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UNAUDITED

TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS OF THE CHARITY, ITS TRUSTEES AND ADVISERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Trustees Ronald Alan Leggett, Trustee

Martin Burgess, Trustee Susan Beatrice Ayres, Trustee Timothy James Hutchings, Trustee Dr Anthony John Bond, Trustee Janice Lee Warren, Trustee

Linda Anne Barker, Trustee (resigned 30 October 2024)

Rev Martin Mills, Trustee Martin Wood, Trustee Jennifer Harrison, Trustee Rev Daniel Valentine, Chair

Roger Crocker, Trustee (appointed 21 April 2024)

Charity registered

number 1190593

Principal office Flat 1, Drovers

The Street, Bolney Haywards Heath West Sussex RH17 5PT

Secretary Jennifer Harrison

Accountant Mary C Sheppard FCMA

3 Wykehurst Cottages

Colwood Lane Bolney West Sussex RH17 5QG

TRUSTEES' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

The Trustees present their annual report together with the financial statements of the Charity for the year 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024.

The Charity also trades under the names Bolney PCC.

Objectives and activities

a. Policies and objectives

The Parochial Church Council of St Mary Magdalene, Bolney is responsible for cooperating with the Vicar of Cuckfield & Bolney, the Rev Daniel Valentine, in promoting within the ecclesiastical parish the whole mission of the Church, pastoral, evangelistic, social and ecumenical. Although the House-for-Duty part-time post in Bolney remains unfilled, the PCC is fortunate to have continuing valued support from Rev Martin Mills (Assistant Curate) and Dr Anthony Bond (Licensed Reader).

In setting objectives and planning for activities, the Trustees have given due consideration to general guidance published by the Charity Commission relating to public benefit, including the guidance 'Public benefit: running a charity (PB2)'.

b. Strategies for achieving objectives

The PCC has met regularly in person and remotely to consider the running of the church of St Mary Magdalene. The PCC has discussed and agreed ways to progress our mission with the confines of the parish and beyond through charitable giving.

We have representatives who attend our Deanery and Diocesan Synods and report back.

Everyone is invited to join Deanery Synod meetings to listen to an invited speaker. These meetings are held once a quarter.

We reach out to our local Primary School and have good links with them. We aim to reach out to everyone in our community to develop their faith and knowledge in Jesus Christ through worship and prayer and provide pastoral care currently via all means of communication.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Achievements and performance

a. Main achievements of the Charity and activities undertaken to further the Charity's purpose for public benefit

All services putting faith into practice are available via live attendance. Sermons are recorded for the church website or via social media to enable continuity of Sunday and weekday worship.

A weekday Eucharistic service is led with our Incumbent or Assistant Curate presiding.

Major feast days are celebrated in church.

Any parishioner who is unable to physically attend a church service through illness or any infirmity is welcome to receive a visit/Holy Communion wherever they reside, be it home, hospital or care home by our incumbent or pastoral team.

b. Review of activities

We have 49 names on our Electoral Roll, 5 being non-resident in the parish.

The church

The church, listed Grade 1 and dating from the Norman period, is open every day from 8.30am until dusk for private prayer.

The PCC takes its responsibility for upkeep of the fabric of this ancient building seriously. The quinquennial inspection report in 2018 identified the need for urgent remedial work in the form of repointing and repair of the bell tower stonework. The first phase, west elevation of the tower, was carried out in 2019 and Phase 2, south & east elevations was completed in December 2021. Following an inspection in the early part of 2024, an updated report was received which did not disclose any major concerns while emphasising the importance of ongoing maintenance of the fabric & exterior of this ancient building (Grade 1).

Mission

Beyond the parish, the PCC have highlighted a few charities we feel are worthy of our support. These include two local hospices, Emmaus, Barnabus Fund and Family Support Work (FSW) operating within Chichester Diocese for families less well off than ourselves.

We also have a collection point within our church for offerings of non-perishable goods which are collected regularly and distributed by FSW.

These charities are reviewed on an annual basis.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Financial review

a. Going concern

After making appropriate enquiries, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the Charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in the accounting policies.

b. Reserves policy

It is the policy of the Trustees to maintain a level of reserves sufficient to cover three months anticipated expenditure. At 31 December 2024 the level of reserves was consistent with this policy.

Structure, governance and management

a. Constitution

St Mary Magdalene PCC is a registered charity, number 1190593, and is constituted under the Parochial Church Councils (Powers) Measure 1956.

b. Methods of appointment or election of Trustees

The management of the Charity is the responsibility of the Trustees who are elected and co-opted under the terms of the Parochial Church Councils (Powers) Measure 1956.

PCC members (trustees) are appointed or elected in accordance with the Church Representation Rules. At St Mary Magdalene, the council comprises the incumbent, an assistant curate, churchwardens, the reader, and members elected by individuals on the electoral roll of the church.

c. Organisational structure and decision-making policies

The PCC is responsible for decision-making on all matters of general concern and importance to the parish, including how funds are applied. The PCC delegates authority to the churchwardens to implement plans and undertake day-to-day management.

We are part of the Diocese of Chichester within the Church of England.

d. Financial risk management

The Trustees have assessed the major risks to which the Charity is exposed, in particular those related to the operations and finances of the Charity, and are satisfied that systems and procedures are in place to mitigate exposure to the major risks.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Statement of Trustees' responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England & Wales requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Charity and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles of the Charities SORP (FRS 102);
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards (FRS 102) have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Charity will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the Charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provisions of the the Parochial Church Councils (Powers) Measure 1956. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by order of the members of the board of Trustee	
	and signed on their behalf by:
Rev Daniel Valentine (Chair of Trustees)	
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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of St Mary Magdalene PCC ('the Charity')

I report to the charity Trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 December 2024.

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 2011 Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the Charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent Examiner's Statement

Your attention is drawn to the fact that the Charity has prepared the accounts in accordance with 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) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has been withdrawn.

I understand that this has been done in order for the accounts to provide a true and fair view in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2015.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no 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 Charity as required by section 130 of the 2011 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.

This report is made solely to the Charity's Trustees, as a body, in accordance with Part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. My work has been undertaken so that I might state to the Charity's Trustees those matters I am required to state to them in an Independent Examiner's Report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Charity and the Charity's Trustees as a body, for my work or for this report.

Signed:	Dated:
Mary C Sheppard FCMA	
3 Wykehurst Cottages	

Colwood Lane Bolney West Sussex RH17 5QG

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Note	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Restricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Income from:					
Donations and legacies	3	89,164	1,750	90,914	42,267
Other trading activities	4	15,134	-	15,134	17,036
Investments	5	1,078	-	1,078	404
Total income		105,376	1,750	107,126	59,707
Expenditure on:					_
Raising funds	6	7,751	-	7,751	9,418
Charitable activities:	7				
Parish ministry costs		20,400	-	20,400	24,800
Organist		4,151	-	4,151	3,610
Insurance		1,951	-	1,951	1,910
Quinquennial repairs		900	-	900	-
Church and churchyard maintenance		7,645	1,750	9,395	5,745
Other charitable activities		7,765	-	7,765	7,182
Total expenditure		50,563	1,750	52,313	52,665
Net movement in funds		54,813	-	54,813	7,042
Reconciliation of funds:			_		_
Total funds brought forward		21,126	3,082	24,208	17,166
Net movement in funds		54,813	-	54,813	7,042
Total funds carried forward		75,939	3,082	79,021	24,208

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

The notes on pages 9 to 18 form part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

Fixed assets	Note		2024 £	-	2023 £
Current assets			-		-
Cash at bank and in hand		80,675		27,936	
	_	80,675	_	27,936	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(1,654)		(3,728)	
Net current assets	_		79,021		24,208
Total assets less current liabilities		-	79,021	-	24,208
Net assets excluding pension asset			79,021	-	24,208
Total net assets			79,021	- -	24,208
Charity funds					
Restricted funds	12		3,082		3,082
Unrestricted funds	12		75,939		21,126
Total funds			79,021	=	24,208

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Trustees on and signed on their behalf by:

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Rev Daniel Valentine

(Chair of Trustees)

The notes on pages 9 to 18 form part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

1. General information

St Mary Magdalene PCC is a charity constitued by the Parochial Church Councils (Powers) Measure 1956

It is registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales under registration number 1190593. Its principal office is at Flat 1, Drovers, The Street, Bolney, West Sussex RH17 5PT.

2. Accounting policies

2.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements 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), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

The financial statements have been prepared to give a 'true and fair' view and have departed from the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 only to the extent required to provide a 'true and fair' view. This departure has involved following the Charities SORP (FRS 102) published in October 2019 rather than the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice effective from 1 April 2005 which has since been withdrawn.

St Mary Magdalene PCC meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy.

2.2 Income

All income is recognised once the Charity has entitlement to the income, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount of income receivable can be measured reliably.

The recognition of income from legacies is dependent on establishing entitlement, the probability of receipt and the ability to estimate with sufficient accuracy the amount receivable. Evidence of entitlement to a legacy exists when the Charity has sufficient evidence that a gift has been left to them (through knowledge of the existence of a valid will and the death of the benefactor) and the executor is satisfied that the property in question will not be required to satisfy claims in the estate. Receipt of a legacy must be recognised when it is probable that it will be received and the fair value of the amount receivable, which will generally be the expected cash amount to be distributed to the Charity, can be reliably measured.

Grants are included in the Statement of Financial Activities on a receivable basis. The balance of income received for specific purposes but not expended during the period is shown in the relevant funds on the Balance Sheet. Where income is received in advance of entitlement of receipt, its recognition is deferred and included in creditors as deferred income. Where entitlement occurs before income is received, the income is accrued.

Income tax recoverable in relation to investment income is recognised at the time the investment income is receivable.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.3 Expenditure

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to transfer economic benefit to a third party, 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 classified by activity. The costs of each activity are made up of the total of direct costs and shared costs, including support costs involved in undertaking each activity. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs which contribute to more than one activity and support costs which are not attributable to a single activity are apportioned between those activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources. Central staff costs are allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges allocated on the portion of the asset's use.

Expenditure on raising funds includes all expenditure incurred by the Charity to raise funds for its charitable purposes and includes costs of all fundraising activities events and non-charitable trading.

Expenditure on charitable activities is incurred on directly undertaking the activities which further the Charity's objectives, as well as any associated support costs.

Grants payable are charged in the year when the offer is made except in those cases where the offer is conditional, such grants being recognised as expenditure when the conditions attaching are fulfilled. Grants offered subject to conditions which have not been met at the year end are noted as a commitment, but not accrued as expenditure.

All expenditure is inclusive of irrecoverable VAT.

2.4 Interest receivable

Interest on funds held on deposit is included when receivable and the amount can be measured reliably by the Charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the institution with whom the funds are deposited.

2.5 Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and short-term highly liquid investments with a short maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition or opening of the deposit or similar account.

2.6 Liabilities and provisions

Liabilities are recognised when there is an obligation at the Balance Sheet date as a result of a past event, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefit will be required in settlement, and the amount of the settlement can be estimated reliably.

Liabilities are recognised at the amount that the Charity anticipates it will pay to settle the debt or the amount it has received as advanced payments for the goods or services it must provide.

Provisions are measured at the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation. Where the effect of the time value of money is material, the provision is based on the present value of those amounts, discounted at the pre-tax discount rate that reflects the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities as a finance cost.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.7 Financial instruments

The Charity only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value with the exception of bank loans which are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

2.8 Fund accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the Charity and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Designated funds comprise unrestricted funds that have been set aside by the Trustees for particular purposes. The aim and use of each designated fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by donors or which have been raised by the Charity for particular purposes. The costs of raising and administering such funds are charged against the specific fund. The aim and use of each restricted fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Investment income, gains and losses are allocated to the appropriate fund.

3. Income from donations and legacies

Donations	Unrestricted funds 2024 £ 39,164	Restricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £ 39,164	Total funds 2023 £ 40,767
Legacies Grants	50,000 -	- 1,750	50,000 1,750	- 1,500
	89,164	1,750	90,914	42,267
Total 2023	40,767	1,500	42,267	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

4.	Income from other trading activities			
	Income from fundraising events			
		Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
	100 Club	4,490	4,490	4,485
	Other fundraising activities	1,925	1,925	1,280
		6,415	6,415	5,765
	Income from non charitable trading activities			
		Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
	Magazine sales and advertising	6,045	6,045	7,448
	Fees received	2,674	2,674	3,823
		8,719	8,719	11,271
5.	Investment income			
		Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
		4.070		40.4

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Bank interest received

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

6. Expenditure on raising funds

Costs of raising voluntary income

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
100 Club	2,360	2,360	2,400
Other fundraising costs	243	243	704
	2,603	2,603	3,104

Other trading expenses

	Jnrestricted	Total	Total
	funds	funds	funds
	2024	2024	2023
	£	£	£
Magazine costs	5,148	5,148	6,314

7. Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities

Summary by fund type

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Restricted funds 2024 £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Fundraising and Church support	42,812	1,750	44,562	43,247
Total 2023	41,747	1,500	43,247	

8. Independent examiner's remuneration

The independent examiner's remuneration amounts to an independent examiner fee of £ - (2023 - £ -).

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

9. Trustees' remuneration and expenses

During the year, no Trustees received any remuneration or other benefits (2023 - £NIL).

During the year ended 31 December 2024, no Trustee expenses have been incurred (2023 - £NIL).

10. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

		2024 £	2023 £
	Amounts owed to DBF	1,654	3,728
11.	Financial instruments		
		2024 £	2023 £
	Financial assets		
	Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure	80,675	27,936

Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure comprise balances held on bank accounts.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

12. Statement of funds

Statement of funds - current year

	Balance at 1 January 2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Balance at 31 December 2024 £
Unrestricted funds				
Designated funds				
Quinquennial repairs	12,912	-	(900)	12,012
Church sundry improvements	256	-	-	256
	13,168		(900)	12,268
General funds				
General fund	7,958	105,377	(49,664)	63,671
Total Unrestricted funds	21,126	105,377	(50,564)	75,939
Restricted funds				
Clock appeal	3,082	-	-	3,082
Churchyard maintenance	-	1,750	(1,750)	-
	3,082	1,750	(1,750)	3,082
Total of funds	24,208	107,127	(52,314)	79,021

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

12. Statement of funds (continued)

Statement of funds - prior year

	Balance at 1 January 2023 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers in/out £	Balance at 31 December 2023 £
Unrestricted funds					
Designated funds					
Quinquennial repairs	2,912	-	-	10,000	12,912
Church sundry improvements	256	-	-	-	256
	3,168	-		10,000	13,168
General funds					
General fund	10,916	58,207	(51,165)	(10,000)	7,958
Total Unrestricted funds	14,084	58,207	(51,165)	-	21,126
Restricted funds					
Clock appeal	3,082	_	_	-	3,082
Churchyard maintenance	-	1,500	(1,500)	-	-
	3,082	1,500	(1,500)	<u>-</u>	3,082
Total of funds	17,166	59,707	(52,665)	<u>-</u>	24,208

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

13. Summary of funds

Summary of funds - current year

	Balance at 1 January 2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Balance at 31 December 2024 £
Designated funds	13,168	-	(900)	12,268
General funds	7,958	105,377	(49,664)	63,671
Restricted funds	3,082	1,750	(1,750)	3,082
	24,208	107,127	(52,314)	79,021

.In the latter part of 2024, the PCC was fortunate to receive a legacy of £50,000 from the estate of Rodney Vince Pratt, who died in 2021. Mr Pratt was a stalwart member of the church community over many years, serving in a number of roles within the parish, deanery & diocese. The trustees are giving careful consideration to how and in what form the legacy should be applied for the benefit of the parish. In the short-term, the monies are held on deposit with the CCLA in an interest-bearing account. Interest is payable quarterly. The first instalment of interest was received shortly after the year end on 31 December 2024.

Summary of funds - prior year

	Balance at 1 January 2023 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers in/out £	Balance at 31 December 2023 £
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Designated funds	3,168	-	-	10,000	13,168
General funds	10,916	58,207	(51,165)	(10,000)	7,958
Restricted funds	3,082	1,500	(1,500)	-	3,082
	17,166	59,707	(52,665)	-	24,208

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

14. Analysis of net assets between funds

Analysis of net assets between funds - current period

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Restricted funds 2024	Total funds 2024 £
Current assets	77,593	3,082	80,675
Creditors due within one year	(1,654)	-	(1,654)
Total	75,939	3,082	79,021
Analysis of net assets between funds - prior period			
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total
	funds 2023	funds 2023	funds 2023
	£	£	2023 £
Current assets	24,854	3,082	27,936
Creditors due within one year	(3,728)	-	(3,728)
Total	21,126	3,082	24,208

15. Related party transactions

Contractual payments were made to Mr M Burgess, a trustee, during the year for upkeep and maintenance of the churchyard as well as print services. The total of these payments in the year was £230 (2023 £598). No amount was outstanding at the year end.

Further contractual payments were made during the year to Mr B Barker for upkeep of the churchyard and beech hedge. The total of these payments in the year was £1,459 (2023 £1,192) Mr Barker's wife Linda Barker has served the PCC as a trustee for many years until her resignation during the course of 2024.

The PCC attaches much importance to maintaining the churchyard to a high standard not only for the benefit of parishioners but for a large number of visitors from all parts of the world, as evidenced by entries in the visitors' book.