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CHARITABLE INCORPORATED ORGANISATION

ANNUAL REPORT AND

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025

CHARITY REG. NO. 1162807

MissionAssist

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LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

CHARITY NUMBER	1162807
START OF FINANCIAL YEAR	1 December 2024
END OF FINANCIAL YEAR	30 November 2025
TRUSTEES	D M M Richardson (Co-Chair) W H Newton (Co-Chair) D J G Buchan (Treasurer) J Bullock S J Robson (resigned 15 April 2025) D J Landin (resigned 24 October 2025) N W Rees (resigned 15 July 2025) S Jarrett (resigned 28 January 2025) H Oatley (from 30 January 2026)

The existing trustees appoint any new trustees following the provisions laid out in the Charity's governing instrument.

GOVERNING INSTRUMENT	Constitution of MissionAssist, a Charitable Incorporated Organisation, dated 1 July 2015
CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS	PO Box 257 Evesham WR11 9AW e-mail: ceo@missionassist.org.uk website: www.missionassist.org.uk
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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER	Lisa Darby FCA Stewardship

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TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025

MissionAssist is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO), charity No.1162807, registered on 23 July 2015.

The objects of the CIO are:
(a) To advance the Christian faith for the benefit of the public in accordance with the Statement of Belief; and
(b) Consistent with and not contrary to object (a):
(i) To relieve sickness and poor health by providing or assisting in the provision and development of equipment, facilities and services and support charities and other organisations working to prevent or relieve poor health; and
(ii) To relieve financial hardship, either generally or individually, by making grants or providing items, services or facilities and/or development and support charities and other organisations working to prevent or relieve financial hardship; and
(iii) To promote and provide for the education of people in such ways as the charity trustees see fit and support charities and other organisations working to promote or provide education.

MissionAssist seeks to address these objectives by organising Christian volunteers to undertake support tasks for missions and missionaries in order to speed the advancement of the kingdom of God generally and Bible translation and literacy in particular. To achieve this, we seek to listen to the needs of those we serve and identify areas where we may assist.

Public Benefit
In pursuing these objectives, MissionAssist provides public benefit in the following ways:

MissionAssist seeks to support those in Christian mission in all areas of the world, in the proclamation, outworking and furtherance of the Christian faith.

A wide variety of types of support are given to Wycliffe Bible Translators (WBT) and SIL and other charities to enable people in many parts of the world to have access to the Christian Bible and other Christian and educational materials in their own first language.

Services are provided to capture and archive the Christian scriptures in digital form for future translation work and dissemination to Christians worldwide.

MissionAssist promotes the Christian scriptures by providing Bible translations and study guides in EasyEnglish. These are made available to a large audience by publishing agreements with Bible Societies and Christian publishers.

MissionAssist also provides small grants to pursue Jesus Christ’s teaching to provide for those in need.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025 (continued)

Public Benefit (continued)

MissionAssist is working with others to provide knowledge about and access to Bible translations and other Bible resources via the internet.

Through its annual conference and regular news and prayer communications, MissionAssist promotes praise and prayer for the work being undertaken and those being helped.

The public benefit from MissionAssist's work is mainly received by beneficiaries overseas, though recent work on EasyEnglish also has beneficiaries in the UK who can access the scriptures and learning material in a simpler form. The aim of Bible translation work is to extend the number of people who can benefit from reading the scriptures and no-one is excluded from being a potential beneficiary.

We believe that no harm or detriment arises as a result of the charity's work.

MissionAssist has no employees and volunteers claim no more than very basic expenses for doing the work. No personal benefit accrues to volunteers other than reimbursement for travel and other bona fide expenses necessarily incurred to enable work to proceed.

The Trustees of MissionAssist are aware of the general guidance on public benefit published by the Charity Commission and this is taken into account in planning and operating the charity's activities.

Management

The Trustees prayerfully set strategy following consultation with relevant parties, determine new initiatives and provide direction for the charity. New Trustees are appointed following nomination by existing Trustees or supporters, and interview by two existing Trustees. The Trustees also appoint the CEO.

During the year, there were four ordinary Trustees meetings, all held online. The CEO attended these meetings. Each meeting included reports from the CEO and Treasurer (including the budget and expenditure). Other business included reviews of the risk register and several policies.

Trustee resignations during the year were Sue Jarrett, David Landin, Neil Rees and Sarah Robson, all for personal reasons. This reduced the number of Trustees from eight to four – the minimum number is three. Jo Bullock was reappointed in April. The Trustees are seeking to add to their number and during the year the Co-Chairs had discussions with two potential new Trustees.

There was also a special meeting to consider management of the Simple French project.

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The CEO is supported by Directors and Project Coordinators who in turn coordinate the activities of volunteers. They also act as a communications, administration and advice resource for each area of work, appointing new and replacement Directors and Project Coordinators as necessary and providing support and direction.

Volunteers undertake the work of the charity based in their own homes under the direction of Directors and Project Coordinators.

The charity does not own or occupy property for the execution of its objects.

Activities

MissionAssist serves Christians in mission, mission organisations and other Christian organisations by providing services and resources through volunteers serving from their own homes. No charge is made for the time and skills they give.

The charity's activities during the year included:

- digitising, formatting and archiving Bibles and other Christian materials;
- providing the EasyEnglish Bible, commentaries, Bible studies, Bible stories and audio resources;
- producing Shell Books to support adult literacy, education and practical learning;
- providing English tutoring, English conversation support, document formatting, website support, remote accounting, hospitality and other specialist services;
- awarding small grants for projects consistent with MissionAssist's charitable objects; and
- partnering with organisations whose activities complement MissionAssist's purposes.

These activities support Bible translation, literacy, education, and Christian mission. Further information about MissionAssist's services and resources is available at missionassist.org.uk.

During the year, substantial planning and preparation also took place for the migration of the Members' Database to a new server, to support its longer-term security, resilience and administration.

Achievements this year

At the end of the financial year, the charity had 811 members, including 156 new members who joined during the year and a net increase of 80 members.

MissionAssist continued to serve Christians in mission through a wide range of volunteer-provided services, supporting Bible translation, literacy, education and other mission needs around the world.

Worldwide Electronic Bible and Book Service (WEBBS)

WEBBS remained the charity's largest service, involving more than 200 volunteers. Team members digitise Bibles and other Christian texts, enabling them to be preserved, distributed and used more easily in translation, mission and scholarly work.

In the calendar year 2025, WEBBS completed 37 projects, including 1 whole Bible, 5 New Testaments, 30 projects covering portions of the Old or New Testaments and 1 project comprising Christian lectionary extracts.

Projects supported communities across Africa, Asia, Europe, North America and Oceania. Particular priorities included texts needed for current mission activity, languages with little or no existing online scripture availability, and resources valuable for language preservation and scholarship.

The service also continued work on historically important texts, including older English Bible versions and significant heritage projects such as the eighteenth-century Manx Bible.

An example of feedback received relates to the Cheyenne New Testament:

> “This Cheyenne is excellent and it is the whole New Testament in a language with nothing online, in a tribe with a language revitalisation programme, so this is very valuable.”

EasyEnglish

The EasyEnglish Bible and associated resources continued to reach people worldwide. During the year, ten Bible stories and the Following Jesus study were migrated from HTML to WordPress on the easyenglish.bible website. Progress also continued on audio resources, mobile apps and refinement of the translation and supporting materials.

EasyEnglish recorded an 18% increase in monthly active users compared with the previous year. Through its availability via the YouVersion Bible app alone, the EasyEnglish Bible was accessed by more than 1.7 million unique users and reached people in 240 countries. Users viewed more than 309 million chapters, shared over 1.1 million verses and downloaded more than 244,000 offline copies of the Bible.

New partnerships and licences included Sparks Bible, a resource for Chinese-speaking people developed in partnership with Bible Society, and MegaVoice, which distributes audio recordings through solar-powered audio players.

The team also continued responding to substantial numbers of enquiries and feedback from users around the world.

Functional Literacy and Shell Books

During the year, volunteer writers, illustrators and translators continued producing new Shell Books as reading resources designed to support literacy as well as education and practical learning.

There were 24 new books in English, bringing the total number available to 378. MissionAssist translation teams also continued to produce French, Portuguese, Spanish and EasyEnglish versions of books. Downloads across all titles and languages increased significantly, reaching a total of 318,524 for the year.

The major language books are freely available for anonymous download without any requirement to report how they are used or translated into local languages. During the year there was a pilot study to review download logs which show the wide geographical spread of beneficiaries.

Small Projects Grants

The Small Projects ministry underwent significant development during the year. A new application process was introduced, replacing the previous serial review model with three scheduled, open application rounds per year, supported by the guidance notes and application form being made available online. Awareness of the grants ministry was also increased via publicity through social media, a Google Ad Grant and other channels.

The new approach has increased the capacity for reviewing applications, eliminated the need to manage a waiting list and improved the experience of both the grant applicants and the decision-making committee members.

During the year, MissionAssist awarded grants totalling £9,399 (2023-24: £9,753) to support 15 projects in 9 countries whose objectives were consistent with the charity's objects, as confirmed through trustee review before grants were awarded.

Support for HEAL Africa

Following an appeal at the annual conference, MissionAssist members and other attendees donated £4,086 to support WorldShare's ministry partner, HEAL Africa, in the Democratic Republic of Congo. The funds contributed towards surgical treatment for six women suffering from serious childbirth-related injuries, including vesicovaginal fistula and genital prolapse. MissionAssist received reports about three of the women whose surgery was enabled by the donation, including:

> "Uwimana has now undergone a successful operation and is preparing to return home. For her, healing is more than recovery from illness; it is the restoration of dignity, hope, and belonging."

Hospitality

The Hospitality service continued to assist mission workers and others involved in Christian ministry who required temporary accommodation in the United Kingdom.

During the year, 32 requests for accommodation were received from people serving with a wide range of mission and Christian organisations. Two requests were successfully accommodated, providing a total of 94 nights of accommodation.

Requesters also valued the efforts made even when accommodation could not ultimately be provided. One wrote:

> "Many thanks again for your generous help in looking into accommodation for our Home Assignment this summer. We're so grateful."

Demand remained strongest in London and South-East England, particularly for larger families and longer stays, which are more difficult to accommodate within the accommodation currently available.

The team finished the year with 36 active team members, with couples offering hospitality counted as one for reporting purposes. Encouragingly, this represents a net increase for the first time in several years.

Other Services

MissionAssist volunteers also continued to provide a range of specialist services, including English tutoring, English conversation support, document formatting, website development and support, remote accounting assistance, magazine forwarding and other bespoke mission support.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025 (continued)

This range of services, together with the charity's core ministries, demonstrate the continuing commitment of MissionAssist members to serving world mission from home and supporting those engaged in Christian ministry around the world.

Financial Review

The work is mainly funded by supporters' voluntary donations. Funds are expended to reimburse the expenses of the Trustees, Directors and volunteers incurred in the course of their duties for the charity. The charity employs no paid staff, and significant amounts of time are freely donated by the Directors and by many supporters in providing the organisation's services.

The accounts show a deficit of payments over receipts (excluding restricted funds) of £14,521 (2023-24: surplus of £19,086), as the trustees implemented plans to spend the surplus that had built up, particularly from unexpected legacies, over the previous two years.

Donated general fund income of £13,898 before Gift Aid was very similar to 2023-24 (£13,855) but there were no exceptional donations or legacies this year.

Reserves Policy
The Trustees have stated a preference to maintain approximately a year's expenditure (excluding discretionary grants, such as small projects, and activities intended to cover their own costs, such as the annual conference and reimbursable purchases on behalf of missionaries) as a Reserve to meet unexpected demands and to ensure continuity of the work. This would be approximately £13,700 based on 2024-25 expenditure. The general fund reserve as at 30 November 2025 reduced to £42,721. The trustees will continue to seek opportunities to review the use of the excess reserves when considering future strategy and initiatives. Overall, the trustees consider the charity's financial position to be sound.

Risks
A rolling program of Risk Assessment is in progress and the Trustees are confident that adequate controls are in place to ensure all areas of risk (including financial) are monitored and, wherever possible, mitigated. As the charity is volunteer led and funded we consider the risks associated with the highly diversified work to be low and we are not reliant upon regular large donations or particular income sources.

Conclusions
We continue to support missions, including those that have a declared goal of ensuring that a Bible translation project will be started for every people group that needs one by 2025. This is proving to be a humanly impossible task. However, we serve a supernatural God and, as we seek to support translation work in new and creative ways, we trust that He will continue to grow the effects of our work.

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The charity has again enhanced and supported the work of many missions and missionaries and worked with these, our partners, to extend God's hand of love to others in all parts of the world.

Many have expressed their gratitude for our support and we are confident that we are of continuing benefit to our many missionary clients, and the many others who benefit from the services we offer.

Thanks

We are indebted to our CEO, Leadership Team, Project Coordinators and supporting volunteers who give unstintingly of their time, skills, resourcefulness and energy in order to maintain and grow the work. To all these, the Trustees extend their profound thanks.

The greater portion of the resources of MissionAssist is not (and could not be) quantified within this report: such are the 'gifts in kind' of time, expertise and loving attention given in worship of God Almighty.

We continually thank God for such a gifted and dedicated team, without whom the work of MissionAssist would not happen, and the promotion of the Gospel of Jesus and the work of His Church would be the poorer throughout the world.

The Trustees declare they have approved the Trustees' Report as set out on pages 4 to 11.

Signed on behalf of the Charity's Trustees:

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT

TO THE TRUSTEES OF

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I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of MissionAssist ('the charity') for the year ended 30th November 2025 on pages 13 to 18 following.

Responsibilities and basis of report

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act').

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

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
2. 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.

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025

RECEIPTS:	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Year ended 30/11/2025 £	Total Year ended 30/11/2024 £
Voluntary Receipts for general purposes	2a	16,246	0	16,246	44,383
Receipts from Charitable Activities and Restricted Gifts	2b	10,350	12,321	22,671	20,495
Investment Income	2c	1,223	0	1,223	712
TOTAL RECEIPTS		**27,819**	**12,321**	**40,140**	**65,590**
PAYMENTS:					
Cost of Raising funds	3a	33	0	33	20
Costs of Charitable Activities	3b	41,362	11,337	52,699	45,694
Governance Costs	3c	945	0	945	963
TOTAL PAYMENTS		**42,340**	**11,337**	**53,677**	**46,677**
NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES		**(14,521)**	**984**	**(13,537)**	**18,913**
Balances Brought Forward		**57,242**	**3,607**	**60,849**	**41,936**
BALANCES CARRIED FORWARD		**42,721**	**4,591**	**47,312**	**60,849**

The notes on pages 15 to 18 form part of these accounts.
All operations are continuing operations.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 30 NOVEMBER 2025

ASSETS	Notes	30/11/2025 £	30/11/2024 £
Cash Funds			
PayPal		24	0
CAF Bank Current Account		1,546	1,804
CAF Bank Deposit Account		45,742	59,045
		47,312	**60,849**
Represented By:			
General Funds (Unrestricted)		42,721	57,242
Restricted Funds	4	4,591	3,607
		47,312	**60,849**
Other monetary assets and liabilities			
Prepaid 2027 Conference Venue fees		1,500	0
Prepaid 2026 Conference Venue fees		7,140	1,000
Prepaid 2025 Conference Venue fees		0	1,950
Gift Aid due		748	915
Accrued expenditure: Independent examiner's fee		(630)	(576)
Accrued expenditure: Other		-	(163)
		8,758	**3,126**

GUARANTEES AND SECURED DEBTS

The charity has not given any guarantees and has not provided its assets as security for any liabilities.

TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RELATION TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Charity law requires us as Trustees to prepare financial statements for each accounting year which record the receipts and payments of the charity for the year. We are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable us to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. We also have a responsibility to safeguard the assets of the charity and to take reasonable steps to prevent fraud or any other irregularities.

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025

1. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accounts have been prepared on a receipts and payments basis and comprise a statement that shows the charity's receipts and payments, a statement that summarises the charity's assets and liabilities, and related notes. The accountancy profession have determined that only accounts prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards present a 'true and fair' view and, as these receipts and payments accounts have not (and cannot) be prepared in accordance with accounting standards, these accounts do not present (and are not intended to present) a 'true and fair' view of the charity's financial activities and state of affairs.

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity. Designated funds comprise unrestricted funds that have been set aside by the trustees for particular purposes. Restricted funds are donations which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by donors; they include donations received from appeals for specific activities or projects.

2. RECEIPTS

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Year ended 30/11/2025	Total Year ended 30/11/2024
(a) Voluntary Receipts for general purposes	**£**	**£**	**£**	**£**
General Donations	13,898	0	13,898	13,855
Legacy	0	0	0	28,516
Gift Aid Income Tax Recovered	2,148	0	2,148	2,012
Other receipts	200	0	200	0
	16,246	**0**	**16,246**	**44,383**
(b) Receipts from Charitable Activities and Restricted Gifts				
Invoices paid in advance	0	0	0	0
Services to Missionaries reimbursed	0	0	0	59
Annual Conference *	10,350	0	10,350	11,900
Donations (including Gift Aid recovered)(Note 4)	0	12,321	12,321	8,536
	10,350	**12,321**	**22,671**	**20,495**
* Includes £250 contributed from the annual conference subsidy fund (2023-24: £344)				
(c) Investment Income	1,223	0	1,223	712
Interest	**1,223**	**0**	**1,223**	**712**

3. PAYMENTS

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Year ended 30/11/2025	Total Year ended 30/11/2024
	£	**£**	**£**	**£**
(a) Cost of Raising Funds				
Bank charges (Paypal)	33	0	33	20
	33	**0**	**33**	**20**

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025 (continued)

3. PAYMENTS (continued)

(b) Costs of Charitable Activities	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Year Ended 30/11/2025 £	Total Year Ended 30/11/2024 £
Administration:					
Postage: PO Box		371	0	371	353
Bank Charges		60	0	60	60
Treasurer/Bookkeeping		157	0	157	174
Insurance		420	0	420	404
Publicity		1,466	0	1,466	78
Membership communication (inc. Help Magazine)		2,511	0	2,511	1,904
Leadership:					
Chief Executive's expenses		0	0	0	140
Software Purchased		980	0	980	735
Data Registration Fee		47	0r	47	35
EasyEnglish		3,855	0	3,855	7,297
Grant Funds:					
Simple French (DRC)	4	1,025	6,903	7,928	4,402
Marakwet Bible Translation	4		0	0	560
Small Projects	4	9,399	0	9,399	9,753
Chaine Nord-Africaine	4	0	0	0	3,742
Emergency Support Fund	4	0	98	98	246
HEAL Africa	4	0	4,086	4,086	0
Annual conference subsidy fund		0	250	250	344
Keyboarding and Checking (WEBBS)		68	0	68	2,194
Annual Conference		17,254	0	17,254	11,532
Prayer Bulletin		286	0	286	146
International Travel and conference		2,665	0	2,665	1,314
Services to Missionaries		0	0	0	59
Functional literacy		798	0	798	222
		41,362	11,337	52,699	45,694
(c) Governance Costs		696	0	696	540
Independent Examination					
Trustees - meetings		249	0	249	423
		945	**0**	**945**	**963**

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2025 (continued)

4. RESTRICTED FUNDS	Balance at 30/11/2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Balance at 30/11/2025 £
Scanning Equipment	2,274	0	0	2,274
Scanning Project - travel costs	509	0	0	509
Marakwet Bible Translation	0	280	0	280
Simple French	0	7,550	(6,903)	647
Annual conference subsidy fund	704	280	(250)	734
Small Projects	0	0	0	0
HEAL Africa	0	4,086	(4,086)	0
Emergency Support Fund	120	125	(98)	147
	3,607	**12,321**	**(11,337)**	**4,591**

The restricted funds are explained in note 6 to the accounts.
The restricted funds are wholly represented by cash reserves of the charity.

5. PAYMENTS TO TRUSTEES AND DONATIONS BY TRUSTEES

£86 was reimbursed to 1 trustee in relation to expenses incurred (2023-24: £365 reimbursed to 4 trustees). Expenses waived by trustees were immaterial. Total donations by trustees were £145 (2023-24: £145).

6. DESCRIPTION OF FUNDS

All money given by donors to a Restricted Fund is used for that purpose. Where there are expenses incurred in the delivery of goods or services in an area covered by a Restricted Fund, money is drawn from this Restricted Fund to cover the relevant expenses in delivery of the service covered by that Fund. An explanation of the different Funds follows.

Description of Restricted Funds

Scanning Project: Equipment and travel costs - £4,500 grant awarded in 2014-15 by the Stuart Hine Trust CIO to purchase equipment for scanning printed copies of the Bible in languages where the Bible is not yet available in any digital form, and a further grant of £2,000 awarded in both 2015-16 and 2016-17 for related travel and training costs. This is a first step to making Bibles in these languages publicly available either by reprinting or on the internet. in April 2024 we received approval to modify the use of the grant "to fund commercial scanning of scriptures in the Cambridge library where we are unable to get funds from other donors."

Relevant expenditure continues to be charged against these funds, although there was none in 2024-25 (2023-24: none).

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
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6. DESCRIPTION OF FUNDS (continued)

Description of Restricted Funds (continued)

Marakwet Bible Translation Project - This fund was set up by the Trustees to enable funds to be sent to support the Marakwet Bible Translation project in Kenya administered by "Bible Translation and Literacy" (BTL) in Nairobi. MissionAssist has passed on specific gifts made in support of this project.

Simple French - The Stuart Hine Trust CIO made a further grant of £7,550 (2023-24: £3,750) to support the printing of gospels in Simple French, which has mostly been passed to the project in DR Congo. (The trustees agreed to spend a further £1,000 from general funds to fund scripture distribution in another area of DR Congo.)

Annual Conference Subsidy Fund - Members attending the annual conference have made additional donations to support members who would otherwise have been unable to attend.

Small Project Grants - This fund was set up by the Trustees and is administered by a sub-committee to enable small grants of no more than £600 to any one beneficiary per annum to be made to deserving causes, in accordance with the charity's objectives. No restricted donations were received in 2024-25 so all small project grant payments were from general funds.

Emergency Support Fund - This fund was set up by the Trustees and is administered by a sub-committee to provide humanitarian aid and so alleviate severe hardship being experienced by MissionAssist members living overseas.

HEAL Africa - As a result of an appeal to members at the time of the 2025 annual conference, donations were received to support WorldShare's ministry partner in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), HEAL Africa. MissionAssist forwarded the entire amount donated to WorldShare, who retained 10% of the total amount to cover administrative costs. The remaining 90% was passed on to HEAL Africa, which used the funds to perform surgical repairs for six women suffering from childbirth-related complications, including vesicovaginal fistula and genital prolapse.