

A trustees' meeting was held on 29th October, 2023.

Present: Derek Boyd, Mark Hayes, Victor Kennedy, John McDermott, Maynard McFall and Alastair Smith

Apology: Andy Dalrymple

The trustees present their report and accounts for the year ended 31st March 2023.

Objectives and activities

Ballymoney Baptist Church acknowledges the headship of Jesus Christ over his Church and exists to glorify the true God by maintaining and promoting his worship both individually and corporately.

-Its members devote themselves to the teachings of Scripture, to fellowship, breaking of bread, prayer and evangelism. They commit, with the help of God, to witness to the saving and sustaining power of the Lord

Jesus Christ and to work for the extension of his Kingdom.

-The principal charitable object of the church is the advancement of the Christian faith according to the

teachings of Scripture, the Doctrinal Statement and Baptist principles.

-The activities carried out by the Church have included:

holding regular services for public worship, prayer, Bible study, preaching and teaching for all age groups;

providing pastoral care to the members of the church through visitation and prayer; organising meetings and

events that promote our charitable purpose; participating in the life of the local community; supporting other

Christian organisations and charities through volunteering, financial gifts and prayer.

Achievements and performance

The Church meets the public benefit requirement by providing benefit to its members and the general public

by making known the Christian gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ through the advancement of the Christian faith

through Sunday services, youth and children's meetings, baptisms, summer Bible school and soccer camp,

pastoral support and visitation, and support of other Christian organisations and charities.

Financial Review

The church recorded a net surplus (*delete as appropriate) for the year of £20,507

There are no funds held by the Church that are materially in deficit.

Structure, Governance and Management:

Ballymoney Baptist Church is an unincorporated entity operating under a constitution last updated in 2018

Registered Charity Number: 108092

Principal Address: 57 Ballymena Road, Ballymoney, Co. Antrim.

The trustees who served during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were

Trustee 1 Derek Boyd, Trustee 2 Andy Dalrymple, Trustee 3 Mark Hayes, Trustee 4 Victor Kennedy

Trustee 5 John McDermott, Trustee 6 Maynard McFall, Trustee 7 Alastair Smith

Ruth Neely was proposed as eligible to verify our financial report, subject to her agreement. All were in

favour. (Miss Neely subsequently agreed to act.)

The Trustees' Report was approved by the Board of Trustees

_____ *Derek Boyd*

Derek Boyd (Secretary) Trustee Dated: ...3rd December, 2023.....