Charity number: 1192583

Issachar Ministries UK

Trustees' Annual Report and Accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2025

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Charity Information

Charity Name	Issachar Ministries UK	
Other Names	Issachar People	
Principal Address	Bedford Heights Brickhill Drive Bedford MK41 7PH	
Websites	www.issacharministries.co.uk www.issacharpeople.org	
Charity Number	1192583	
Date of Registration	20 November 2020	
Legal Status	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (Foundation)	
Governing Document	Constitution dated 22 September 2020	
Financial Year End	31 December	
Bankers	CAF Bank Limited 25 Kings Hill Avenue Kings Hill West Malling ME19 4JQ	
Trustees	Vanessa Edmonds Meriel Forshaw Karen Goodman David Noakes Nicholas Szkiler (chair)	appointed 30 November 2020 appointed 11 April 2025 appointed 16 October 2024 appointed 27 March 2025 appointed 7 December 2021

Trustees' Annual Report

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Review of the Year

Issachar Ministries was founded in 2020 to promote the Christian faith.

During 2025, the charity focused on preparing and equipping Christians to live out their faith in this fast-changing world.

The charity's main activities during the year were:

- The Issachar People website which hosts Prophecy Today articles and news and views, Israel Matters and weekly devotionals.
- The Sunday Gathering (a weekly online meeting) featuring Christian worship and teaching. The number of people signed up to attend these meetings has continued to increase.
- Online courses in Christian discipleship and prayer.
- Providing support services to Prophecy Today Ltd to enable the publication of Christian teaching, which is made available at no cost.
- Sending a monthly email newsletter, and a printed newsletter CD to a small cohort of prayer partners, containing Christian teaching.

Feedback from participants in the charity's activities remains positive.

Governance and Management

The charity engages five part-time personnel (either directly or on a contract basis), who are responsible for key functions including administration, finance, and editorial.

In 2025, the charity again partnered with Sarah Winbow to deliver discipleship and other training on an ad-hoc basis. Other activities were carried out by around ten volunteers. The trustees thank all the staff, contractors, and volunteers for their faithful service.

The charity is governed by a board of trustees who direct the overall activities. The trustees typically meet six times a year. An annual residential meeting to discuss future plans and strategy is held with the trustees and staff.

All staff and volunteers work from home, and as a result the charity has a virtual business office address in Bedford.

The charity is aware of its data protection responsibilities and communicates these obligations to its supporters accordingly. Those on the database have expressed a wish to receive communications from the charity. Supporters can request to be removed from the database at any time. The database is maintained and reviewed regularly.

Risk Management Statement

The trustees regularly review the major risks to which the charity is exposed and, where appropriate, deal with the issues at hand and or put in place systems and activity to mitigate those risks. The trustees are committed to ongoing risk assessment and quality monitoring processes. A Trustee Indemnity Policy is in place as well, as other relevant insurance policies.

Public Benefit Statement

In planning the affairs of the charity, the trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in Section 17 of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit, and the supplementary guidance on charities for the advancement of religion.

Financial Review

The trustees take the view that the charity is still in the startup phase, and its financial position is continuing to develop. 2025 was the charity's fifth full year of operations. Regular donations are stable, whilst one-off donations have increased. Regular Sunday Gathering attendance has grown. The trustees are grateful to all who donate time and/or money to support our vision.

The overall receipts for 2025 were £119,546 (including a legacy of £47,795 and £8,400 from Prophecy Today Ltd). The total payments amounted to £76,389, and the trustees were pleased to be able to make a number of grants and donations. The overall surplus for the year was £43,157. The deficit on restricted funds resulted from an outstanding invoice issued to Prophecy Today Ltd, which was paid after year-end. The largest area of expense was staff costs, and the trustees will be closely monitoring this to ensure that expenditure is kept at a sustainable level.

The charity continues to use email as its primary means of communication, saving the considerable costs of printing and postage. A very small number of printed newsletters are still sent to those supporters without computers.

Reserves Policy

The trustees consider it prudent that the charity should keep sufficient funds in reserve to provide working capital and to enable it to fully satisfy its financial obligations to staff and creditors, should the charity be unable to continue its operations. The trustees have set the appropriate level of reserves at £20,000 or approximately four months' unrestricted expenditure. The charity's excellent financial performance in 2025 has resulted in the reserves being significantly more than the target, and the trustees will be exploring ways to use these funds to further the charity's objectives.

Approval

This annual report was approved by the trustees on 17 September 2026, and is signed on their behalf:



Nicholas Szkiler
Chair of Trustees

Independent Examiner's Report

To The Trustees of Issachar Ministries UK

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Issachar Ministries UK ("the charity") for the year ended 31 December 2025.

Responsibilities and Basis of Report

As the trustees of the charity, 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 charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act. In carrying out my examination, I have followed all 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 in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept by the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

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



David Miller MEng ACGI
6 Cypress House, Alders Close, London, W5 4JF
25 September 2026

Receipts and Payments Account

For the year ended 31 December 2025

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	**Total 2025 £**	Total 2024 £
Receipts				
Donations	56,466	5,608	**62,074**	59,623
Legacies	47,795	-	**47,795**	1,000
Resource sales	25	-	**25**	7,846
Conference bookings	-	-	**-**	6,686
Prophecy Today support	-	8,400	**8,400**	14,000
Other income	1,040	-	**1,040**	62
Interest received	212	-	**212**	347
Total Receipts	105,539	14,008	**119,546**	89,565
Payments				
Wages and other staff costs	22,520	11,550	**34,070**	48,698
Contract services	14,158	-	**14,158**	11,178
Conference costs	-	-	**-**	7,111
Online course costs	478	-	**478**	3,645
Sunday Gathering costs	-	3,634	**3,634**	3,423
Prophecy Today expenses	-	132	**132**	380
Grants and donations	8,003	50	**8,053**	-
Resources	710	-	**710**	3,937
IT and website	5,736	-	**5,736**	5,451
Travel expenses	107	-	**107**	557
Newsletters	130	-	**130**	3,892
Office and storage costs	2,590	718	**3,308**	8,078
Insurance	780	-	**780**	657
Trustee meeting	1,449	-	**1,449**	1,551
Accountant / Independent Examiner	2,100	-	**2,100**	660
Sundry items	1,542	-	**1,542**	1,687
Total Payments	60,306	16,084	**76,389**	100,906
Surplus / (Deficit)	45,233	(2,076)	**43,157**	(11,341)
Transfers Between Funds	-	-	**-**	-
Cash Funds as of 1 January	15,815	(6,635)	**9,180**	20,521
Cash Funds as of 31 December	61,048	(8,711)	**52,337**	9,180

Receipts and Payments Account

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Notes

1. These accounts have been prepared using the receipts and payments method in accordance with section 133 of the Charities Act 2011, The Charitable Incorporated Organisations (General) Regulations 2012, and Charity Commission guidance CC16.
2. All figures have been rounded to the nearest pound. Consequently, there may be minor discrepancies between column and row totals and the sum of the individual items.
3. Unrestricted funds are available for the general use of the charity at the discretion of the trustees.
4. Restricted funds are monies received for specific purposes, namely the costs of the Sunday Gathering and to support the charitable Christian work of Prophecy Today Ltd.
5. The charity does not have any endowment funds.
6. In 2025, no trustees received expenses (whether paid directly or reimbursed) for their duties as trustees.
7. In 2025, Mr David Noakes, a trustee, received £300 for speaking at three Sunday Gathering meetings (2024: £200, two meetings).
8. In 2025, the charity engaged JNL Accounting Limited, a company owned by the sister of trustee Mrs Vanessa Edmonds, to provide bookkeeping and accountancy services. The value of the contract was £7,000 (2024: £nil) and £nil was outstanding at year-end (2024:£nil). The trustees were satisfied that this engagement was in the best interests of the charity, and took steps to manage any potential conflicts of interest.
9. There were no other payments (other than reimbursement of expenditure made on behalf of the charity) to trustees or related parties in 2025.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

As of 31 December 2025

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	**Total £**
Cash In Bank			
CAF Current Account	3,186	(455)	**2,731**
CAF Deposit Account	57,862	(8,256)	**49,606**
Total Cash In Bank	61,048	(8,711)	**52,337**
Other Monetary Assets			
Debtor – Prophecy Today Ltd	-	10,100	**10,100**
Total Other Monetary Assets	0	10,100	**10,100**
Liabilities			
Wages and pensions owed	32	11	**43**
Tax and NI owed	266	87	**353**
Total Liabilities	298	98	**396**

Statutory Notes

The charity has not given any guarantee where any potential liability under the guarantee is outstanding at the date of this statement.

The charity has no debt outstanding at the date of this statement that is owed by the charity and which is secured by an express charge on any of the assets of the charity.

Approval

These accounts were approved by the trustees on 17 September 2026, and are signed on their behalf:



Nicholas Szkiler
Chair of Trustees