	=====

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 3 April 2025, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

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Trustee

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Year ended 31 March 2024

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Notes to the Financial Statements

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3. Accounting policies (*continued*)

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Resources expended

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- 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.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

3. Accounting policies (*continued*)

Financial instruments

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Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs.

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 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.

Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the state of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

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Year ended 31 March 2024

4. **Donations and legacies**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £
Donations				
Donations	500	500	-	3,883
	=====	=====	=====	=====

5. **Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £
Event Costs	1,047	1,047	-	5,386
Support Costs	334	334	-	174
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	1,381	1,381	-	5,560
	=====	=====	=====	=====

6. **Expenditure on charitable activities by activity type**

	Activities Undertaken Directly	Support costs	Total funds 2024	Total funds 2023
Event costs	1,047	-	1,047	5,386
Support costs	-	334	334	174
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	1,047	334	1,381	5,560
	=====	=====	=====	=====

7. **Staff costs**

The average head count of employees during the year was Nil (2023: Nil).

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2023: Nil).

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

8. **Trustee remuneration and expenses**

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

9. **Analysis of charitable funds**

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 April 2023	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2024
General funds	18,419	500	(1,381)	17,538
	=====	=====	=====	=====

	At 1 April 2022	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2023
General funds	20,096	3,883	(5,560)	18,419
	=====	=====	=====	=====

10. **Analysis of net assets between funds**

	Unrestricted Funds 2024	Total Funds 2024
Current Assets	17,538	17,538
	=====	=====

	Unrestricted Funds 2023	Total Funds 2023
Current assets	18,419	18,419
	=====	=====

Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Annual report

CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: XR25091

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Trustees' Annual Report

Year ended 31 March 2024

The trustees' present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2024.

Reference and administrative details:

Registered charity name: The Kairos Trust

Charity registration number: XR25091

Principal Office: 6 Grangewood Chase
Dundonald
Co Down
Northern Ireland
BT16 1HW

The trustees Derek McKelvey
Helen McKelvey
Lester Manley
Melaine Douglas
Valerie Little
Tim Houston

Independent examiner: Keith McManus for and on behalf of
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Structure, governance and management

The Kairos Trust is a registered charity with the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, number 103640.

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The charity's governing document is its Trust Deed, dated 28 November 1998.

The charity is managed by its trustees. Trustees meet regularly throughout the year.

THE KAIROS TRUST

Trustees' Annual Report Year Ended 31 March 2024

Objectives and activities

The trustees present their Trustees Report prepared in accordance with Charities SORP (effective January 2015), and the unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2024, also prepared in accordance with the aforementioned Statement of Recommended Practice.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the charity are as follows:

- Individual and group mentoring of young ministers from a variety of denominations especially those in the first years of sole charge of parishes and congregations.
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- Work with churches and colleges in Budapest Hungary and in Loule in Portugal to strengthen leadership, train young students and teach the principles of effective listening to local prayer teams.

Achievements and performance

The need for this work is clear. The trustees are now actively involved in discussions by which the material, gathered and refined over the last 20 years, can be made available in a format of video and printed manuals which can be used by others beyond the members of the Trust.

In the current year we had opportunity to speak of the work of the Trust, teach the principles of effective listening in prayer situations and provide a team offering individual prayer listening appointments to the 400+ missionaries of European Christian Mission at their Biennial gathering in Croatia.

The Trust has also provided teams to The Methodist Church in Ireland Ministers retreat and to other ministries.

Financial review

The charity raised £500 during the year. Expenditure decreased from £5,560 last year to £1,381 this year.


The trustees remain confident that the charity can continue to successfully work towards meeting its aim and objectives.

The trustees' annual report was approved on 3 April 2025 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Signed by:

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Derek McKelvey
Trustee

Signed by:

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Helen McKelvey
Trustee

THE KAIROS TRUST

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of The Kairos Trust Year ended 31 March 2024

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of The Kairos Trust ("the charity" for the year ended 31 March 2024

Responsibilities and basis of report

As trustees of the charity, you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 ("the 2008 Act"). You are satisfied that your charity is not required by charity law to be audited and have chosen instead to have an independent examination.

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's financial statements as carried out under section 65 of the 2008 Act. In carrying out my examination I have followed the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the 2008 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

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

1. Accounting records were not kept as required by with section 63 of the 2008 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 the 2008 Act; or
4. The financial statements do 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 confirm that there are no other matters to which your attention should be drawn to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed by:



Keith McManus BA (Hons) FCCA
For and on behalf of HLB McGuire + Farry
Emerson House
Carryduff
BELFAST
BT8 8DN

THE KAIROS TRUST

Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2024

	Note	2024 Unrestricted Funds	2023 Total Funds	2023 Total Funds
Income and endowments				
Donations and legacies	4	500	500	3,883
		—	—	—
Total Income		500	500	3,883
		====	====	=====
Expenditure				
Expenditure in charitable activities	5,6	1,381	1,381	5,560
		—	—	—
Total expenditure		1,381	1,381	5,560
		—	—	—
Net expenditure and net movement in funds		(881)	(881)	1,677
		=====	=====	=====
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		18,419	18,419	20,096
		—	—	—
Total funds carried forward		17,538	17,538	18,419
		=====	=====	=====

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

THE KAIROS TRUST

Statement of Financial Position 31 March 2024

	2024	2023
	Note	
Current assets		
Cash at bank and in hand	17,832	18,419
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Current liabilities		
Sundry creditors	(294)	-
	_____	_____
Net current assets	17,538	18,419
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Funds of the charity		
Unrestricted funds	17,538	18,419
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Total charity funds	9 17,538	18,419
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These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 3 April 2025, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

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Derek McKelvey
Trustee

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Helen McKelvey
Trustee

The notes on pages 6 to 10 form part of these financial statements

THE KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

1. **General information**

The charity is a public benefit entity and a registered charity in Northern Ireland and is unincorporated. The address of the principal office is 6 Grangewood Chase, Dundonald, BT15 1HW, Northern Ireland.

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 UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)(Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008.

3. **Accounting policies**

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

Going concern

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

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 projects or commitments.

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 KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

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 impracticable 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 KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

3. Accounting policies (*continued*)

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the charity 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.

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 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.

Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the state of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

4. **Donations and legacies**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £
Donations				
Donations	500	500	-	3,883
	=====	=====	=====	=====

5. **Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £
Event Costs	1,047	1,047	-	5,386
Support Costs	334	334	-	174
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	1,381	1,381	-	5,560
	=====	=====	=====	=====

6. **Expenditure on charitable activities by activity type**

	Activities Undertaken Directly	Support costs	Total funds 2024	Total funds 2023
Event costs	1,047	-	1,047	5,386
Support costs	-	334	334	174
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	1,047	334	1,381	5,560
	=====	=====	=====	=====

7. **Staff costs**

The average head count of employees during the year was Nil (2023: Nil).

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2023: Nil).

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

8. **Trustee remuneration and expenses**

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

9. **Analysis of charitable funds**

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 April 2023	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2024
General funds	18,419 =====	500 =====	(1,381) =====	17,538 =====

	At 1 April 2022	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2023
General funds	20,096 =====	3,883 =====	(5,560) =====	18,419 =====

10. **Analysis of net assets between funds**

	Unrestricted Funds 2024	Total Funds 2024
Current Assets	17,538 =====	17,538 =====

	Unrestricted Funds 2023	Total Funds 2023
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Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Annual return

CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: XR25091

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THE KAIROS TRUST

Trustees' Annual Report Year Ended 31 March 2024

Objectives and activities

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THE KAIROS TRUST

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of The Kairos Trust Year ended 31 March 2024

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of The Kairos Trust ("the charity" for the year ended 31 March 2024

Responsibilities and basis of report

As trustees of the charity, you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 ("the 2008 Act"). You are satisfied that your charity is not required by charity law to be audited and have chosen instead to have an independent examination.

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THE KAIROS TRUST

Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2024

	Note	2024 Unrestricted Funds	2023 Total Funds	2023 Total Funds
Income and endowments				
Donations and legacies	4	500	500	3,883
		—	—	—
Total Income		500	500	3,883
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Expenditure				
Expenditure in charitable activities	5,6	1,381	1,381	5,560
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Total expenditure		1,381	1,381	5,560
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THE KAIROS TRUST

Statement of Financial Position 31 March 2024

	2024	2023
	Note	
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Current liabilities		
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THE KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

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Basis of preparation

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Going concern

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

Fund accounting

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

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THE KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

3. Accounting policies (*continued*)

Incoming resources

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THE KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

3. Accounting policies (*continued*)

Financial instruments

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Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the state of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

THE KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

4. **Donations and legacies**

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £
Donations				
Donations	500	500	-	3,883
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5. **Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type**

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7. **Staff costs**

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No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2023: Nil).

THE KAIROS TRUST

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2024

8. **Trustee remuneration and expenses**

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

9. **Analysis of charitable funds**

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 April 2023	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2024
General funds	18,419	500	(1,381)	17,538
	=====	=====	=====	=====

	At 1 April 2022	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2023
General funds	20,096	3,883	(5,560)	18,419
	=====	=====	=====	=====

10. **Analysis of net assets between funds**

	Unrestricted Funds 2024	Total Funds 2024
Current Assets	17,538	17,538
	=====	=====

	Unrestricted Funds 2023	Total Funds 2023
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	=====	=====

Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Accounts

CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: XR25091

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Trustees' Annual Report

Year ended 31 March 2023

The trustees present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2023.

Reference and administrative details

Registered charity name The Kairos Trust

Charity registration number XR25091

Principal office

The trustees

Derek McKelvey	
Helen McKelvey	
Irvine Lavery	(Retired 6 April 2022)
Margaret Wilson	(Retired 6 April 2022)
Lester Manley	
Melanie Douglas	
Valerie Little	(Appointed 6 April 2022)
Tim Houston	(Appointed 6 April 2022)

Independent examiner Elaine Mulholland for and on behalf of Johnston Graham Limited
216/218 Holywood Road
Belfast
BT4 1PD

Structure, governance and management

The Kairos Trust is a registered charity with The Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, number 103640.

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The charity's governing document is its Trust Deed, dated 28 November 1998.

The charity is managed by its trustees. Trustees meet regularly throughout the year.

The Kairos Trust

Trustees' Annual Report *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

Objectives and activities

The trustees present their Trustees' Report prepared in accordance with Charities SORP (effective January 2015) and the unaudited financial statements for the year 31 March 2020 also prepared in accordance with the aforementioned Statement of Recommended Practice.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the charity are as follows:

- Individual and group mentoring of young ministers from a variety of denominations especially those in the first years of sole charge of parishes or congregations.
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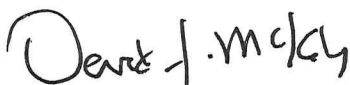
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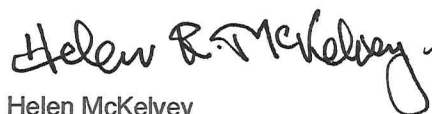
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The Kairos Trust

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Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2023

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Total income		<u>3,883</u>	<u>3,883</u>	<u>—</u>
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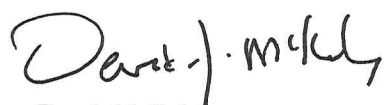
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Statement of Financial Position

31 March 2023

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Notes to the Financial Statements

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Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

Going concern

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

Fund accounting

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

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Notes to the Financial Statements *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

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- 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.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the charity 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.

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

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Notes to the Financial Statements *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Financial instruments *(continued)*

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

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Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the statement of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

4. Donations and legacies

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2022 £
Donations				
Donations	3,883	3,883	—	—

5. Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2022 £
Event Costs	5,386	5,386	2,000	2,000
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Notes to the Financial Statements *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

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7. Staff costs

The average head count of employees during the year was Nil (2022: Nil).

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2022: Nil).

8. Trustee remuneration and expenses

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

9. Analysis of charitable funds

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 April 2022	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2023
	£	£	£	£
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	£	£	£	£
General funds	<u>22,254</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>(2,158)</u>	<u>20,096</u>

10. Analysis of net assets between funds

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Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Annual report

Annual Report 2022-23 Kairos Trust.

At a meeting of Trustees on 6 April 2022, letters of resignation from Margaret Wilson and Irvine Lavery were received and accepted with regret. Margaret and Irvine have given over 30 years' service to the Kairos Trust in many capacities but especially as active and experienced trustees.

The Trustees added Valerie Little and Tim Houston as Trustees to fill the vacant places on the Trustee Board. Both have had years of work with the trust and a passion for its objectives.

The Trustees held an evening to thank the outgoing and welcome the incoming Trustees on 14 April to coincide with the Conversations below.

The Trustees in conjunction with Transformations Ireland invited Gordon and Rachel Hickson to lead four conversations with Church leaders from all denomination over the weekend 13-16 May 2022. All of these were well attended and provoked stimulating discussion on the way forward for churches in a post-Covid world.

The costs of the weekend were shared equally between Transformations and the Trust.

Further invitations were received for various events throughout the year in Greyabbey, Portadown and Ballina, Co Mayo with the Connaught leaders.

Belfast Bible College again requested that we deliver a course as part of their Transformations programme. This happened from 6 November to 13 December weekly. Over 80 participated throughout.

A further one day Refresher Course was hosted in Carnmoney in February with an attendance of 150.

Once again, we contributed to the teaching in the International Theological Leadership College in Loule, Portugal in late February.

This year we received an invitation to provide a team to be independent listeners for a conference of all those working for European Cristian Mission to be held in Croatia. This conference brought together 400+ of

those working for the Mission from all across Europe and in particular from Ukraine, Moldova, Romania, Hungary and Albania as well as western Europe. It was an immense privilege for the team of 10 to be available throughout the 7 days of the conference to provide a sounding board for the many leaders who had struggled through Covid in often isolated situations and to provide training through seminars to the participants.

It has been a busy year and the Trustees are now taking stock and planning to secure the future of the training we provide.

We continue to be grateful for the opportunities open to the Trust – it is a matter of regret that the wider international work has not restarted since Covid.

Derek J McKelvey
Chairman

Kairos Trustees

Kairos Trust

Northern Ireland - Charity number 103640

Annual return

CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: XR25091

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Financial Statements

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The Kairos Trust

Trustees' Annual Report

Year ended 31 March 2023

The trustees present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2023.

Reference and administrative details

Registered charity name The Kairos Trust

Charity registration number XR25091

Principal office

The trustees

Derek McKelvey	
Helen McKelvey	
Irvine Lavery	(Retired 6 April 2022)
Margaret Wilson	(Retired 6 April 2022)
Lester Manley	
Melanie Douglas	
Valerie Little	(Appointed 6 April 2022)
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Structure, governance and management

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The charity's governing document is its Trust Deed, dated 28 November 1998.

The charity is managed by its trustees. Trustees meet regularly throughout the year.

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Trustees' Annual Report *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

Objectives and activities

The trustees present their Trustees' Report prepared in accordance with Charities SORP (effective January 2015) and the unaudited financial statements for the year 31 March 2020 also prepared in accordance with the aforementioned Statement of Recommended Practice.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the charity are as follows:

- Individual and group mentoring of young ministers from a variety of denominations especially those in the first years of sole charge of parishes or congregations.
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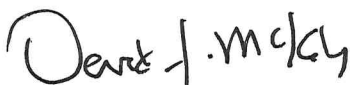
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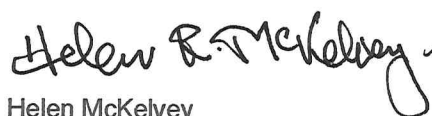
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The Kairos Trust

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The Kairos Trust

Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2023

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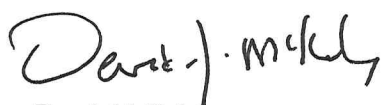
The Kairos Trust

Statement of Financial Position

31 March 2023

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Notes to the Financial Statements *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

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Year ended 31 March 2023

3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

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	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2023 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2022 £
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5. Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type

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Notes to the Financial Statements *(continued)*

Year ended 31 March 2023

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9. Analysis of charitable funds

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 April 2022	Income	Expenditure	At 31 March 2023
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General funds	<u>22,254</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>(2,158)</u>	<u>20,096</u>

10. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2023
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Current assets	<u>18,419</u>	<u>18,419</u>

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