

**THOMAS STREET METHODIST CHURCH**

**JONES BEQUEST FUND**

**CHAIRTY NUMBER: NIC 103122**

**Trustee Annual Report for the period 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 – 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023**

The Trustees of the Thomas Street Methodist Church Jones Bequest Fund have given careful consideration of the Charity Commission guidance on public benefit to ensure that the activities entered into during the year have achieved our objective of providing financial grants to youth organisation attached to Thomas Street Methodist Church. These financial grants were used by various youth organisations to help children and young people between the ages of 3 and 18 to improve personal, social and spiritual development. The organisations are open to any child or young person in the community and at present there are members from several different ethnic backgrounds.

The Trustees who have acted during the period concerned are:

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The income for the charity is derived from investments held by Epworth Investment Management In London. The value of the investment at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023 exceeded a million pounds and the income received during the year was £19,971.68. The grants paid out amounted roughly to £46,769, the excess of expenditure over income was taken from our cash reserves. The charity has no outstanding liabilities.

  
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Trust Steward

  
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Trustee