

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland · Charity number 105215

Details

Known as	Tandragee Presbyterian Church
Status	Received
Registered	2016-08-08
Register	View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register

Contact

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Activities

Purposes: THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN IRELAND, as a Reformed Church within the wider body of Christ is grounded in the Scriptures, and exists to love and honour God through faith in His Son and by the power of His Spirit, and to enable her members to play their part in fulfilling God's mission to our world

What the charity does: The advancement of religion

How the charity works: Religious activities

Who the charity helps: General public

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£140,950	£139,223	£0	1

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Mr Albert Johnston		
Mr Brian Johnston		
Mr David Knight		
Mr Keith Johnston		
Mr Mark McMaw		
Mr Mervyn Black		
Mr Neale Ingram		
Mr Richard Shanks		
Mr Walter Black		

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Accounts

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**Tandragee Congregation
of the
Presbyterian Church in Ireland**

**Trustee Report
and
Receipts and Payments Account
for the year ended 31 December 2024**

Tandragee Presbyterian Church.

Trustees Annual Report for the year ended 31st December 2024.

The Trustees present the annual report and statements of receipts and payments and assets and liabilities for the year ended 31st December 2024.

Trustees

Rev Mark McMaw

Mervyn Black

Walter Black

David Knight

Albert Johnston

Brian Johnston

Keith Johnston

Richard Shanks

Neale Ingram

Governance and Management.

The Church is governed by elected elders, from the congregation to manage its mission, programs, and finances.

Within this structure there are various committees and subcommittees to carry out the various programs and endeavours.

Objectives

Tandragee Presbyterian Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland whose purpose is to advance the gospel message of Christ through the advancement of religion.

The direct benefits which flow from the church's activities are: -

1. Enhancement and wellbeing from appreciation of the word of God.
2. Encouragement and nurture of younger members to maturity in Christ
3. Enjoyment of community togetherness
4. Support for those in need of spiritual guidance and comfort
5. Support for those in our community who desire pastoral visits.

The Church's beneficiaries are the members of the congregation and their extended families and the wider Tandragee Community.

The Church's purpose does not lead to harm.

The only private benefit flowing from our purpose is related to Ministers, Missionaries, Mission Workers, and Lay Agents who receive benefits as a result of their office or employment. Any private benefit is incidental and necessary to further our charitable purpose.

There are no other private benefits.

The Trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's Public Benefit requirement and stator guidance.

The Trustees wish to acknowledge their deep appreciation of those who give freely of their time by serving on committees and helping with our various organisations and other Church activities.

Activities

Tandragee Presbyterian Church has approximately 200 families in its membership. We are a faithful congregation who are prayerful and progressive whilst never losing sight of our Church's values and traditions.

We are a family orientated Church with a wide range of Church organisations catering for all ages, which over recent years have seen significant growth. Our organisations, Boys Brigade, Girls Brigade, Presbyterian Women, Men's Group, Parent and Toddler, Sunday School, Bible Class, Youth Groups and Friendship Group are equipped with a committed team of leaders.

We have a strong music ministry with an enthusiastic choir and praise group. Praise is fully integrated within our Sunday worship services particularly at Harvest, Easter and Christmas.

Our midweek (Bible Study and Prayer) meeting is central to all that takes place in our Church and is well supported by an enthusiastic and faithful team of believers who are representative of all ages and aspects of our Churches outreach.

Church Life Walk through the week...

Tandragee Presbyterian Church has a very busy weekly schedule of activities: -

Sunday

Often the busiest day in our week when we join as a Congregation to worship God.

Prior to the morning service the Sunday School meets over in the Church Hall and a prayer time is held in the Church before the morning service.

On a typical Sunday morning around 150 people attend our service at 11.30am. Children leave for Children's Church during the service and crèche facilities are available with audio streaming. Once a month we have a family service and this is followed by a cup of tea and fellowship after the service.

We meet again for evening Worship in the Church at 7pm.

We use audio visual technology in our worship and teaching. We also live stream the service so those unable to attend can join us in worship.

We use various methods of reaching those who cannot attend Sunday worship, through our CD ministry, bi-monthly Church magazine (delivered by elders to every home) and Church Website.

Monday

The PW meets monthly in the Church hall at 8pm. Members enjoy a varied programme of events including an annual PW outreach Church service followed by a soup lunch in the Church Hall.

The Anchor Boys also meet weekly on a Monday night.

Tuesday

Baby and Toddler Group every Tuesday Morning, a great opportunity for children to come together from the local community to play and have some fun, concludes with a snack and a short epilogue.

The Junior and Company sections of our Girls Brigade meet in the Church Hall on Tuesday nights.

Bible Study and Prayer Meeting

Midweek Meetings take place in the main Church building every Tuesday evening at 8pm. Bible study is followed by a prayer time. During the summer months (July and August) prayer meetings are held fortnightly.

Wednesday

The Choir meet for practice at 7pm in the Church and deliver special praise events at Harvest, Christmas and Easter.

Kirk Session / Church Committee: - Meetings are normally held (approx. 6 per year) on a Wednesday night after choir practice as required.

Thursday

'Come and Go' is an opportunity to come together for a coffee and chat.

The Explorer section of the Girls Brigade meets in the Church Hall on Thursday nights.

Friday

The Junior and Company sections of our Boys Brigade meet in the Church Hall on Friday nights.

Throughout the Year

Our location affords us the opportunity to have a prominent presence in the town. Tandragee is a growing commuter town with significant new house building currently taking place.

Our Church Hall was used throughout the year for Church lunches / Charity Coffee Mornings / BB and GB events.

As a congregation we have endeavoured to reach out to the local community through our Holiday Bible Club and Special Services (Harvest, Christmas and Easter).

Through the outreach of our range of Church organisations (as outlined in our Mission Plan) we would seek to reach out to all age groups of our local town and district.

The Church made donations throughout the year to the:-

United Church Appeal

Southern Area Regional Hospice

Earl Haig Poppy Appeal

Leprosy Mission

Wycliffe Bible Translators

Tear Fund

Review of Financial Position.

Financial performance for the year to 31st December 2024 was consistent with expectations; a surplus of receipts over payments of £1,727 was achieved.

The yearend balances totalled £257,247.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees by:-

Keith Johnston

Mr Keith Johnston (Clerk of Session)

56 Crammonhill Road

Markethill

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Charity No. 105215

Dated 2ndth April 2025.

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Independent Examiner's Report to the Charity Trustees of Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

I report on the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 December 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:

- examine the accounts under section 65 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Commission under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act
- to 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 any 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 matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.


James Robinson FCCA
WHR Accountants Limited
Chartered Certified Accountants
56 English Street
Armagh
BT61 7LG

Date 02/04/2025

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year Ended 31 December 2024

	Note	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Receipts						
Donations & Legacies	2	91,254	28,728	-	119,982	113,659
Charitable Activities	3	-	13,127	-	13,127	14,875
Other trading activities	4	-	-	-	-	-
Investment income	5	335	7	5,292	5,634	2,233
Other income	6	2,197	10	-	2,207	2,320
Total Receipts		93,786	41,872	5,292	140,950	133,087
Payments						
Raising Funds	7	-	-	-	-	2,340
Charitable Activities	8	93,028	46,195	-	139,223	121,793
Equipment		-	-	-	-	2,559
Total Payments		93,028	46,195	-	139,223	126,692
Net Receipts / Payments		758	(4,323)	5,292	1,727	6,395
Transfers net		(2,129)	450	1,679	-	-
Net movement in funds		(1,371)	(3,873)	6,971	1,727	6,395
Funds brought forward 01 January 2024		17,101	125,088	113,331	255,520	249,125
Deduct non cash/bank related Endowment Funds		-	-	-	-	-
Funds carried forward 31 December 2024	9	15,730	121,215	120,302	257,247	255,520

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities - Year Ended 31 December 2024

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Funds Reconciliation					
Bank and cash at start of year	17,101	125,088	113,331	255,520	249,125
Net movement in funds	(1,371)	(3,873)	6,971	1,727	6,395
Bank & cash at end of year	<u>15,730</u>	<u>121,215</u>	<u>120,302</u>	<u>257,247</u>	<u>255,520</u>

Bank & Cash Balances

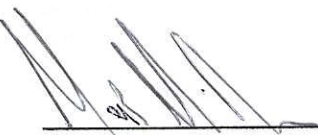
Deposit Accounts	120,582	113,331
Current Accounts	136,649	142,152
Cash in Hand	16	37
Total	<u>257,247</u>	<u>255,520</u>

Fixed Assets

Assets retained for the Church's own use comprise the following properties and are stated at insured valuations:-

Church Buildings and Contents	1,096,999	1,044,761
Church Hall and Contents	775,878	738,931
Manse at Markethill Road, Tandragee	616,290	586,943
	<u>2,489,166</u>	<u>2,370,635</u>

Approved by trustees on 02/04/2025 and signed on its behalf by:



 Chair
 Rev Mark McMaw
 Date: 02/04/2025

 Treasurer
 Mr Brian Johnston
 Date: 02/04/2025

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

As the total income of the congregation is less than £250,000 the congregation have elected in accordance with the provisions in The Charities (Accounts and Reports Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015 to prepare its accounts on a receipts and payments basis.

FUND ACCOUNTING

Endowment funds are funds, the capital of which must be retained either permanently or at the congregation's discretion; the income derived from the endowment is to be used either as restricted or unrestricted income funds depending upon the purpose for which the endowment was established in the first place.

Restricted funds comprise (a) income from endowments which is to be expended only on the restricted purposes intended by the donor and (b) revenue donations or grants for a specific congregational activity intended by the donor. Where these funds have unspent balances, interest on their pooled investment is apportioned to the individual funds on an average balance basis.

Unrestricted funds are income funds which are to be spent on the congregation's general purposes.

Designated funds are general funds set aside by the congregation for use in the future.

RECEIPTS

2. DONATIONS & LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
Loose collections	1,355	-	-	1,355
Donations & gifts	74,258	25,031	-	99,289
Gift Aid	12,641	3,697	-	16,338
Legacies & bequest	3,000	-	-	3,000
	<u>91,254</u>	<u>28,728</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>119,982</u>

3. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
Income from charitable activity & fundraising	-	4,450	-	4,450
Membership Fees	-	5,077	-	5,077
Grants	-	3,600	-	3,600
	<u>-</u>	<u>13,127</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,127</u>

4. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
Letting of Premises	-	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

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Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2024

5. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
Bank Interest	315	7	-	322
Bequest Interest	-	-	5,292	5,292
General Investment Interest	20	-	-	20
	<u>335</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5,292</u>	<u>5,634</u>

6. OTHER INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
Grave Fees	1,910	-	-	1,910
Other - Magazines	287	10	-	297
	<u>2,197</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,207</u>

PAYMENTS

7. RAISING FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
Fundraising	-	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

8. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2024 £
General Assembly Assessments & Payments	15,575	-	-	15,575
Presbytery Fees	646	-	-	646
Ministry & support staff	56,837	-	-	56,837
Running expenses	17,900	24,058	-	41,958
Donations to Missions/Charities	1,200	12,585	-	13,785
Governance costs	870	-	-	870
Fixed Assets	-	9,552	-	9,552
	<u>93,028</u>	<u>46,195</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>139,223</u>

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2024

9. FUND BALANCES

	Balance at start £	Receipts £	Payments £	Surplus/ (Deficit) £	Transfers nett £	Balance at end £
Unrestricted Funds						
General	17,101	93,786	93,028	758	(2,129)	15,730
	<u>17,101</u>	<u>93,786</u>	<u>93,028</u>	<u>758</u>	<u>(2,129)</u>	<u>15,730</u>
Restricted Funds						
United Appeal	-	6,124	6,124	-	-	-
Earl Haig Poppy App	-	200	200	-	-	-
Southern Area Hospice	-	300	300	-	-	-
Tear Fund	-	750	800	(50)	50	-
Children Society	-	225	-	225	-	225
Student Bursary Fund	-	662	607	55	-	55
Tandragee Veterans Support Centre	-	339	339	-	-	-
Kids for School	-	-	100	(100)	100	-
Wycliffe Bible Translators	-	-	100	(100)	100	-
Derek & Jane French	-	-	200	(200)	200	-
Tear Fund Account	4,001	4	15	(11)	-	3,990
Property / Building Fund	110,855	13,353	18,020	(4,667)	-	106,188
Presbyterian Women	932	3,306	2,896	410	-	1,342
Midweek	215	1,429	1,450	(21)	-	194
Little Wonders	622	1,005	825	180	-	802
Girls Brigade	5,034	8,757	9,186	(429)	-	4,605
Friendship Group	-	-	-	-	-	-
Boys Brigade	2,734	5,082	4,933	149	-	2,883
Sunday School	695	336	100	236	-	931
	<u>125,088</u>	<u>41,872</u>	<u>46,195</u>	<u>(4,323)</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>121,215</u>
Endowment Funds						
Bequest	106,108	5,172	-	5,172	(4,321)	106,959
GM GJames	6,219	104	-	104	6,000	12,323
Organ	1,004	16	-	16	-	1,020
	<u>113,331</u>	<u>5,292</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,292</u>	<u>1,679</u>	<u>120,302</u>
Total Funds	<u>255,520</u>	<u>140,950</u>	<u>139,223</u>	<u>1,727</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>257,247</u>

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Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year Ended 31 December 2023

	Note	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £	Total 2022 £
Receipts						
Donations & Legacies	2	87,409	26,250	-	113,659	110,963
Charitable Activities	3	1,200	13,675	-	14,875	16,433
Other trading activities	4	-	-	-	-	-
Investment income	5	343	9	1,881	2,233	730
Other income	6	2,320	-	-	2,320	1,660
Total Receipts		91,272	39,934	1,881	133,087	129,786
Payments						
Raising Funds	7	-	2,340	-	2,340	-
Charitable Activities	8	89,130	32,663	-	121,793	129,026
Equipment		2,559	-	-	2,559	-
Total Payments		91,689	35,003	-	126,692	129,026
Net Receipts / Payments		(417)	4,931	1,881	6,395	760
Transfers net		782	33	(815)	-	-
Net movement in funds		365	4,964	1,066	6,395	760
Funds brought forward 01 January 2023		16,736	120,124	112,265	249,125	248,365
Deduct non cash/bank related Endown Funds		-	-	-	-	-
Funds carried forward 31 December 2023	9	17,101	125,088	113,331	255,520	249,125

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities - Year Ended 31 December 2023

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £	Total 2022 £
Funds Reconciliation					
Bank and cash at start of year	16,736	120,124	112,265	249,125	248,365
Net movement in funds	365	4,964	1,066	6,395	760
Bank & cash at end of year	<u>17,101</u>	<u>125,088</u>	<u>113,331</u>	<u>255,520</u>	<u>249,125</u>

Bank & Cash Balances

Deposit Accounts			113,331	112,265
Current Accounts			142,152	136,860
Cash in Hand			37	-
Total			<u>255,520</u>	<u>249,125</u>

Fixed Assets

Assets retained for the Church's own use comprise the following properties and are stated at insured valuations:-

Church Buildings and Contents			1,044,761	971,870
Church Hall and Contents			738,931	687,378
Manse at Markethill Road, Tandragee			586,943	545,993
			<u>2,370,635</u>	<u>2,205,241</u>

Approved by trustees on 10/04/2024 and signed on its behalf by:

Chair
Mark McMaw
 Date: 10/04/2024

Treasurer
Brian Johnston
 Date: 10/04/2024

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RECEIPTS

2. DONATIONS & LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Loose collections	873	-	-	873
Donations & gifts	74,708	22,195	-	96,903
Gift Aid	11,828	4,055	-	15,883
Legacies & bequest	-	-	-	-
	<u>87,409</u>	<u>26,250</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>113,659</u>

3. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Income from charitable activity & fundraising	-	4,880	-	4,880
Membership Fees	-	4,285	-	4,285
Grants	1,200	4,510	-	5,710
	<u>1,200</u>	<u>13,675</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,875</u>

4. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Letting of Premises	-	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

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Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2023

5. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Bank Interest	318	9	-	327
Bequest Interest	-	-	1,881	1,881
General Investment Interest	25	-	-	25
	<u>343</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1,881</u>	<u>2,233</u>

6. OTHER INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Grave Fees	1,420	-	-	1,420
Other - From Girl's Bridage	900	-	-	900
	<u>2,320</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,320</u>

PAYMENTS

7. RAISING FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Fundraising	-	2,340	-	2,340
	<u>-</u>	<u>2,340</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,340</u>

8. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
General Assembly Assessments & Payments	15,459	-	-	15,459
Presbytery Fees	912	-	-	912
Ministry & support staff	55,663	-	-	55,663
Running expenses	16,206	18,826	-	35,032
Donations to Missions/Charities	200	13,837	-	14,037
Governance costs	690	-	-	690
Fixed Assets	-	-	-	-
	<u>89,130</u>	<u>32,663</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>121,793</u>

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Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2023

9. FUND BALANCES

	Balance at start £	Receipts £	Payments £	Surplus/ (Deficit) £	Transfers nett £	Balance at end £
Unrestricted Funds						
General	16,736	91,272	91,689	(417)	782	17,101
	<u>16,736</u>	<u>91,272</u>	<u>91,689</u>	<u>(417)</u>	<u>782</u>	<u>17,101</u>
Restricted Funds						
United Appeal	-	6,776	6,776	-	-	-
Earl Haig Poppy App	-	67	100	(33)	33	-
Southern Area Hospice	-	400	400	-	-	-
Tear Fund	-	1,010	1,010	-	-	-
Children Society	-	550	550	-	-	-
Tear Fund Account	4,012	4	15	(11)	-	4,001
Property / Building Fund	105,519	12,809	7,473	5,336	-	110,855
Presbyterian Women	993	3,010	3,071	(61)	-	932
Midweek	539	1,076	1,400	(324)	-	215
Little Wonders	273	730	387	343	6	622
Girls Brigade	5,291	8,346	8,603	(257)	-	5,034
Friendship Group	6	-	-	-	(6)	-
Boys Brigade	2,507	5,136	4,909	227	-	2,734
Sunday School	984	20	309	(289)	-	695
	<u>120,124</u>	<u>39,934</u>	<u>35,003</u>	<u>4,931</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>125,088</u>
Endowment Funds						
Bequest	105,951	1,801	-	1,801	(1,644)	106,108
GM Gjames	5,323	67	-	67	829	6,219
Organ	991	13	-	13	-	1,004
	<u>112,265</u>	<u>1,881</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,881</u>	<u>(815)</u>	<u>113,331</u>
Total Funds	<u>249,125</u>	<u>133,087</u>	<u>126,692</u>	<u>6,395</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>255,520</u>

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105215

Annual report

**Tandragree Congregation
of the
Presbyterian Church in Ireland**

Trustee Report
and
Receipts and Payments Account
for the year ended 31st December 2023.

Tandragee Presbyterian Church.

Trustees Annual Report for the year ended 31st December 2023.

The Trustees present the annual report and statements of receipts and payments and assets and liabilities for the year ended 31st December 2024.

Trustees

Rev Mark McMaw

Mervyn Black

Walter Black

David Knight

Albert Johnston

Brian Johnston

Keith Johnston

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Governance and Management.

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Within this structure there are various committees and subcommittees to carry out the various programs and endeavours.

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The direct benefits which flow from the church's activities are: -

1. Enhancement and wellbeing from appreciation of the word of God.
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3. Enjoyment of community togetherness
4. Support for those in need of spiritual guidance and comfort
5. Support for those in our community who desire pastoral visits.

The Church's beneficiaries are the members of the congregation and their extended families and the wider Tandragee Community.

The Church's purpose does not lead to harm.

The only private benefit flowing from our purpose is related to Ministers, Missionaries, Mission Workers, and Lay Agents who receive benefits as a result of their office or employment. Any private benefit is incidental and necessary to further our charitable purpose.

There are no other private benefits.

The Trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's Public Benefit requirement and stator guidance.

The Trustees wish to acknowledge their deep appreciation of those who give freely of their time by serving on committees and helping with our various organisations and other Church activities.

Activities

Tandragee Presbyterian Church has approximately 200 families in its membership. We are a faithful congregation who are prayerful and progressive whilst never losing sight of our Church's values and traditions.

We are a family orientated Church with a wide range of Church organisations catering for all ages, which over recent years have seen significant growth. Our organisations, Boys Brigade, Girls Brigade, Presbyterian Women, Men's Group, Parent and Toddler, Sunday School, Bible Class, Youth Groups and Friendship Group are equipped with a committed team of leaders.

We have a strong music ministry with an enthusiastic choir and praise group. Praise is fully integrated within our Sunday worship services particularly at Harvest, Easter and Christmas.

Our midweek (Bible Study and Prayer) meeting is central to all that takes place in our Church and is well supported by an enthusiastic and faithful team of believers who are representative of all ages and aspects of our Churches outreach.

Church Life Walk through the week...

Tandragee Presbyterian Church has a very busy weekly schedule of activities: -

Sunday

Often the busiest day in our week when we join as a Congregation to worship God.

Prior to the morning service the Sunday School meets over in the Church Hall and a prayer time is held in the Church before the morning service.

On a typical Sunday morning around 150 people attend our service at 11.30am. Children leave for Children's Church during the service and crèche facilities are available with audio streaming. Once a month we have a family service and this is followed by a cup of tea and fellowship after the service.

We meet again for evening Worship in the Church at 7pm.

We use audio visual technology in our worship and teaching. We also live stream the service so those unable to attend can join us in worship.

We use various methods of reaching those who cannot attend Sunday worship, through our CD ministry, bi-monthly Church magazine (delivered by elders to every home) and Church Website.

Monday

The PW meets monthly in the Church hall at 8pm. Members enjoy a varied programme of events including an annual PW outreach Church service followed by a soup lunch in the Church Hall.

The Anchor Boys also meet weekly on a Monday night.

Tuesday

Baby and Toddler Group every Tuesday Morning, a great opportunity for children to come together from the local community to play and have some fun, concludes with a snack and a short epilogue.

The Junior and Company sections of our Girls Brigade meet in the Church Hall on Tuesday nights.

Bible Study and Prayer Meeting

Midweek Meetings take place in the main Church building every Tuesday evening at 8pm. Bible study is followed by a prayer time. During the summer months (July and August) prayer meetings are held fortnightly.

Wednesday

The Choir meet for practice at 7pm in the Church and deliver special praise events at Harvest, Christmas and Easter.

Kirk Session / Church Committee: - Meetings are normally held (approx. 6 per year) on a Wednesday night after choir practice as required.

Thursday

'Come and Go' is an opportunity to come together for a coffee and chat.

The Explorer section of the Girls Brigade meets in the Church Hall on Thursday nights.

Friday

The Junior and Company sections of our Boys Brigade meet in the Church Hall on Friday nights.

Throughout the Year

Our location affords us the opportunity to have a prominent presence in the town. Tandragee is a growing commuter town with significant new house building currently taking place.

Our Church Hall was used throughout the year for Church lunches / Charity Coffee Mornings / BB and GB events.

As a congregation we have endeavoured to reach out to the local community through our Holiday Bible Club and Special Services (Harvest, Christmas and Easter).

Through the outreach of our range of Church organisations (as outlined in our Mission Plan) we would seek to reach out to all age groups of our local town and district.

The Church made donations throughout the year to the:-

United Church Appeal

Southern Area Regional Hospice

Earl Haig Poppy Appeal

Leprosy Mission

Wycliffe Bible Translators

Tear Fund

Review of Financial Position.

Financial performance for the year to 31st December 2023 was consistent with expectations; a surplus of receipts over payments of £6395 was achieved.

The yearend balances totalled £255520

Signed on behalf of the Trustees by:-

Keith Johnston

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Charity No. 105215 Dated 10th April 2024.

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105215

Annual return

Charity No: NIC 105215

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of the
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Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year Ended 31 December 2023

	Note	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £	Total 2022 £
Receipts						
Donations & Legacies	2	87,409	26,250	-	113,659	110,963
Charitable Activities	3	1,200	13,675	-	14,875	16,433
Other trading activities	4	-	-	-	-	-
Investment income	5	343	9	1,881	2,233	730
Other income	6	2,320	-	-	2,320	1,660
Total Receipts		91,272	39,934	1,881	133,087	129,786
Payments						
Raising Funds	7	-	2,340	-	2,340	-
Charitable Activities	8	89,130	32,663	-	121,793	129,026
Equipment		2,559	-	-	2,559	-
Total Payments		91,689	35,003	-	126,692	129,026
Net Receipts / Payments		(417)	4,931	1,881	6,395	760
Transfers net		782	33	(815)	-	-
Net movement in funds		365	4,964	1,066	6,395	760
Funds brought forward 01 January 2023		16,736	120,124	112,265	249,125	248,365
Deduct non cash/bank related Endown Funds		-	-	-	-	-
Funds carried forward 31 December 2023	9	17,101	125,088	113,331	255,520	249,125

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Statement of Assets and Liabilities - Year Ended 31 December 2023

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Bank & Cash Balances

Deposit Accounts			113,331	112,265
Current Accounts			142,152	136,860
Cash in Hand			37	-
Total			<u>255,520</u>	<u>249,125</u>

Fixed Assets

Assets retained for the Church's own use comprise the following properties and are stated at insured valuations:-

Church Buildings and Contents			1,044,761	971,870
Church Hall and Contents			738,931	687,378
Manse at Markethill Road, Tandragee			586,943	545,993
			<u>2,370,635</u>	<u>2,205,241</u>

Approved by trustees on 10/04/2024 and signed on its behalf by:

Chair
Mark McMaw
 Date: 10/04/2024

Treasurer
Brian Johnston
 Date: 10/04/2024

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2023

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Restricted funds comprise (a) income from endowments which is to be expended only on the restricted purposes intended by the donor and (b) revenue donations or grants for a specific congregational activity intended by the donor. Where these funds have unspent balances, interest on their pooled investment is apportioned to the individual funds on an average balance basis.

Unrestricted funds are income funds which are to be spent on the congregation's general purposes.

Designated funds are general funds set aside by the congregation for use in the future.

RECEIPTS

2. DONATIONS & LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Loose collections	873	-	-	873
Donations & gifts	74,708	22,195	-	96,903
Gift Aid	11,828	4,055	-	15,883
Legacies & bequest	-	-	-	-
	87,409	26,250	-	113,659

3. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Income from charitable activity & fundraising	-	4,880	-	4,880
Membership Fees	-	4,285	-	4,285
Grants	1,200	4,510	-	5,710
	1,200	13,675	-	14,875

4. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Letting of Premises	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2023

5. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Bank Interest	318	9	-	327
Bequest Interest	-	-	1,881	1,881
General Investment Interest	25	-	-	25
	<u>343</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1,881</u>	<u>2,233</u>

6. OTHER INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Grave Fees	1,420	-	-	1,420
Other - From Girl's Bridage	900	-	-	900
	<u>2,320</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,320</u>

PAYMENTS

7. RAISING FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
Fundraising	-	2,340	-	2,340
	<u>-</u>	<u>2,340</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,340</u>

8. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2023 £
General Assembly Assessments & Payments	15,459	-	-	15,459
Presbytery Fees	912	-	-	912
Ministry & support staff	55,663	-	-	55,663
Running expenses	16,206	18,826	-	35,032
Donations to Missions/Charities	200	13,837	-	14,037
Governance costs	690	-	-	690
Fixed Assets	-	-	-	-
	<u>89,130</u>	<u>32,663</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>121,793</u>

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2023

9. FUND BALANCES

	Balance at start £	Receipts £	Payments £	Surplus/ (Deficit) £	Transfers nett £	Balance at end £
Unrestricted Funds						
General	16,736	91,272	91,689	(417)	782	17,101
	<u>16,736</u>	<u>91,272</u>	<u>91,689</u>	<u>(417)</u>	<u>782</u>	<u>17,101</u>
Restricted Funds						
United Appeal	-	6,776	6,776	-	-	-
Earl Haig Poppy App	-	67	100	(33)	33	-
Southern Area Hospice	-	400	400	-	-	-
Tear Fund	-	1,010	1,010	-	-	-
Children Society	-	550	550	-	-	-
Tear Fund Account	4,012	4	15	(11)	-	4,001
Property / Building Fund	105,519	12,809	7,473	5,336	-	110,855
Presbyterian Women	993	3,010	3,071	(61)	-	932
Midweek	539	1,076	1,400	(324)	-	215
Little Wonders	273	730	387	343	6	622
Girls Brigade	5,291	8,346	8,603	(257)	-	5,034
Friendship Group	6	-	-	-	(6)	-
Boys Brigade	2,507	5,136	4,909	227	-	2,734
Sunday School	984	20	309	(289)	-	695
	<u>120,124</u>	<u>39,934</u>	<u>35,003</u>	<u>4,931</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>125,088</u>
Endowment Funds						
Bequest	105,951	1,801	-	1,801	(1,644)	106,108
GM Gjames	5,323	67	-	67	829	6,219
Organ	991	13	-	13	-	1,004
	<u>112,265</u>	<u>1,881</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,881</u>	<u>(815)</u>	<u>113,331</u>
Total Funds	<u>249,125</u>	<u>133,087</u>	<u>126,692</u>	<u>6,395</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>255,520</u>

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105215

Accounts

Charity No: NIC 105215

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Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year Ended 31 December 2022

	Note	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £	Total 2021 £
Receipts						
Donations & Legacies	2	81,599	29,314	50	110,963	126,178
Charitable Activities	3	-	16,433	-	16,433	4,705
Other trading activities	4	-	-	-	-	-
Investment income	5	334	7	389	730	809
Other income	6	1,660	-	-	1,660	726
Total Receipts		83,593	45,754	439	129,786	132,418
Payments						
Raising Funds	7	-	-	-	-	-
Charitable Activities	8	83,802	45,224	-	129,026	115,650
Total Payments		83,802	45,224	-	129,026	115,650
Net Receipts / Payments		(209)	530	439	760	16,768
Transfers net		231	120	(351)	-	-
Net movement in funds		22	650	88	760	16,768
Funds brought forward 01 January 2022		16,714	119,474	112,177	248,365	231,597
Deduct non cash/bank related Endown Funds		-	-	-	-	-
Funds carried forward 31 December 2022	9	16,736	120,124	112,265	249,125	248,365

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Statement of Assets and Liabilities - Year Ended 31 December 2022

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £	Total 2021 £
Funds Reconciliation					
Bank and cash at start of year	16,714	119,474	112,177	248,365	231,597
Net movement in funds	22	650	88	760	16,768
Bank & cash at end of year	16,736	120,124	112,265	249,125	248,365

Bank & Cash Balances

Deposit Accounts				112,265	112,177
Current Accounts				136,860	136,188
Total				249,125	248,365

Fixed Assets

Assets retained for the Church's own use comprise the following properties and are stated at insured valuations:-

Church Buildings and Contents				971,870	904,065
Church Hall and Contents				687,378	639,421
Manse at Markethill Road, Tandragee				545,993	507,901
				2,205,241	2,051,387

Approved by trustees on 23/03/2023 and signed on its behalf by:

Chair
Mark McMaw
 Date: 23/03/2023

Treasurer
Brian Johnston
 Date: 23/03/2023

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

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RECEIPTS

2. DONATIONS & LEGACIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
Loose collections	776	-	-	776
Donations & gifts	69,886	25,818	50	95,754
Gift Aid	10,937	3,496	-	14,433
Legacies & bequest	-	-	-	-
	<u>81,599</u>	<u>29,314</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>110,963</u>

3. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
Income from charitable activity & fundraising	-	4,133	-	4,133
Membership Fees	-	5,063	-	5,063
Grants	-	7,237	-	7,237
	<u>-</u>	<u>16,433</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>16,433</u>

4. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
Letting of Premises	-	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

Notes to the Accounts - Year Ended 31 December 2022

5. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
Bank Interest	317	7	-	324
Bequest Interest	-	-	389	389
General Investment Interest	17	-	-	17
	<u>334</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>389</u>	<u>730</u>

6. OTHER INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
Grave Fees	1,360	-	-	1,360
Other - From Girl's Bridage	300	-	-	300
	<u>1,660</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,660</u>

PAYMENTS

7. RAISING FUNDS

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
Fundraising	-	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

8. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	Total 2022 £
General Assembly Assessments & Payments	14,086	-	-	14,086
Presbytery Fees	651	-	-	651
Ministry & support staff	53,474	-	-	53,474
Running expenses	14,831	19,313	-	34,144
Donations to Missions/Charities	100	16,195	-	16,295
Governance costs	660	-	-	660
Fixed Assets	-	9,716	-	9,716
	<u>83,802</u>	<u>45,224</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>119,310</u>

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church In Ireland

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Earl Haig Poppy App	-	108	128	(20)	20	-
Leprosy Mission	-	1,124	1,124	-	-	-
Southern Area Hospice	-	315	315	-	-	-
Tear Fund	-	600	700	(100)	100	-
Christian Aid	-	177	177	-	-	-
Ukraine Appeal	-	1,327	1,327	-	-	-
Tear Fund Account	4,020	4	12	(8)	-	4,012
Property / Building Fund	105,715	14,076	14,272	(196)	-	105,519
Presbyterian Women	944	1,274	1,225	49	-	993
Midweek	104	1,435	1,000	435	-	539
Little Wonders	113	660	500	160	-	273
Girls Brigade	4,407	10,570	9,686	884	-	5,291
Friendship	306	5	305	(300)	-	6
Boys Brigade	2,781	5,986	6,260	(274)	-	2,507
Sunday School	1,084	-	100	(100)	-	984
	119,474	45,754	45,224	530	120	120,124
Endowment Funds						
Bequest	105,920	382	-	382	(351)	105,951
GM Gjames	5,317	6	-	6	-	5,323
Organ	940	51	-	51	-	991
	112,177	439	-	439	(351)	112,265
Total Funds	248,365	129,786	129,026	760	-	249,125

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105215

Annual report

Tandragree Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Trustee Report

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Sunday

Often the busiest day in our week when we join as a Congregation to worship God.

Prior to the morning service the Sunday School meets over in the Church Hall and a prayer time is held in the Church before the morning service.

On a typical Sunday morning around 150 people attend our service at 11.30am. Children leave for Children's Church during the service and crèche facilities are available with audio streaming. Once a month we have a family service and this is followed by a cup of tea and fellowship after the service.

We meet again for evening Worship in the Church at 7pm.

We use audio visual technology in our worship and teaching. We also live stream the service so those unable to attend can join us in worship.

We use various methods of reaching those who cannot attend Sunday worship, through our CD ministry, bi-monthly Church magazine (delivered by elders to every home) and Church Website.

Monday

The PW meets monthly in the Church hall at 8pm. Members enjoy a varied programme of events including an annual PW outreach Church service followed by a soup lunch in the Church Hall.

The Anchor Boys also meet weekly on a Monday night.

Tuesday

Baby and Toddler Group every Tuesday Morning, a great opportunity for children to come together from the local community to play and have some fun, concludes with a snack and a short epilogue.

The Junior and Company sections of our Girls Brigade meet in the Church Hall on Tuesday nights.

Bible Study and Prayer Meeting

Midweek Meetings take place in the main Church building every Tuesday evening at 8pm. Bible study is followed by a prayer time. During the summer months (July and August) prayer meetings are held fortnightly.

Wednesday

The Choir meet for practice at 7pm in the Church and deliver special praise events at Harvest, Christmas and Easter.

Kirk Session / Church Committee: - Meetings are normally held (approx. 6 per year) on a Wednesday night after choir practice as required.

Thursday

'Come and Go' is an opportunity to come together for a coffee and chat.

The Explorer section of the Girls Brigade meets in the Church Hall on Thursday nights.

Friday

The Junior and Company sections of our Boys Brigade meet in the Church Hall on Friday nights.

Throughout the Year

Our location affords us the opportunity to have a prominent presence in the town. Tandragee is a growing commuter town with significant new house building currently taking place.

Our Church Hall was used throughout the year for Church lunches / Charity Coffee Mornings / BB and GB events and our annual Church meal and social.

As a congregation we have endeavoured to reach out to the local community through our Holiday Bible Club / Fun day, Open Air Service (held annually in the manse garden) and Special Services (Harvest, Christmas and Easter).

Through the outreach of our range of Church organisations (as outlined in our Mission Plan) we would seek to reach out to all age groups of our local town and district. The Church made donations throughout the year to the:-

United Church Appeal

Southern Area Regional Hospice

Earl Haig Poppy Appeal

Leprosy Mission

Wycliffe Bible Translators

Tear Fund

Ukraine Moderators Appeal

Christian Aid

Review of Financial Position.

Financial performance for the year to 31st December 2022 was consistent with expectations; a surplus of receipts over payments of £760 was achieved.

The yearend balances totalled £249,125.00

Signed on behalf of the Trustees by:-

Keith Johnston

Keith Johnston (Clerk of Session).

Charity No. 105215 Dated 27/3/2023

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Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105215

Annual return

Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Independent Examiner's Report to the Charity Trustees of Tandragee Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

I report on the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 December 2022.

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:

- examine the accounts under section 65 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Commission under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act
- to 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.

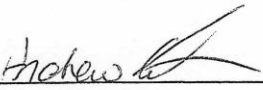
My examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

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



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Date 23/03/2023