

Myroe Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland · Charity number 105314

Details

Status Received

Registered 2016-08-09

Register [View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register](#)

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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	£87,016	£77,410	£0	2

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Andrew Blair		
Andrew Paul		
Dorothy Cunningham		
Geoffrey Jones		
Peter McGregor		
Richard Blair		

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year ended 31 December 2024

	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2024 £'s	Total 2024 £'s	Total 2023 £'s
Receipts					
1 Regular Direct Giving	58,995	19,805		78,800	68,530
2 Donations and Legacies	3,965	3,417		7,382	4,110
3 Activities that generate income	480	0		480	432
4 Investment income	262	57	0	319	336
5 Other income sources	35	0	0	35	793
Total receipts	63,736	23,280	0	87,016	74,201
Payments					
6 Central Church Assessments	8,558	0	0	8,558	7,664
7 Ministry and Support Staff	27,991	347	0	28,339	26,679
8 Life and work	6,644	2,033	0	8,676	6,982
9 Governance	1,073	95	0	1,168	942
10 Property and equipment	10,242	5,496	0	15,738	24,756
11 Grants to missions and charities	700	14,231	0	14,931	14,996
	55,208	22,202	0	77,410	82,018
Asset and Investment Purchase					
Equipment	0	0			
Total Payments	55,208	22,202	0	77,410	82,018
Net Receipts/(payments)	8,528	1,078	0	9,606	-7,817
Transfers	-577	577			
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	7,951	1,655	0	9,606	-7,817

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As at 31 December 2024

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total Funds 2024	Total Funds 2023
	£	£	£	£	£
Funds Reconciliation					
At Start of year	67,794	38,373	5,700	111,867	119,684
Net movement in funds	8,528	1,117	-6	9,639	-7,817
Transfers	-577	571	6	0	0
Bank and cash at end of year	75,745	40,061	5,700	121,506	111,867
Bank and cash balances					
Bank current Account				96,295	111,732
Deposit Account No1				25,000	0
Cash in hand				211	135
				<u>121,506</u>	<u>111,867</u>
Other Assets					
Church and Hall buildings - Note 14					
General Investment Fund Share value				2,429	2,162
				<u>2,429</u>	<u>2,162</u>
Liabilities - Nil					

Approved by the Kirk Session at a meeting of 23 March 2025 and signed on its behalf by;

Rev JG Jones *Gespy Jones*

Richard Blair *Richard Blair*
Clerk of Session

Date 26/03/25

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Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year ended 31 December 2024

	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2024 £'s	Total 2024 £'s	Total 2023 £'s
Receipts					
1 Regular Direct Giving					
Recorded Giving	47,380	15,459		62,838	55,941
Loose collections	2,558	903		3,461	1,388
Gift Aid	9,057	3,444		12,501	11,200
	<u>58,995</u>	<u>19,805</u>		<u>78,800</u>	<u>68,530</u>
2 Donations and Legacies					
Gift Days, special collections and donations	855	2,459		3,314	3,278
Legacies and bequests	1,000	0		1,000	0
Donations in lieu of flowers	1,170	630		1,800	595
Donations re heat and light	300	0		300	105
Subscriptions toward fellowship trips	640	328		968	132
	<u>3,965</u>	<u>3,417</u>		<u>7,382</u>	<u>4,110</u>
3 From Activities that generate Income					
Income from church magazines				480	432
4 Investment Income					
Bank Interest	262	0		262	291
General investment Fund		57		57	45
	<u>262</u>	<u>57</u>		<u>319</u>	<u>336</u>
5 Other income					
	<u>35</u>			<u>35</u>	<u>793</u>
Payments					
6 Central Church Assessments					
Central Ministry Fund	1,411			1,411	1,137
Communications Dept PCI	395			395	0
Ministers Pension Scheme	4,294			4,294	4,090
Widows of ministers fund	254			254	232
Incidental fund	1,015			1,015	930
Prolonged Disability Fund	197			197	232
Ministerial Development Fund	28			28	103
Sick Supply Fund	6			6	10
Church House repair fund	507			507	517
Students	451			451	413
Special Assembly	0			0	0
	<u>8,558</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>8,558</u>	<u>7,664</u>

	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2024 £'s	Total 2024 £'s	Total 2023 £'s
7 Ministry and Support Staff					
Minister	23,128	97		23,225	22,233
Other ministry and support staff	4,864	250		5,114	4,446
	<u>27,991</u>	<u>347</u>		<u>28,339</u>	<u>26,679</u>
8 Life and work					
Worship and fellowship	5,574	1,265		6,838	5,099
Discipleship and ministry	480	11		491	735
Mission and outreach	590	757		1,347	1,148
	<u>6,644</u>	<u>2,033</u>		<u>8,676</u>	<u>6,982</u>
9 Governance					
Other Professional fees	24	0		24	18
Advertising Printing etc	594	95		689	481
Bank Fees	156	0		156	154
Presbytery fees	299	0		299	288
	<u>1,073</u>	<u>95</u>		<u>1,168</u>	<u>942</u>
10 Property and equipment					
Utilities	5,705	0		5,705	6,384
Rates and ground rent		445		445	422
Repairs and Maintenance	4,537	2,215		6,751	12,761
Insurances		2,837		2,837	2,706
Purchases	0	0		0	2,483
	<u>10,242</u>	<u>5,496</u>		<u>15,738</u>	<u>24,756</u>
11 Grants to Missions and Charities					
United Appeal		5,500		5,500	6700
Other PCI schemes	200	5,300		5,500	4461.68
Other Missions and charities	500	3,431		3,931	3834.15
	<u>700</u>	<u>14,231</u>		<u>14,931</u>	<u>14,996</u>

12 Fund balances

	Balance at start £'s	Receipts £'s	Payments £'s	Surplus/ deficit £'s	Transfers £'s	Balance at end £'s
Unrestricted Funds						
General Fund	67,794	63,736	55,208	8,528	-577	75,745
Restricted Funds						
Property fund	5,908	7676	4847	2,829	26	8,763
United Appeal	1,390	5628	5500	128		1,518
World development	265	2444	2700	-256		9
Pres Children's Society	227	1431	1626	-195		32
RBL Poppy appeal fund	0	92	115	-23		-23
UDR Benevolent Fund	0		0	0		0
Moderators Appeal	0	0	0	0		0
Manse Fund	29,143	0	650	-650	68	28,561
Sunday School	482	1011	1434	-422	3	62
Harvest Appeal	-474	2785	2800	-15		-489
Presbyterian Women	1,297	2079	1934	145	-25	1,417
Seniors	135	94	518	-424	500	211
Endowment funds						
Bequest Fund	5,700	57	63	-6	6	5,700
Total	111,867	87,034	77,394	9,639	0	121,506

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14 Fixed Assets

The Congregation owns the Church premises situated at 112a Seacoast Road and the associated fixtures, fittings, plant and machinery. These have an insurance value of £2,935,814 at the last renewal date of 31 October 2024

15 Investments

See Statement of Assets and Liabilities

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Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year ended 31 December 2023

	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2023 £'s	Total 2023 £'s	Total 2022 £'s
Receipts					
1 Regular Direct Giving	49,566	18,964		68,530	72,819
2 Donations and Legacies	1,699	2,411		4,110	6,561
3 Activities that generate income	432	0		432	405
4 Investment income	291	45	0	336	305
5 Other income sources	793	0	0	793	8
Total receipts	52,781	21,420	0	74,201	80,099
Payments					
6 Central Church Assessments	7,664	0	0	7,664	7,816
7 Ministry and Support Staff	26,346	333	0	26,679	25,005
8 Life and work	5,176	1,807	0	6,982	5,404
9 Governance	942	0	0	942	888
10 Property and equipment	9,745	12,529	0	24,756	16,050
11 Grants to missions and charities	450	14,546	0	14,996	21,963
	50,321	29,214	0	82,018	77,127
Asset and Investment Purchase					
Equipment	2,483	0			
Total Payments	52,803	29,214	0	82,018	77,127
Net Receipts/(payments)	-23	-7,794	0	-7,817	2,972
Transfers	-6,685	6,685			
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	-6,708	-1,109	0	-7,817	2,972

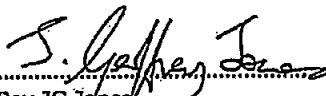
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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

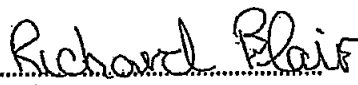
As at 31 December 2023

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total Funds 2023	Total Funds 2022
	£	£	£	£	£
Funds Reconciliation					
At Start of year	74,502	39,482	5,700	119,684	116,712
Net movement in funds	-23	-7,788	-6	-7,817	2,972
Transfers	-6,685	6,679	6	0	0
Bank and cash at end of year	67,794	38,373	5,700	111,867	119,684
Bank and cash balances					
Bank current Account				111,732	119,606
Cash in hand				135	78
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				111,867	119,684
Other Assets					
Church and Hall buildings - Note 14					
General Investment Fund Share value				2,162	2,126
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Liabilities - Nil					
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Approved by the Kirk Session at a meeting of 27 October 2024 and signed on its behalf by;


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Rev JG Jones

Date 27/10/2024


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Richard Blair

Date 27/10/2024

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	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2023 £'s	Total 2023 £'s	Total 2022 £'s
Receipts					
1 Regular Direct Giving					
Recorded Giving	40,716	15,226		55,941	59,343
Loose collections	825	563		1,388	1,015
Gift Aid	8,025	3,175		11,200	12,462
	<u>49,566</u>	<u>18,964</u>		<u>68,530</u>	<u>72,819</u>
2 Donations and Legacies					
Gift Days, special collections and donations	891	2,387		3,278	5,271
Legacies and bequests					
Donations in lieu of flowers	595			595	1,190
Donations re heat and light	105			105	100
Subscriptions toward fellowship trips	108	24		132	0
	<u>1,699</u>	<u>2,411</u>		<u>4,110</u>	<u>6,561</u>
3 From Activities that generate Income					
Income from church magazines					
	<u>432</u>			<u>432</u>	<u>405</u>
4 Investment Income					
Bank Interest	291	0		291	258
General investment Fund		45		45	47
	<u>291</u>	<u>45</u>		<u>336</u>	<u>305</u>
5 Other income					
	<u>793</u>			<u>793</u>	<u>8</u>
Payments					
6 Central Church Assessments					
Central Ministry Fund	1,137			1,137	1,279
Ministers Pension Scheme	4,090			4,090	3,895
Retired Ministers fund	0			0	0
Widows of ministers fund	232			232	266
Incidental fund	930			930	986
Prolonged Disability Fund	232			232	213
Ministerial Development Fund	103			103	122
Sick Supply Fund	10			10	16
Church House repair fund	517			517	533
Students	413			413	506
Special Assembly	0			0	0
	<u>7,664</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>7,664</u>	<u>7,816</u>

	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2023 £'s	Total 2023 £'s	Total 2022 £'s
7 Ministry and Support Staff					
Minister	22,154	78		22,233	20,841
Other ministry and support staff	4,191	255		4,446	4,164
	<u>26,346</u>	<u>333</u>		<u>26,679</u>	<u>25,005</u>
8 Life and work					
Worship and fellowship	4,202	897		5,099	3,736
Discipleship and ministry	724	11		735	535
Mission and outreach	250	898		1,148	1,133
	<u>5,176</u>	<u>1,807</u>		<u>6,982</u>	<u>5,404</u>
9 Governance					
Other Professional fees	18	0		18	24
Advertising Printing etc	481	0		481	477
Bank Fees	154			154	131
Presbytery fees	288			288	257
	<u>942</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>942</u>	<u>888</u>
10 Property and equipment					
Utilities	6,384			6,384	3,913
Rates and ground rent		422		422	395
Repairs and Maintenance	3,360	9,401		12,761	6,914
Insurances		2,706		2,706	2,522
Purchases	2,483	0		2,483	2,306
	<u>12,227</u>	<u>12,529</u>		<u>24,756</u>	<u>16,050</u>
11 Grants to Missions and Charities					
United Appeal		6,700		6,700	5500
Other PCI schemes	200	4,262		4,462	9924.99
Other Missions and charities	250	3,584		3,834	6537.68
	<u>450</u>	<u>14,546</u>		<u>14,996</u>	<u>21,963</u>

12 Fund balances

	Balance at start £'s	Receipts £'s	Payments £'s	Surplus/ deficit £'s	Transfers £'s	Balance at end £'s
Unrestricted Funds						
General Fund	74,502	52,781	52,803	-23	-6,685	67,794
Restricted Funds						
Property fund	6,622	6847	7561	-714	1	5,908
United Appeal	2,112	5978	6700	-722		1,390
World development	212	1575	1522	52		265
Pres Children's Society	24	1437	1234	204		227
RBL Poppy appeal fund	0	168	168	0		0
UDR Benevolent Fund	0		0	0		0
Moderators Appeal	342	63	406	-342		0
Manse Fund	30,070	0	4994	-4,994	4,068	29,143
Sunday School	-302	172	1391	-1,219	2,002	482
Harvest Appeal	-379	2805	2900	-95		-474
Presbyterian Women	703	2273	1787	486	108	1,297
Seniors	78	57	500	-443	500	135
Endowment funds						
Bequest Fund	5,700	45	51	-6	6	5,700
Total	119,684	74,201	82,017	-7,817	0	111,867

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15 Investments

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Annual report

Trustees Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended

31st December 2023

Registered Charity in Northern Ireland (NIC105314)

The Trustees present their Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31st December 2023 including a Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at that date.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

MYROE congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland 110 Seacoast Road Limavady BT49 9EG Registered Charity in Northern Ireland (NIC105314)

CHARITY TRUSTEES

The Charity Trustees who served during the year or who were trustees at the date of this report were;

Mrs. Dorothy Cunningham.

Mr Peter McGregor

Mr Richard Blair

Rev J G Jones.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE BEARERS

Minister

Rev. J G Jones.

Clerk of Session

Mr. Richard Blair

Treasurer

Mr. Austin Montgomery

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

William Clyde 46 Roemill Road, Limavady. BT49 9BB.

BANKERS

Danske Bank. 46 Catherine Street. Limavady. BT49 90B.

SOLICITORS

R G Connell & Son. 13 Main St, Limavady. BT49 OBP

STRUCTURE AND MANAGEMENT

The Kirk Session

The charity trustees of the congregation are the members of its Kirk Session. Under the congregation's governing document, The Code, the book of the constitution and government of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, the Kirk Session seeks to watch over and promote the spiritual interest of the congregation and of persons not connected with any congregation who are within its bounds. It ensures pastoral care is in place in the congregation and seeks to further the contribution of the Church to Christian witness and service in the local community. The Kirk Session has delegated to its Congregational Committee the temporal affairs of the congregation including administering all funds and property belonging to the congregation. Members of the Kirk Session are ex-officio members of the Congregational Committee.

The Kirk Session consists of the ordained minister and the ruling elders of the congregation. All members are entitled to propose, speak and exercise equal votes at meetings, except that the Moderator, the ministers in active duty in the congregation, has no deliberative but only a casting vote.

Stated meetings of the Kirk session are held monthly (9 times per year).

To be chosen for the office of the eldership in the congregation a person must be a voting member and a regular attendant on its ordinances. The selection of those proposed to be called to the office can be either by the congregation or by the Kirk Session. Members are elected if they obtain one third of those who vote.

Presbytery

Under the Presbyterian Church in Ireland form of governance the corporate oversight of a congregation is the responsibility of a Presbytery which superintends generally the spiritual and temporal affairs of the congregations assigned to it by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. Myroe congregation of the Presbyterian Church has been assigned to the Coleraine and Limavady Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. The membership of the Presbytery consists mainly of the active ministers of congregations assigned to it by the General Assembly, ministers who have retired from active duty and an elder appointed by the Kirk Session of the congregation.

The General Assembly

The General Assembly is the supreme court of the Church, representing in one body the whole Church and acting as its supreme legislative, administration and judicial authority, in dealing with all matters brought before it. The General Assembly is normally constituted during the first week in June for worship and to conduct its business. At the end of business it is dissolved. The membership of the General Assembly consists mainly of the active ministers of each congregation, retired ministers and a representative elder appointed by the Kirk Session of each congregation.

DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE

The charitable purpose of the congregation is the advancement of religion.

Myroe congregation of the Presbyterian Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. 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.

The congregation's mission purpose is to Worship and Glorify God by Bible based Evangelism, Education and care for others, by the grace of God, to help people of all ages become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ. Our vision is, by the grace of God, to be an inclusive, welcoming community of Christ's people of all ages, which:

- is increasingly characterised by love for God, and love and concern for others;
- is committed to the historic Christian gospel as revealed in the Bible;
- is relevant to people of this time and place.

The congregation aims to live out its Mission and Vision as a family of God's people by being:

- A Covenant Community: where our relationships are rooted in the promises of God by living faithfully toward him and toward one another
- An Inter-generational Community: where adults intentionally take the lead to engage with, encourage and nurture younger members to maturity in Christ
- An Outward looking Community: where we want the blessings of God that belong to us in the gospel to become blessings for others beyond the bounds of our community.

As a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, we believe that the Bible is the supreme authority over all we do, and that the Westminster Confession of Faith, along with the Larger and Shorter Catechisms set out what we understand the Bible teaches on key matters of Christian faith and practice.

ACTIVITIES AND OBJECTIVES

The congregation meets for worship every Sunday and visitors are welcome to join. Services are recorded and uploaded to YouTube for the benefit of those who are unable to attend and as an outreach to others. The Sacrament of the Lords Supper is observed on three occasions throughout the year. All those who have been baptised and who have made a profession of faith in the Lord Jesus Christ are admitted to the Lord's Supper. The congregation holds weekly Prayer Meetings and Bible Study on a Wednesday night and has a wide range of organisations including

- Sunday School
- Meet up Monday's club
- Youth Club --- S.N.L.
- Monday night Bible Study on zoom
- Senior Citizens club
- Presbyterian Women
- Holiday Bible Club in August
- Joint Meeting of Ladies Bible Study in Second Limavady PC

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Worship and Prayer

The congregation normally meets for worship each Sunday at 10.15am. During the week the Prayer Meeting and Bible Study provides an opportunity for members to meet together for fellowship, and for a time of prayer.

As well as our regular services during the year we gave thanks for faithful attendance at services and sought to comfort those who had been bereaved during the year.

At 31 December 2023 there were 280 communicant members and 132 families connected with the congregation.

Pastoral care

Members of the congregation who are unable to attend church due to sickness or age are visited on a regular basis by the minister and elders.

Mission and outreach

At a local level the congregation's local mission and outreach, including donations to external missions and agencies, include the following: Saturday Night Live, P.W. Coffee Evening. P.W. Guest Night, Praise Service, Holiday Bible Club, meet up Mondays and contemporary worship events called We Worship that we seek to hold six times a year.

The Global Mission we supported: Garden of Hope in Kenya and International Meeting point under the auspices of The Presbyterian Church in Ireland.

The congregation supports the United Appeal for Mission which is a central fund of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. This fund enables congregations to support the wider mission of the denomination and to do mission and outreach on a denominational basis beyond what the congregation could do on its own. The United Appeal Fund provides financial support for mission personnel at home and overseas, assists congregations with the deployment of locally based staff, enables church planting, provides grant support for the upkeep of church premises, assist with the running costs of Union Theological College, the Church's training college for ministry students, and financially supports congregation in the areas of worship, discipleship, global mission, outreach, leadership and pastoral care.

The congregation also contributes to the denominations annual World Development Appeal, Sunday School project and any other special appeals.

Presbytery

The congregation was represented at the regular meetings of Presbytery by our minister and / or one of the elders. This provides an important link between the congregations and the wider structures of the church.

General Assembly

The minister and one of our elders were nominated to attend the meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland held in Assembly Buildings, Belfast, in June.

Property

There was no significant investment in property during 2023.

Organisations

A brief summary of our organisations that meet throughout the year are as follows:

S.N.L. (youth club) meets in our hall on the 1st Saturday of each month with an average attendance of 16 young people.

Senior Citizens meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each Month. They have a guest speaker each meeting. There are about 35 people attending each meeting.

Our Holiday Bible Club runs annually during the first week in August. The numbers attending have grown year on year to approximately 50 young people of primary school age attending each day. We have 30 helpers from the Congregation.

Our P.W. meets monthly from September to Easter with approximately 25 ladies attending each night.

Our Sunday School and Creche meets weekly with an attendance of 34 children.

Meet up Monday's - Meet weekly to provide opportunities for fun, fellowship and craft for all ages. There are around 24 each week.

Ladies Bible Study meets weekly jointly with Second Limavady with 7 from Myroe attending.

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The 2023 accounts closed recording a deficit of income over expenditure of £7,817. This was mainly due to the purchase of a replacement large screen TV for the church, replacement lighting for the halls and repairs to the manse, in total amounting to £8,380.

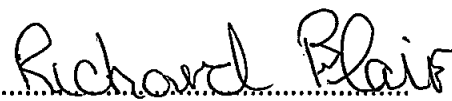
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.....
Rev JG Jones


.....
Richard Blair

Date 27/10/2024

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Myroe Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105314

Annual return

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William Clyde.

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F.M.A.A.T.

46 Roemill Road

Limavady

14th March 2024

Myroe Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

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Accounts

MYROE CONGREGATION OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN IRELAND

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

Statement of Receipts and Payments - Year ended 31 December 2022

	Unrestricted Funds £'s	Restricted Funds £'s	Endowment Funds Total 2022 £'s	Total 2022 £'s	Total 2021 £'s
Receipts					
1 Regular Direct Giving	47,820	25,000		72,819	60,491
2 Donations and Legacies	4,555	2,006		6,561	1,923
3 Activities that generate income	405	0		405	0
4 Investment income	258	47	0	305	319
5 Other income sources	8	0	0	8	8
Total receipts	53,046	27,053	0	80,099	62,741
Payments					
6 Central Church Assessments	7,816	0	0	7,816	7,597
7 Ministry and Support Staff	24,620	385	0	25,005	22,097
8 Life and work	2,894	2,510	0	5,404	3,521
9 Governance	867	22	0	888	978
10 Property and equipment	7,465	6,279	0	16,050	11,481
11 Grants to missions and charities	3,650	18,313	0	21,963	11,927
	47,312	27,509	0	77,127	57,601
Asset and Investment Purchase					
Equipment	2,306	0			
Total Payments	49,618	27,509	0	77,127	57,601
Net Receipts/(payments)	3,428	-456	0	2,972	5,140
Transfers	-77	77			
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	3,351	-379	0	2,972	5,140

MYROE CONGREGATION OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN IRELAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As at 31 December 2022

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total Funds 2022	Total Funds 2021
	£	£	£	£	£
Funds Reconciliation					
At Start of year	71,151	39,861	5,700	116,712	111,572
Net movement in funds	3,428	-450	-6	2,972	5,140
Transfers	-77	70	7	0	0
Bank and cash at end of year	74,502	39,481	5,701	119,684	116,712
Bank and cash balances					
Bank current Account				119,606	116,629
Cash in hand				78	83
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				119,684	116,712
Other Assets					
Church and Hall buildings - Note 14					
General Investment Fund Share value				2,126	2,209
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Liabilities - Nil					
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Approved by the Kirk Session at a meeting of 8th November 2023 and signed on its behalf by;

[Name] 

[Name] 

Date 08-Nov-23

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MYROE CONGREGATION OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN IRELAND

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

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1 Regular Direct Giving					
Recorded Giving	39,374	19,969		59,343	48,908
Loose collections	570	445		1,015	653
Gift Aid	7,876	4,586		12,462	15,821
	<u>47,820</u>	<u>25,000</u>		<u>72,819</u>	<u>65,382</u>
2 Donations and Legacies					
Gift Days, special collections and donations	3,265	2,006		5,271	4,069
Legacies and bequests					
Donations in lieu of flowers	1,190			1,190	880
Donations re heat and light	100			100	
Subscriptions toward fellowship trips				0	252
	<u>4,555</u>	<u>2,006</u>		<u>6,561</u>	<u>5,201</u>
3 From Activities that generate Income					
Income from church magazines				<u>405</u>	<u>405</u>
4 Investment Income					
Bank Interest	258	0		258	274
General investment Fund		47		47	45
	<u>258</u>	<u>47</u>		<u>305</u>	<u>319</u>
5 Other income					
	<u>8</u>			<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>
Payments					
6 Central Church Assessments					
Central Ministry Fund	1,279			1,279	1,437
Ministers Pension Scheme	3,895			3,895	3,465
Retired Ministers fund	0			0	0
Widows of ministers fund	266			266	329
Incidental fund	986			986	1,108
Prolonged Disability Fund	213			213	240
Ministerial Development Fund	122			122	156
Sick Supply Fund	16			16	24
Church House repair fund	533			533	629
Students	506			506	209
Special Assembly	0			0	0
	<u>7,816</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>7,816</u>	<u>7,597</u>

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7 Ministry and Support Staff					
Minister	20,761	80		20,841	18,211
Other ministry and support staff	3,859	305		4,164	3,885
	<u>24,620</u>	<u>385</u>		<u>25,005</u>	<u>22,097</u>
8 Life and work					
Worship and fellowship	2,281	1,455		3,736	2,285
Discipleship and ministry	513	22		535	0
Mission and outreach	100	1,033		1,133	1,236
	<u>2,894</u>	<u>2,510</u>		<u>5,404</u>	<u>3,521</u>
9 Governance					
Other Professional fees	24	0		24	270
Advertising Printing etc	455	22		477	358
Bank Fees	131			131	121
Presbytery fees	257			257	229
	<u>867</u>	<u>22</u>		<u>888</u>	<u>978</u>
10 Property and equipment					
Utilities	3,913			3,913	2,650
Rates and ground rent		395		395	389
Repairs and Maintenance	3,552	3,361		6,914	5,729
Insurances		2,522		2,522	2,314
Purchases	2,306	0		2,306	399
	<u>9,771</u>	<u>6,279</u>		<u>16,050</u>	<u>11,481</u>
11 Grants to Missions and Charities					
United Appeal		5,500		5,500	5600
Other PCI schemes	200	9,725		9,925	3561.26
Other Missions and charities	3,450	3,088		6,538	2766
	<u>3,650</u>	<u>18,313</u>		<u>21,963</u>	<u>11,927</u>

12 Fund balances

	Balance at start £'s	Receipts £'s	Payments £'s	Surplus/ deficit £'s	Transfers £'s	Balance at end £'s
Unrestricted Funds						
General Fund	71,151	53,046	49,618	3,428	-77	74,502
Restricted Funds						
Property fund	2,818	7207	3405	3,803	1	6,622
United Appeal	1,162	6450	5500	950		2,112
World development	1,260	322	1370	-1,048		212
Pres Children's Society	169	1220	1396	-176	31	24
RBL Poppy appeal fund	10	127	137	-10		0
UDR Benevolent Fund	35		35	-35		0
Moderators Appeal	0	7301	6959	342		342
Manse Fund	32,903	0	2901	-2,901	68	30,070
Sunday School	1,143	121	1568	-1,447	2	-302
Harvest Appeal	-244	2265	2400	-135		-379
Presbyterian Women	522	1847	1635	212	-31	703
Seniors	83	145	150	-5	0	78
Endowment funds						
Bequest Fund	5,700	47	53	-6	6	5,700
Total	116,712	80,098	77,126	2,972	0	119,684

- 13 The congregation has reviewed the basis on which it prepares its accounts and in order that these are prepared on a strict receipts and payments basis it has eliminated from its fund balances any funds which are not held in bank or cash balances. Any other funds, which the congregation holds, in particular investments, are disclosed on the statement of assets and liabilities.

14 Fixed Assets

The Congregation owns the Church premises situated at 112a Seacoast Road and the associated fixtures, fittings, plant and machinery. These have an insurance value of £2,600,943 at the last renewal date of 31 October 2022

15 Investments

See Statement of Assets and Liabilities

Myroe Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105314

Annual report

Trustees Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended

31st December 2022

Registered Charity in Northern Ireland (NIC105314)

The Trustees present their Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31st December 2022 including a Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at that date.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

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CHARITY TRUSTEES

The Charity Trustees who served during the year or who were trustees at the date of this report were;

Mrs. Dorothy Cunningham.

Mr Peter McGregor

Mr Richard Blair

Rev J G Jones.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE BEARERS

Minister

Rev. JG Jones.

Clerk of Session

Mr. Richard Blair

Treasurer

Mr. Austin Montgomery

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

William Clyde 46 Roemill Road, Limavady. BT49 9BB.

BANKERS

Danske Bank. 46 Catherine Street. Limavady. BT49 90B.

SOLICITORS

R G Connell & Son. 13 Main St, Limavady. BT49 OBP

STRUCTURE AND MANAGEMENT

The Kirk Session

The charity trustees of the congregation are the members of its Kirk Session. Under the congregation's governing document, The Code, the book of the constitution and government of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, the Kirk Session seeks to watch over and promote the spiritual interest of the congregation and of persons not connected with any congregation who are within its bounds. It ensures pastoral care is in place in the congregation and seeks to further the contribution of the Church to Christian witness and service in the local community. The Kirk Session has delegated to its Congregational Committee the temporal affairs of the congregation including administering all funds and property belonging to the congregation. Members of the Kirk Session are ex-officio members of the Congregational Committee.

The Kirk Session consists of the ordained minister and the ruling elders of the congregations. All members are entitled to propose, speak and exercise equal votes at meetings, except that the Moderator, the ministers in active duty in the congregation, has no deliberative but only a casting vote.

Stated meetings of the Kirk session are held monthly (9 times per year).

To be chosen for the office of the eldership in the congregation a person must be a voting member and a regular attendant on its ordinances. The selection of those proposed to be called to the office can be either by the congregation or by the Kirk Session. Members are elected if they obtain one third of those who vote.

Presbytery

Under the Presbyterian Church in Ireland form of governance the corporate oversight of a congregation is the responsibility of a Presbytery which superintends generally the spiritual and temporal affairs of the congregations assigned to it by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. Myroe congregation of the Presbyterian Church has been assigned to the Coleraine and Limavady Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. The membership of the Presbytery consists mainly of the active ministers of congregations assigned to it by the General Assembly, ministers who have retired from active duty and an elder appointed by the Kirk Session of the congregation.

The General Assembly

The General Assembly is the supreme court of the Church, representing in one body the whole Church and acting as its supreme legislative, administration and judicial authority, in dealing with all matters brought before it. The General Assembly is normally constituted during the first week in June for worship and to conduct its business. At the end of business it is dissolved. The membership of the General Assembly consists mainly of the active ministers of each congregation, retired ministers and a representative elder appointed by the Kirk Session of each congregation.

DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE

The charitable purpose of the congregation is the advancement of religion.

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The congregation's mission purpose is to Worship and Glorify God by Bible based Evangelism, Education and care for others, by the grace of God, to help people of all ages become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ. Our vision is, by the grace of God, to be an inclusive, welcoming community of Christ's people of all ages, which:

- is increasingly characterised by love for God, and love and concern for others;
- is committed to the historic Christian gospel as revealed in the Bible;
- is relevant to people of this time and place.

The congregation aims to live out its Mission and Vision as a family of God's people by being:

- A Covenant Community: where our relationships are rooted in the promises of God by living faithfully toward him and toward one another
- An Inter-generational Community: where adults intentionally take the lead to engage with, encourage and nurture younger members to maturity in Christ
- An Outward looking Community: where we want the blessings of God that belong to us in the gospel to become blessings for others beyond the bounds of our community.

As a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, we believe that the Bible is the supreme authority over all we do, and that the Westminster Confession of Faith, along with the Larger and Shorter Catechisms set out what we understand the Bible teaches on key matters of Christian faith and practice.

ACTIVITIES AND OBJECTIVES

The congregation meets for worship every Sunday and visitors are welcome to join. Services are recorded and uploaded to YouTube for the benefit of those who are unable to attend and as an outreach to others. The Sacrament of the Lords Supper is observed on three occasions throughout the year. All those who have been baptised and who have made a profession of faith in the Lord Jesus Christ are admitted to the Lord's Supper. The congregation holds weekly Prayer Meetings and Bible Study on a Wednesday night and has a wide range of organisations including

- Sunday School
- Meet up Monday's club
- Youth Club--- S.N.L.
- Monday night Bible Study on zoom
- Senior Citizens club
- Presbyterian Women
- Holiday Bible Club in August
- Joint Meeting of Ladies Bible Study in Second Limavady PC

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Worship and prayer

The congregation normally meets for worship each Sunday at 10.15am. During the week the Prayer Meeting and Bible Study provides an opportunity for members to meet together for fellowship, and for a time of prayer.

As well as our regular services during the year we gave thanks for faithful attendance at services and sought to comfort those who had been bereaved during the year.

At 31 December 2022 there were 280 communicant members and 132 families connected with the congregation.

Pastoral care

Members of the congregation who are unable to attend church due to sickness or age are visited on a regular basis by the minister and elders.

Mission and outreach

At a local level the congregation's local mission and outreach, including donations to external missions and agencies, include the following:

Saturday Night Live, P.W. Coffee Evening. P.W. Guest Night, Praise Service, Holiday Bible Club, meet up Mondays and Missionary Sunday

The Global Mission we supported: Garden of Hope in Kenya and International Meeting point under the auspices of The Presbyterian Church in Ireland.

The congregation supports the United Appeal for Mission which is a central fund of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. This fund enables congregations to support the wider mission of the denomination and to do mission and outreach on a denominational basis beyond what the congregation could do on its own. The United Appeal Fund provides financial support for mission personnel at home and overseas, assists congregations with the deployment of locally based staff, enables church planting, provides grant support for the upkeep of church premises, assist with the running costs of Union Theological College, the Church's training college for ministry students, and financially supports congregation in the areas of worship, discipleship, global mission, outreach, leadership and pastoral care.

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Presbytery

The congregation was represented at the regular meetings of Presbytery by our minister and / or one of the elders. This provides an important link between the congregations and the wider structures of the church.

General Assembly

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Property

There was no significant investment in property during 2022.

Organisations

A brief summary of our organisations that meet throughout the year are as follows:

S.N.L. (youth club) meets in our hall on the 1st Saturday of each month with an average attendance of 15 young people.

Senior Citizens meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each Month. They have a guest speaker at each meeting. There are about 35 people attending these meetings.

Our Holiday Bible Club runs annually during the first week in August. The numbers attending have grown year on year to approximately 50 young people of primary school age attending each day. We have 30 helpers from the Congregation.

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Myroe Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105314

Annual return

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William Clyde.

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F.M.A.A.T.

46 Roemill Road

Limavady

17th March 2023