

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

		Period start date			Period end date		
From	6 th	April	2024	To	5 th	April	2025

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

Postcode

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Lynda Hulcoop	Director		
2	Jane Seals	Treasurer		
3	Jeanette Hulcoop			
4	Graham Hoslett			

Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	<input type="text" value="Trust Deed"/>
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	<input type="text" value="Trust"/>
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	<input type="text" value="Appointed by existing trustees"/>

Section C

Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

The objects of the charity are to advance the Christian religion in the United Kingdom and Spain and in such other countries as the Trustees shall from time to time in their absolute discretion think fit.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

During this year the trustees have raised funds to give grants to Paraclete Christian Training Centre in Kuwadzana, Zimbabwe to use in its Bible School, crèche and secondary school and also to pay bursaries for those children at the school whose families cannot afford their school fees.

Three trustees and a volunteer visited the Training Centre in January 2025. Whilst recognising the difficulties of operating in the current economic situation, the finances of the Centre are fairly healthy and the staff and pupils in good heart. The secondary school is still operating two teaching sessions each day to accommodate the number of pupils. Overseas aid from PCNI and others is still important to the Training Centre. The Bible School is going well and the trustees' presence at graduation was appreciated.

The trustees have also continued to oversee the running of The English Church in Benidorm, a spiritual home for many English-speaking visitors, whether short or long term. Revd Trevor Ramsey and his wife Maggie continue to exercise pastoral responsibility. One of the Trustees visited and assisted with a mission visit from Newtownbreda Baptist Church. Attendance by both residents and visitors continues to increase. Activities at the church have been growing, with good attendance at services and Bible studies and evangelistic activity in the neighbourhood of the church. There have been baptisms in the sea and a Christianity Explored course was well attended. The Trustees continue to be grateful to the Board of Skandinaviska Turistkyrkan Benidorm for continuing to rent their building to the English Church.

The trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

The trustees' policy on grant making is only to give grants to organisations with which they have a personal connection.

A Deed of Variation was executed by the Trustees to bring the objects and administrative provisions of the original trust deed up to date.

Section D

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Twenty-three students are in receipt of bursaries for their secondary school education at the Training Centre and it is vital that the charity continues to raise funds for the operating costs of the school and the centre; so we continue to support as best we can, both financially and prayerfully.

The English Church in Benidorm continues to minister to the needs of both residents and visitors. Services are well attended and Trevor and Maggie Ramsey's oversight of the ministry is much appreciated.

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The charity's policy is to maintain sufficient reserves to cover 6 months' expenditure for the work of the English Church. A legacy received during the previous financial year has been placed on deposit until it is required. No reserves are required to be maintained for Zimbabwe, as all gifts are passed on regularly.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

Further financial review details (Optional information)



The charity raises funds primarily through donations from concerned individuals and churches.

Section F

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	GRAHAM JOHN HOSSETT	JANE LESLEY SEALS
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	TRUSTEE	TREASURER
Date	25th June 2025	

Paraclete Christian Network International 1019767

Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from 6th April 2024 to 5th April 2025

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Restricted funds converted from euros	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
Receipts					
Donations	250	-	-	250	98
Bank interest	367	992	-	1,359	296
Zimbabwe general donations	-	7,627	-	7,627	13,931
Zimbabwe donations for bursaries	-	9,371	-	9,371	8,933
Spain donations	-	8,872	-	8,872	3,405
Spain donations (euros)	-	-	33,933	33,933	21,254
Spain - legacy	-	-	-	-	55,166
Spain - Exchange rate variation	-	-	-65	65	162
Total receipts (Gross income for AR)	617	26,862	33,868	61,347	102,920
Payments					
Administration	334	-	-	334	783
Zimbabwe donations to Training Centre	-	6,632	-	6,632	12,346
Zimbabwe bursaries and education	-	13,059	-	13,059	9,930
Zimbabwe other	-	2,771	-	2,771	2,039
Spain - flights etc.	-	2,654	-	2,654	1,208
Spain - church related costs	-	1,905	25,447	27,352	21,062
Website	183	-	-	183	180
Total payments	517	27,021	25,447	52,985	47,547
Net of receipts/(payments)	100	- 159	8,421	8,362	55,373
Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
Cash funds last year end	233	79,720	6,884	86,837	31,463
Cash funds this year end	333	79,561	15,305	95,199	86,836

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

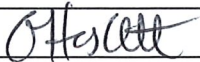

Cash funds	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Restricted funds converted from euros
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
Co-Operative Bank	333	5,412	-
Skipton Building Society		74,149	
Shawbrook Bank			
Santander	-		15,159
Cash in hand - Spain	-		146
Total cash funds	333	79,561	15,305

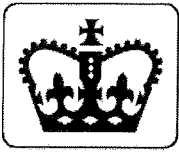
Notes

Funds for the operation of the English Church in Benidorm are held in a Euro bank account. For the preparation of these accounts the exchange rate as at 5th April 2025 has been taken as £1=1.177 Euros.

Gift Aid received is included in the figures for donations.

Signed by two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	GRAHAM JOHN HOSSETT	25/6/25
	JANE LESLEY SEARS	25/6/25



Section A Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Paraclete Christian Network International

**On accounts for the year
ended**

5th April 2025 **Charity no
(if any)** 1019767

Set out on pages

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 05 / 04 / 2025.

**Responsibilities and
basis of report**

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (~~other than that disclosed below~~ *) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

** Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed:

Andrew J. Cribbin

Date:

19/08/2025

Name:

Andrew James Cribbin

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

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