

Lead Church

Scotland · Charity number SC041310

Details

Status	Active
Legal form	Unincorporated association
Registered	2010-03-04
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address
15 Garry Street
Glasgow
G44 4BA

Activities

Activities: 'It makes grants, donations, loans, gifts or pensions to individuals', 'It makes grants, donations or gifts to organisations', 'It carries out activities or services itself'

Purposes: 'the prevention or relief of poverty', 'the advancement of education', 'the advancement of religion', 'the advancement of citizenship or community development', 'the relief of those in need by reason of age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage'

What the charity does: Lead Church exists to advance the Christian faith through public worship, prayer, teaching, pastoral care, and the provision of religious services and activities. The Church provides regular worship services, Bible teaching, prayer meetings, and discipleship programmes that are open to the public. It seeks to promote spiritual wellbeing, moral values, and ethical living, contributing positively to individual lives and the wider community. Lead Church works to prevent and relieve poverty by supporting individuals and families experiencing financial hardship. This includes providing practical assistance such as food provision, emergency support, signposting to relevant services, and pastoral support. The Church also partners with local organisations to help address the underlying causes of poverty and to promote dignity, inclusion, and resilience within the community.

Beneficiaries: 'Children or young people', 'Older People', 'People with disabilities or health problems', 'People with a particular ethnic or racial origin', 'Other charities or voluntary bodies'

Objectives: (a) The advancement of religion (b) Prevention and relief of poverty (c) The advancement of education (d) The advancement of health (e) The advancement of citizenship or community development (f) The relief of those in need by age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** South Lanarkshire
- **Geographical spread:** More than one local authority area in Scotland

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-04-05	£32,621	£16,183	-	0
2024-04-05	£856	£6,458	-	0
2023-04-05	£26,739	£19,297	-	0
2022-04-05	£12,562	£11,204	-	0
2021-04-05	£13,129	£13,228	-	0

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Accounts

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ANNUAL REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2025

Charity Name

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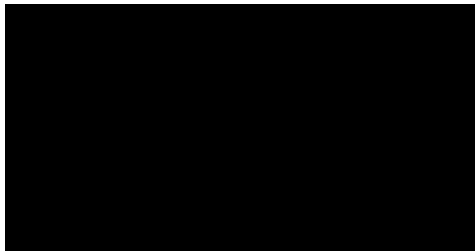
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Trustees



Structure, Governanace and Management

Constitution

The charity is an unincorporated organisation. It is governed by its institution which was adopted on the 4th March 2010

The management committee, which normally meets on a monthly basis, are the charity's trustees. Membership of the management committee is open to all members of the church. Trustees are elected at the Annual General Meeting which is normally held in June. Under the constitution, there must be a minimum of three trustees,

Charity Objectives

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Achievements and Performance

1. Outreach and Community Engagement

We conducted a vibrant Easter outreach event, sharing the hope of the Gospel with our local community. This included practical support, evangelism, and prayer initiatives.

Christmas Carol Service:

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Our annual carol service was a heartwarming celebration that brought together members of the church and the wider community to reflect on the true meaning of Christmas.

Funeral Service for Retired Minister:

We honoured the life and legacy of a retired minister with a heartfelt service, providing support and comfort to his family and the wider church community.

2. Discipleship and Spiritual Growth

Weekly Bible Study:

Ongoing discipleship has been nurtured through our weekly Bible studies, encouraging deeper understanding and application of God's Word.

Friday Prayer Meetings and Monthly Fasting & Prayer:

We have sustained a rhythm of spiritual discipline through our weekly prayer gatherings and monthly times of fasting and prayer.

Baptism Service at Loch Lomond:

We celebrated the public declaration of faith of new believers through a beautiful baptism service held at Loch Lomond.

3. Church Expansion and Ministry Development

Launch of LC City Campus at Strathclyde University:

We successfully launched our second city campus, expanding our reach to university students and young professionals in the heart of Glasgow.

TWIG Project Launch:

We introduced TWIG (Together We Inspire Growth), a special initiative to support children with special needs, helping them feel valued, included, and loved.

4. Partnership Initiatives

Street Connect Partnership:

We launched a strategic partnership with *Street Connect* to minister to individuals struggling with addiction, providing them with hope, support, and recovery pathways.

Billy Graham Organisation Collaboration:

We partnered with the *Billy Graham Evangelistic Association* to impact the lives of young people, equipping them to live out their faith boldly.

5. Volunteer Development and International Engagement

Volunteers Celebration & Training:

We hosted a special celebration and training day to appreciate our volunteers and equip them for greater effectiveness in ministry.

Indiana Mission Team Visit:

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A dedicated team from Indiana, USA, visited and served in various practical and spiritual capacities, strengthening our mission and encouraging our church body.

6. Women’s Ministry and Leadership Development

Daughters of Zion Women's Conference:

Our women’s conference was a resounding success, with high attendance and powerful moments of worship, teaching, and fellowship.

Leadership Labs:

We launched Leadership Labs to train and empower the next generation of Christian leaders through mentoring, workshops, and hands-on ministry opportunities.

Conclusion

This period has been marked by remarkable growth, meaningful partnerships, and impactful ministry across all age groups and demographics. We are deeply grateful to our volunteers, partners, and supporters whose contributions have made these achievements possible. As we look ahead, we remain committed to our mission: *to lead people to encounter God, be equipped in His Word, and be empowered to live out their purpose.*

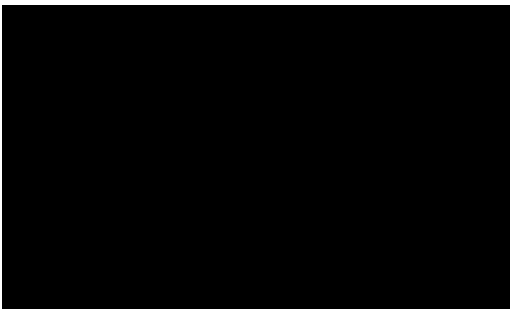
Financial Review

Due to increased growth , the accounts show a surplus of £10,474 compared to a deficit in the previous year of £5,643

Reserves Policy

The trustees's policy is to maintain reserves of around two to three months of normal running costs in order to meet commitments and to cover any unexpected expenditure.

Approved by the trustees on.....and signed on their behalf



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Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31st March 2025

	2025			2024
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	
Receipts				
Church Retreat		350	350	
Donation	11,819		11,819	-
Offerings	8,817		8,817	630
Other Revenue	459		459	50
Tithes	11,177		11,177	-
Bank interest				176
Total Income	32,271	350	32,621	856
Charitable Expenditure				
Events & Partnerships	334		334	-
Guest Speaker Giving	139		139	-
L C City Compus	541		541	-
Mens ministry	51		51	-
Worship ministry expenses	61		61	-
Total Charitable Expenditure	1,126		1,126	
Administrative Costs				
Advertising & Marketing	1,512		1,512	-
Bank Fees	7		7	-
Charitable and Political Donations	5,430		5,430	-
Cleaning	51		51	-
Congregational care	1,015		1,015	538
Daughter of Zion	872		872	-
Depreciation Expense	476		476	-
General Expenses	1,033		1,033	-
IT Software and Consumables	65		65	-
Telephone	-		-	606
Light, Power, Heating	22		22	2533
Printing & Stationery	445		445	208
Repairs & Maintenance	1,953		1,953	1779
Sacramental Items	20		20	-
Staff Training	194		194	-
Subscriptions	445		445	602
Travel - National	160		160	193
Volunteer expenses	1,716		1,716	-
Total Administrative Costs	15,416		15,416	6459
Income Less Expenses	15,728	349	16,078	-5,603
Opening balance as 1st April 2024	-5,603		-5,603	-
Closing balance as at 31st Mach 2025	10,125	349	10,474	-5,603

	2025		2024
	£	£	£
Fixed Assets			
Computer equipment		3,199	
Office equipment		1,146	4,345
Current assets			
Bank and cash balances			6,129
			-5,603
Net current assets		10,474	10,474
Represented by			
Unrestricted Funds		10,125	-5,603
Restricted Funds			
Church Retreat		349	
		10,474	-5,603

