

**Word & Worship Global Outreach Ltd
(A Charitable Company Limited by Guarantee)**

Report for the year ended 5th April 2024

**Charity Number 101866
Company Number NI37166**

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Charity Name: Word & Worship Global Outreach Ltd

Charity Registration Number: 101866

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Registered Address: 24 Wellington Crescent,
Ballymena, Co Antrim
BT42 2RZ

Directors: Eugene Smith (President)
Darla Smith (Vice-President)
Steven McCurdy (Secretary/Treasurer)

Accountant: JJC Accountancy Limited
80 Broughshane Street
Ballymena
Co Antrim
BT43 6ED

Bank: Danske Bank
1-2 Broadway,
Ballymena, Co. Antrim
BT43 7PE

Our routine for this year is much the same as the last year. The charity continues to follow the same aims and objectives, which are as follows:

Our Aims and Objectives

Our charity's purposes as set out in the objects contained in the company's memorandum of association are:

To advance the Christian religion throughout the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and elsewhere without geographical or sectarian limitation and in pursuance of this the company shall have the following powers:-

- 1) To proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ and to train and prepare workers for Christian service.
- 2) To prepare and publish Christian education material for all ages, and to review and approve courses already available, and to compose, make recordings and to distribute religious music.
- 3) To establish and supervise local churches and various communities, to baptize, marry and ordain for ministry, and to conduct ministries normal to local church.
- 4) To conduct foreign missions including religious meetings both directly and in conjunction with other individuals and organizations of like faith and objectives, and to provide funds for missionary efforts.
- 5) To assist those in poverty and to provide for basic human need.

The directors continue to routinely meet to review and discuss the charity's activities, review current business, and set out strategies for the future. Any decisions other than routine business that require new expenditures are noted and kept on file.

The directors continue to remain the same as last year.

Eugene & Darla Smith remain employed by the charity. Their efforts are supported by a good number of volunteers.

The directors have considered the charity commission's guidance on public benefit, in particular the specific guidance on charities for the advancement of religion.

Our Activities and Achievements:

The charity's activities have not changed. It continues to express its goals in three broad categories: the running of a local church in Ballymena, teaching and training throughout the UK, and missions abroad.

It is the local church that most of our efforts have centred. All the normal activities associated with a local church are operating smoothly. The preaching times are recorded and are sent out to various participants, both locally and abroad. These messages are sometimes circulated by the congregation around various parts of the world!

This local church is called 'Dwelling Place Christian Fellowship' and has a separate bank account with the Danske Bank. The three directors of the charity still conduct the oversight of the church fellowship.

Covid had an effect on slowing down our international mission involvements. However, we see this opening up again for us. Arrangements have already been made this year to go to Zimbabwe and Burundi. Albania is still asking for us to go there to conduct training and teaching sessions. Colombia is also a possibility, and investigations will be made to see if that is possible for us.

The creation of books is always an ongoing venture. We are receiving many indications that we need to do this more. The emphasis will be on Bible study and training manuals, especially for leaders in third world countries. Books have been written which are distributed free of charge. The cost of writing, printing, and shipping are underwritten by the charity. These studies involve Bible exposition, teaching, and preaching materials.

Word & Worship Global Outreach continues to act as a resource for younger church planters. In addition to working with church leaders abroad, we also mentor younger men and women in Northern Ireland through personal mentoring.

The charity continues to rent a building for use as a local church, and a centre for teaching and training. The building's location remains at:

101A Railway Street
Ballymena, Co. Antrim
Northern Ireland
BT42 2AF

Financial Review

As of the end of the fiscal year, our accountant, Michael Boyd, has retired. Upon his recommendation, we have smoothly transferred our accounts to JJC Accountancy Limited. The services will remain the same. Every year, this office files all our accounts to the appropriate government departments. Monthly, they also look after our salary calculations, taxes, national insurance for both the charity and its two employees, as well as file for the Gift Aid rebate.

The charity continues to operate three bank accounts:

- 1) One designated for the paying of salaries and the work of mission abroad and related work.
- 2) One for the local church 'Dwelling Place Christian Fellowship'
- 3) A savings account.

The charity continues to be grateful for its faithful donors. We are committed to keep the operation simple and basic. The only sources remain the free-will donations of those who attend the church, a few supporters from outside the church, offerings from friends to help finance some of the mission aspects, and the occasional honorarium received from being a guest speaker. There is never any pressure applied to anybody for donations. This charity is freely supported by the goodwill of responsible people.

We are grateful for the Gift Aid Scheme, which has been very helpful. In the fiscal year ended 5th April 2024, donations amounted to £58,333. £13,466 was claimed in gift aid. We continue to hold designated money in our savings account for the purchase of the building now being leased. No real advancement has been made on this issue but remains an option. The owner of the building wants to sell it to us. All monies received to date for that purpose has remained in the savings account.

Otherwise, we continue to choose to not get involved in projects that require finances beyond the normal giving patterns of those who support the work. Of course, it is hoped that the support base would grow, so that more projects will be able to be embraced.

If there is any further clarification that is desired, I can be contacted at:

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On behalf of the board of directors,

Eugene Smith

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