

Frontiers (Overseas)

Scotland · Charity number SC050912

Details

Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2021-04-19
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address 5 Main Street
Lennoxtown
G66 7HA

Activities

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

Purposes: 'the advancement of religion','the advancement of citizenship or community development'

What the charity does: The organisation is established for the charitable purpose of encouraging people to live out their Christian faith for the benefit of local communities and make the love and teachings of Jesus Christ known, particularly among those who have had little opportunity to hear, through using professions and skills to serve communities in varying ways according to local needs.

Beneficiaries: 'No specific group, or for the benefit of the community'

Objectives: The organisation is established for the charitable purpose of encouraging people to live out their Christian faith for the benefit of local communities and make the love and teachings of Jesus Christ known, particularly among those who have had little opportunity to hear, through using professions and skills to serve communities in varying ways according to local needs, including development projects, relief work, teaching, medical work etc. In particular, the objects are: The advancement of religion by: 3.1 Raising awareness of needs and opportunities for care & service, 3.2 Encouraging and offering practical support and training to those desiring to support overseas communities in these ways, 3.3 Working in partnership with churches and other organisations to prepare and support those forming or joining overseas teams, The advancement of community development by: 3.4 Recruiting people, encouraging prayer and financial support for teams, activities and projects serving local communities.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** East Dunbartonshire
- **Geographical spread:** UK and overseas

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2026-04-30	£0	£0	-	0
2025-04-30	£1,920	£2,524	-	0
2024-04-30	£16,433	£936	-	0
2023-04-30	£4,304	£268	-	0
2022-04-30	£6,875	£0	-	0

Accounts

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		Frontiers (Overseas)									
		Receipts and payments accounts									
		For the period from	Period start date			to	Period end date				
	Month		Year	Day	Month		Year				
	1	5	2024		30	4	2025				
Section A Statement of receipts and payments											
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds		Permanent endowment funds	Total funds current period					
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £		to nearest £	to nearest £					
A1 Receipts											
Donations	1,920					1,920					
Legacies						- 0					
Grants						- 0					
Receipts from fundraising activities						- 0					
Gross trading receipts						- 0					
Income from investments other than land and buildings						- 0					
Rents from land & buildings						- 0					
Gross receipts from other charitable activities						- 0					
						- 0					
A1 Sub total	1,920	- 0	- 0		- 0	1,920					
A2 Receipts from asset & investment sales											
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets						- 0					
Proceeds from sale of investments						- 0					
A2 Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0		- 0	- 0					
Total receipts	1,920	- 0	- 0		- 0	1,920					
A3 Payments											
Expenses for fundraising activities						- 0					
Gross trading payments						- 0					
Investment management costs						- 0					
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	2,524					2,524					
Grants and donations						- 0					
Governance costs:						- 0					
Audit / independent examination						- 0					
Preparation of annual accounts						- 0					
Legal costs						- 0					
Other						- 0					
						- 0					
A3 Sub total	2,524	- 0	- 0		- 0	2,524					
A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements											
Purchases of fixed assets						- 0					
Purchase of investments						- 0					
A4 Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0		- 0	- 0					
Total payments	2,524	- 0	- 0		- 0	2,524					
Net receipts / (payments)	(604)	-	-		-	(604)					
A5 Transfers to / (from) funds						-					
Surplus / (deficit) for year	(604)	-	-		-	(604)					

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Enter SC No. below	
SC050912	
Total funds last period	
to nearest £	
16,433	
16,433	
- 0	
16,433	
936	
936	
- 0	
936	
15,497	
15,497	

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Section B Statement of balances																
Categories		Details			Unrestricted funds		Restricted funds		Expendable endowment funds		Permanent endowment funds		Total current period		Total last period	
					to nearest £		to nearest £		to nearest £		to nearest £		to nearest £		to nearest £	
B1 Cash funds		Cash and bank balances at start of year			26,408								26,408			
		Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account			(604)								(604)			
													-			
													-			
		Cash and bank balances at end of year			25,804		-		-		-		25,804		-	
		(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))			-		-		-		-		-		15,497	
		Details							Fund to which asset belongs				Market valuation		Last year	
													to nearest £		to nearest £	
B2 Investments																
											Total		-		-	
		Details					Fund to which asset belongs				Cost (if available)		Current value (if available)		Last year	
											to nearest £		to nearest £		to nearest £	
B3 Other assets																
							Total		-		-		-		-	
		Details							Fund to which liability relates				Amount due		Last year	
													to nearest £		to nearest £	
B4 Liabilities																
									Total		- 0		- 0		- 0	
		Details							Fund to which liability relates				Amount due (estimate)		Last year	
													to nearest £		to nearest £	
B5 Contingent liabilities																
									Total		-		-		-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees		Signature				Print Name								Date of approval		
														22/11/2025		

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Section C Notes to the Accounts					
C1 Nature and purpose of funds <i>(may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)</i>					
C2 Grants	Type of activity or project supported	Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£	
			Total	- 0	
C3a Trustee remuneration	If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person connected to a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)			X	
C3b Trustee remuneration - details	Authority under which paid			£	
C4a Trustee expenses	If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)			X	
C4b Trustee expenses - details			Number of trustees	£	
C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons	Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)	
C6 Other information					

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Additional analysis (2)						
5 Breakdown of unrestricted funds						
	Unrestricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below		
					Total unrestricted funds	Total unrestricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations					- 0	
Legacies					- 0	
Grants					- 0	
Receipts from fundraising activities					- 0	
Gross trading receipts					- 0	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					- 0	
Rents from land & buildings					- 0	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					cross ref error	
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					- 0	
Proceeds from sale of investments					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
Total receipts	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					cross ref error	
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					- 0	
Gross trading payments					- 0	
Investment management costs					- 0	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					- 0	
Grants and donations					- 0	
Governance costs:					- 0	
Audit / independent examination					- 0	
Preparation of annual accounts					- 0	
Legal costs					- 0	
					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					cross ref error	
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					- 0	
Purchase of investments					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					-	
Total payments	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					cross ref error	
Net receipts / (payments)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers to / (from) funds						
					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	-	-	-	-	-	-
					cross ref error	
Nature and purpose of funds						

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Additional analysis (3)						
6 Breakdown of restricted funds						
	Restricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below		
					Total restricted funds	Total restricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations					- 0	
Legacies					- 0	
Grants					- 0	
Receipts from fundraising activities					- 0	
Gross trading receipts					- 0	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					- 0	
Rents from land & buildings					- 0	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					-	
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					- 0	
Proceeds from sale of investments					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
Total receipts	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					-	
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					- 0	
Gross trading payments					- 0	
Investment management costs					- 0	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					- 0	
Grants and donations					- 0	
Governance costs:					- 0	
Audit / independent examination					- 0	
Preparation of annual accounts					- 0	
Legal costs					- 0	
					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					-	
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					- 0	
Purchase of investments					- 0	
Sub total	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					-	
Total payments	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0	- 0
					-	
Net receipts / (payments)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers to / (from) funds						
					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	-	-	-	-	-	-
					-	
Nature and purpose of funds						

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Report to the trustees/
members of

Frontiers (Overseas)

Registered charity
number

SC050912

On the accounts of the
charity for the period

Period start date

Period end date

Day

Month

Year

Day

Month

Year

01

May

2024

to

30

April

2025

Set out on pages

Respective
responsibilities of
trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 (as amended). The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention

Basis of independent
examiner's statement

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and, consequently, I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

Independent examiner's
statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed**:

Date:

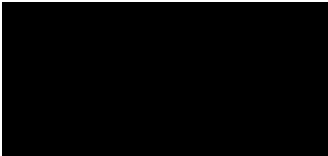
05.01.2026

Name:

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):

Institute of Chartered Accountant in England and Wales (ICAEW)

Address:



FRONTIERS (OVERSEAS) Trustees' Annual report

1. Objectives and Activities

Objectives: The primary objective of F(O) is to for the charitable purpose of encouraging and facilitating people to live out their Christian faith for the benefit of local communities and make the love and teachings of Jesus Christ known, particularly among those who have had little opportunity to hear, through using professions and skills to serve communities in varying ways according to local needs, including development projects, relief work, teaching, medical work etc.

Activities: Throughout the year, our activities have centred around networking and mobilisation among believers so as to raise and develop them to serve for people who haven't had the chance to hear the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Key activities include:

- **Visitation & Networking:** We have visited over 13 cities (Manchester, Bolton, Bradford, Leeds, Birmingham, Nottingham, Glasgow, Dundee, Cambridge, Oxford, London, Cardiff, Reading) and 15 churches (eg Cambridge Chinese Christian Church, Chinese Church in London, Church of God Scotland, Birmingham Chinese Evangelical Church, Flow Church in Manchester, Leeds Chinese Gospel Church Strings of Life Christian Ministry, Nottingham Chinese Christian Church) in the UK. Moreover, numerous interactions with over hundreds of believers were also enacted.
- **Speaking:** Over 15 talks/preachings have been done to share the vision and aspiration of the organisation.
- **Workshops/Seminars:** Workshops/seminars were organised irregularly focusing on training believers to reach out neighbours in the UK.

2. Achievements of Frontiers (Overseas) :

• **Raising Awareness of Frontiers (Overseas)**

During the reporting period, a key focus of the charity's work has been to increase awareness of Frontiers (Overseas), recognising that visibility and understanding are essential in the early stages of its

development. Meaningful impact depends on the engagement of believers who share the vision of reaching out to and serving their neighbours. Considerable effort has therefore been directed towards church visits, relationship-building, and networking with a range of churches and organisations. These activities have laid an important groundwork for future mobilisation and participation.

- **Development of Focus, Concern, and Prayer Groups**

As a result of engagement across more than 13 cities and locations, including visits to 15 churches and contact with over 1,000 individuals, the charity has seen the formation of focus, concern, and prayer groups in several areas. In locations where formal groups have not yet been established, individuals have been encouraged to remain connected through the charity's care network, enabling ongoing involvement and support for the work of Frontiers (Overseas).

Concluding Remarks

Over the past year, the Trustees have continued to reflect on the nature of our mission, recognising it as both deeply rewarding and demanding. It has been encouraging to witness individuals seeking to express their Christian faith through service to others. At the same time, nurturing such commitment within the context of the UK's increasingly individualistic culture remains an ongoing challenge.

Our work has taken place against a backdrop of persistent economic pressure and a community environment that continues to evolve. Changes in the population landscape, alongside shifting immigration policies and rising costs of living, have contributed to an increasingly complex set of needs. These factors require us to remain attentive, responsive, and realistic in assessing the scope and limits of our current provision.

Ensuring the charity's financial sustainability remains a priority as we seek to maintain and, where possible, develop our services. While feedback from participants and stakeholders has been encouraging and suggests meaningful impact, the Trustees recognise that demand continues to outpace our present capacity. A particular and immediate concern is the recruitment of suitably skilled and committed personnel to support the ministry. Staffing constraints pose a risk to the continuity and growth of our work, and addressing this remains a key focus.

Looking ahead, the Trustees reaffirm their commitment to the charity's mission while recognising the need for flexibility in responding to emerging challenges and opportunities. Strategic attention will continue to be given to workforce planning and organisational resilience.

Nevertheless, the past year has marked a constructive step forward in the charity's development. As we enter the coming year, the Trustees remain encouraged by what has been achieved and committed to moving forward with faith, relying on God's guidance and grace as we continue in this work.

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	1	5	2024	To	30	4	2025

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Frontiers (Overseas)
Other names charity is known by	
Registered charity number	SC050912
Charity's principal address	5 Main Street Lennoxtown
	Postcode G66 7HA

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
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Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document	Constitution
Trustee recruitment and appointment	

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The organisation is established for the charitable purpose of encouraging people to live out their Christian faith for the benefit of local communities and make the love and teachings of Jesus Christ known, particularly among those who have had little opportunity to hear, through using professions and skills to serve communities in varying ways according to local needs, including development projects, relief work, teaching, medical work etc. In particular, the objects are:

The advancement of religion by:

- 3.1 Raising awareness of needs and opportunities for care & service,
- 3.2 Encouraging and offering practical support overseas communities in these ways,
- 3.3 Working in partnership with churches and other organisations to prepare and support those forming or joining overseas teams,

The advancement of community development by:

- 3.4 Recruiting people, encouraging prayer and financial support for teams, activities and projects serving local communities.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

Throughout the year (2024-2025), our activities have centred around networking and mobilization among believers so as to raise and develop them to serve for people who haven't had the chance to hear the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Key activities include:

- **Visitation & Networking:** We have visited over 13 cities (Manchester, Bolton, Bradford, Leeds, Birmingham, Nottingham, Glasgow, Dundee, Cambridge, Oxford, London, Cardiff, Reading) and 15 churches (eg Cambridge Chinese Christian Church, Chinese Church in London, Church of God Scotland, Birmingham Chinese Evangelical Church, Flow Church in Manchester, Leeds Chinese Gospel Church Strings of Life Christian Ministry, Nottingham Chinese Christian Church) in the UK. Moreover, numerous interactions with over hundreds of believers were also enacted.
- **Speaking:** Over 15 talks/preachings have been done to share the vision and aspiration of the organisation.
- **Workshops/Seminars:** Workshops/seminars were organised irregularly focusing on training believers to reach out neighbours in the UK.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

Achievements of Frontiers (Overseas) :

1. Raising Awareness of Frontiers (Overseas)

During the reporting period, a key focus of the charity's work has been to increase awareness of Frontiers (Overseas), recognising that visibility and understanding are essential in the early stages of its development. Meaningful impact depends on the engagement of believers who share the vision of reaching out to and serving their neighbours. Considerable effort has therefore been directed towards church visits, relationship-building, and networking with a range of churches and organisations. These activities have laid an important groundwork for future mobilisation and participation.

2. Development of Focus, Concern, and Prayer Groups

As a result of engagement across more than 13 cities and locations, including visits to 15 churches and contact with over 1,000 individuals, the charity has seen the formation of focus, concern, and prayer groups in several areas. In locations where formal groups have not yet been established, individuals have been encouraged to remain connected through the charity's care network, enabling ongoing involvement and support for the work of Frontiers (Overseas).

Concluding Remarks

Over the past year, the Trustees have continued to reflect on the nature of our mission, recognising it as both deeply rewarding and demanding. It has been encouraging to witness individuals seeking to express their Christian faith through service to others. At the same time, nurturing such commitment within the context of the UK's increasingly individualistic culture remains an ongoing challenge.

Our work has taken place against a backdrop of persistent economic pressure and a community environment that continues to evolve. Changes in the population landscape, alongside shifting immigration policies and rising costs of living, have contributed to an increasingly complex set of needs. These factors require us to remain attentive, responsive, and realistic in assessing the scope and limits of our current provision.

Ensuring the charity's financial sustainability remains a priority as we seek to maintain and, where possible, develop our services. While feedback from participants and stakeholders has been encouraging and suggests meaningful impact, the Trustees recognise that demand continues to outpace our present capacity. A particular and immediate concern is the recruitment of suitably skilled and committed personnel to support the ministry. Staffing constraints pose a risk to the continuity and growth of our work, and addressing this remains a key focus.

Looking ahead, the Trustees reaffirm their commitment to the charity's mission while recognising the need for flexibility in responding to emerging challenges and opportunities. Strategic attention will continue to be given to workforce planning and organisational resilience.

Nevertheless, the past year has marked a constructive step forward in the charity's development. As we enter the coming year, the Trustees remain encouraged by what has been achieved and committed to moving forward with faith, relying on God's guidance and grace as we continue in this work.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Our charity spent the budgeted income in the year on activities and hold no reserve.

Details of any deficit

The total amount of donations received this year has dropped, and as a result a deficit of £604 was recorded.

Donated facilities and services (if any)

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Other optional information

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

*OSCR will accept
digital or typed
signatures*

Full name(s)

Position (e.g. Chair) Secretary

Date 23 January 2026

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