

**Report of the Trustees and
Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 31 December 2023
for
Kings Cross Korean Church**

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Kings Cross Korean Church

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for the Year Ended 31 December 2023**

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Kings Cross Korean Church
Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 31 December 2023

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2023. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The objects of the charity are to promote the Christian faith.

Significant activities

The principal fund raising activity of the church is the offerings and donations made by the church congregation. The funds raised are used to support missionary work, both in the United Kingdom and abroad, to give scholarship support to students, and generally to give support and aid to those less well off in the community.

Public benefit

The trustees have taken The Charity Commission's specific and general guidance on public benefit (contained within the guidance publication "The Advancement of Religion for the Public Benefit" and with the revised guidance publication "Charities and Public Benefit") into consideration in preparing their statement on public benefit contained within this trustees' annual report.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Principal funding sources

The charity received donations, interest and Government support grants of £116,218 (2022: £96,620), which was the total incoming resources.

Total expenditure incurred was £124,818 (2022: £115,533) that left net outgoing resources for the year of £8,600 (2022: £18,913).

The trustees applied and shall continue to apply all accumulations of the income to charitable causes after making such provision for all expenditure on trust administration.

Reserves policy

The unrestricted funds reserve of the charity at 31 December 2023 amounted to £195,408 (31 December 2022: £204,008).

It is the trustees' view that it is prudent to ensure that there are sufficient free reserves to provide financial flexibility throughout the year. The long term aim is to use the reserves for the purchase of a site for a church.

FUTURE PLANS

The charity will continue to pursue its objectives as stated above.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust and constitutes an unincorporated charity.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The trustees are all volunteers and have not been specifically recruited.

Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

801352

Kings Cross Korean Church
Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 31 December 2023

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 30 October 2024 and signed on its behalf by:

W Park - Trustee

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Kings Cross Korean Church

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Kings Cross Korean Church

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of Kings Cross Korean Church (the Trust) for the year ended 31 December 2023.

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 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all 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 in respect of the Trust as required by Section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

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.

Andrew Carpenter

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30 October 2024

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**Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 31 December 2023**

	Notes	31/12/23 Unrestricted fund £	31/12/22 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies		113,388	96,279
Investment income	2	2,830	341
Total		116,218	96,620
 EXPENDITURE ON			
Charitable activities			
Charitable activities and support		123,948	114,607
Other		870	926
Total		124,818	115,533
 NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		(8,600)	(18,913)
 RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		204,008	222,921
 TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		195,408	204,008

The notes form part of these financial statements

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**Statement of Financial Position
31 December 2023**

		31/12/23 Unrestricted fund £	31/12/22 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS	Notes		
Tangible assets	5	31	41
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash at bank		197,615	205,118
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	6	(2,238)	(1,151)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>195,377</u>	<u>203,967</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		195,408	204,008
NET ASSETS		<u>195,408</u>	<u>204,008</u>
FUNDS	7		
Unrestricted funds		<u>195,408</u>	<u>204,008</u>
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>195,408</u>	<u>204,008</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 30 October 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:

W Park - Trustee

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2023

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

The presentation currency of the financial statements is the Pound Sterling (£).

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Computer equipment - 25% on reducing balance

Taxation

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The charity operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the charity's pension scheme are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the period to which they relate.

Financial instruments

The charity has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the charity's statement of financial position when the charity becomes party to the contractual provisions of the Instrument.

Basic financial instruments are recognised initially in the accounts at transaction price, including any transaction costs. At the end of each accounting period, basic financial instruments are recognised at amortised cost. For debt instruments this is calculated using the effective interest rate method.

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2023

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Financial instruments

Critical Estimates and Judgements

In the application of the charity's accounting policies, the trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

Winding up or dissolution of the charity

If upon winding up or dissolution of the charity there remain any assets, after the satisfaction of all debts and liabilities, the assets represented by the accumulated fund shall be transferred to some other charitable body or bodies having similar objects to the charity.

2. INVESTMENT INCOME

	31/12/23	31/12/22
	£	£
Deposit account interest	<u>2,830</u>	<u>341</u>

3. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 December 2023 nor for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 December 2023 nor for the year ended 31 December 2022.

4. STAFF COSTS

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

	31/12/23	31/12/22
Pastors	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000.

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
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5. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Computer equipment £
Cost	
At 1 January 2023 and 31 December 2023	10,669
Depreciation	
At 1 January 2023	10,628
Charge for year	10
At 31 December 2023	10,638
Net book value	
At 31 December 2023	31
At 31 December 2022	41

6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	31/12/23 £	31/12/22 £
Taxation and social security	984	-
Other creditors	1,254	1,151
	<u>2,238</u>	<u>1,151</u>

7. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1/1/23 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/12/23 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	204,008	(8,600)	195,408
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>204,008</u>	<u>(8,600)</u>	<u>195,408</u>

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	116,218	(124,818)	(8,600)
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>116,218</u>	<u>(124,818)</u>	<u>(8,600)</u>

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
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7. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1/1/22 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/12/22 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	222,921	(18,913)	204,008
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>222,921</u>	<u>(18,913)</u>	<u>204,008</u>

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	96,620	(115,533)	(18,913)
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>96,620</u>	<u>(115,533)</u>	<u>(18,913)</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined position is as follows:

	At 1/1/22 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/12/23 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	222,921	(27,513)	195,408
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>222,921</u>	<u>(27,513)</u>	<u>195,408</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	212,838	(240,351)	(27,513)
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>212,838</u>	<u>(240,351)</u>	<u>(27,513)</u>

Reserves are maintained to ensure sufficient free reserves to provide financial flexibility. The long term aim is to build up reserves for the purchase of a site for a church building.

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8. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 December 2023.

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**Detailed Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 31 December 2023**

	31/12/23 £	31/12/22 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Donations	113,388	96,279
Investment income		
Deposit account interest	2,830	341
Total incoming resources	116,218	96,620
EXPENDITURE		
Charitable activities		
Propaganda & missionary	10,547	13,416
Sunday school	16,855	10,252
Aid & scholarship	1,000	1,000
Pastoral activity	562	561
Fellowship	4,791	3,732
	33,755	28,961
Other		
Church activities	870	926
Support costs		
Management		
Other operating leases	3,526	2,455
Church rent	26,496	26,496
Motor expenses	3,276	7,173
Management	607	1,246
	33,905	37,370
Other		
Computer equipment	10	14
Governance costs		
Wages	53,835	46,117
Social security	137	-
Pensions	43	-
Accountancy	1,500	1,350
Payroll preparation	618	666
Legal fees	145	129
	56,278	48,262
Total resources expended	124,818	115,533
Net expenditure	(8,600)	(18,913)

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements

Kings Cross Korean Church

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30 October 2024

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Dear Sirs

KINGS CROSS KOREAN CHURCH ACCOUNTS TO 31 DECEMBER 2023

We confirm to the best of our knowledge and belief, and having made appropriate enquiries of other officials of the charity, the following representations given to you in connection with your work on the charity's accounts for the period to 31 December 2023.

1. We acknowledge as the board of trustees our responsibilities under the Charities Act 2011 for preparing accounts in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015). We also acknowledge our responsibility to prepare accounts which give a true and fair view and for making accurate representations to you.
2. All the accounting records have been made available to you for the purpose of your work and all the transactions undertaken by the company have been properly reflected and recorded in the accounting records.
3. All other records and related information, including minutes of all management and shareholders' meetings, have been made available to you.
4. In our opinion, the balance sheet includes all cash and bank accounts and all other assets and, on realisation in the ordinary course of the charity, the current assets in the accounts are expected to produce not less than the net book amounts at which they are stated.
5. All assets were free from any lien, encumbrance or charge except as disclosed.
6. We confirm that significant assumptions used by us in making accounting estimates, including those measured at fair value, are reasonable.
7. All income which arose up to the date of the accounts has been brought into account.
8. There have been no events since the balance sheet date which require adjustment or disclosure in the accounts. We have no plans that may materially affect the stated value or classification of assets and liabilities.
9. At the balance sheet date there were no contingent liabilities of a material amount and no litigation in progress, pending or threatened, other than as disclosed or provided in the accounts.

- 10. We acknowledge our responsibility for the design and implementation of controls to prevent and detect fraud.
- 11. We confirm that there have been no actual or suspected instances of fraud involving management or employees who have a significant role in internal control or that could have a material effect on the financial statements. We also confirm that we are not aware of any allegations of fraud by former employees, regulators or others.
- 12. We confirm that there are no companies or charities associated with this charity for tax purposes. We understand that companies are associated for tax purposes if they are within a 51% group.
- 13. We confirm that there were no transactions with related parties concluded outside of normal commercial terms, except those already informed to you and disclosed in the accounts.
- 14. In our opinion, the charity is entitled to exemption from the requirements for a statutory audit.

CHARITIES COMMISSION FILING

- 15. We confirm our approval for you to file the charity’s accounts with the Charities Commission.

Yours faithfully

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 Trustee
 Approved by the board and signed on its behalf.