### **Trustees Report**

## Warwick New Life Church, Friars Street, Warwick. CV34 6HD. Charity No. 1052018

The trustees that served during the financial year 1.4.2021 to 31.3.2022 were Pastor Linz Alexander (Chairperson/Minister), Miss Stacey Bains (Treasurer/Elder) and Mrs Vicky Goma (Secretary & Elder). Trustees are appointed by the Minister and the Elders. AOG Property Trust, Nottingham remained Holding Trustees for the building. The legal structure for the charity is an unincorporated association. Our governing document is the Assemblies of God New Model Deed Trust.

Our principal aim of the charity is the advancement of the Christian faith and despite Covid and not being able to meet in the building as a worship community we continued in our efforts to make Jesus known and disciple believers by various programmes via Zoom, and other forms of social media. We also met in smaller groups for fellowship, teaching and prayer. We continued to support members of our Kids Club and Youth Club with more home visits and we were able to start outdoor activities and events for both them and their families. During the year our building continued to be usefully deployed to hold freezers supporting our Your Farmer Foodbank, which this year was more focused on meeting the needs of struggling families in Warwick rather than going further afield into the county also. We also continued to run, from the church building, our second-hand white goods and furniture provision to further support families. However, as society began to open up again after Covid and ourselves desperately wanting to recommence our children and youth clubs, our community café and parent and toddler groups etc as well as being able to meet face to face as a worshipping community we found ourselves to be in a predicament as the building was now being occupied as a Foodbank and Second-Hand White Goods/Household Items Provision, whose services were still very much needed. In order to get around this we decided the best way was to rent storage space to store good donations of second-hand household items and white goods and also convert our cellar in order to make it into a useable space. As people were getting back to work again, we also felt that a Community Shop would be the way forward to help with the cost-of-living crisis yet avoid people becoming dependant as they could contribute as they were able. The early part of the year was therefore spent fundraising and the latter part saw the commencement of the actual building work in the cellar which was as good as completed by the end of the year. By March 2022 we were able to recommence many of the services already mentioned and we were now able to start new ones namely the Community Shop and also a ladies fitness club which also occupies cellar space as well as the having freezer space to support our Your Farmer Foodbank which by the end of the year was more simply operating from just two locations - the church and also from our previously set up collection point - the sweet shop situated in Warwick town centre.

During the year our dedicated volunteers continued to maintain weekly visits to the elderly, the lonely and those known to us with poor mental health to support them with food provision where there was a need but also just to continue providing a welfare check as Covid left many feeling isolated and some had lost confidence socialising and some had lost mobility after many months of lock down and fearing going out.

Youth Workers continued visits into the local secondary school to present courses such as the Mental Health Resilience Course called Strong to young people who were struggling. We also worked with another charity Transforming Communities and the five Church of England Churches

in the district to help provide food hampers during the holidays for children eligible for free school meals. We also continued the charity's commitment to other organisations based in Warwick District and surrounding areas that have a similar ethos to ourselves by making financial contributions to them.

Without doubt the charity's success was setting up the first community shop in the area and setting up a fitness club to support ladies on low income as well as being able to start back our many services and being able to actually worship together again in person.

The charity's finances were used to fund the aforementioned activities and to support the upkeep of its building. With respect to the reserves in the Charity's bank accounts these were carried forward into the next financial year in order to meet planned expenditure and imminent bills.

(Pastor Linz Alexander)

Signed on behalf of The Trustees of New Life Church, Warwick

# NEW LIFE CHURCH WARWICK FRIARS STREET

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Registered Charity number 1052018

On the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022

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It is my responsibility to:

- Examine the accounts (under section 145 of the 2022 Act;
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- State whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

### Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

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### Signed LA Silver

Date: 26 January 2023

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25 Ellicombe Close, Minehead, Somerset. TA24 6DQ

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SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE CHURCH COUNCIL

Please print name	Date	_

### INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO CHURCH COUNCIL

### **INTRODUCTION**

Thank you for submitting the accounts for independent examination.

### **CHARITY LAW AND FINANCIAL REGULATIONS**

The independent examination has been carried out in accordance with The Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 1995 (Statutory Instruments No 2724) and rhw Accounting by Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP)

### SIGNING OF ACCOUNTS

I shall be obliged if you will please forward a copy of the signature page for my records after the accounts have been signed by a representative appointed by the Trustees and Church Council. A spare copy is enclosed.

### **CONCLUSION**

There are no other matters I feel need to be brought to your attention.

Please do not hesitate to contact me for clarification of for further assistance.

### **Luke Silver**

26 January 2023

### Year Ending 31 March 2022

Receipts	2021 / 22	2020 / 21	Payments	2021 / 22	2020 / 21
	£	£		£	£
Offerings/Donations	49,972	26,936	Ministry	11,700	13,071
Grants	46,827	162,389	Establisment	47,698	14,504
Misc	85	11,873	Administration	430	249
			Church Family	7,391	43,489
			Farmer Foodbank	58,407	95,483
Total	96,884	201,198	Total	125,626	166,796

Balance brought forward 1 April 2021		Balance Carried forward 31 March 2022		
Lloyds 2035349	1,698	Lloyds 2035349	391	
Lloyds 2357095		Lloyds 2357095	377	
Lloyds 01349153	457	Lloyds 01349153	339	
Lloyds 64733160	32,957	Lloyds 64733160	782	
Lloyds 66410460	0	Lloyds 66410460	4,778	
Total	35,409	Total	6,667	

### Income for the Year Ending 31 March 2022

2021 / 22	2020 / 21
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	2021722	2020 / 21
Main Account	£	£
Gift Aided Offerings	13,430	14,176
Non Gift Aid Offerings	7,220	6,900
Gift Aid Tax Back	1,220	4,072
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Van/Minibus Offerings	200	300
Grants	0	41,815
Hire of Building	0	0
Donation Building Works	0	0
Missions / Ministry Gift	0	687
Food Project	0	655
Outreach	85	375
Other	0	875
Refunded Expenditure	0	180
Total	20,935	70,035
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Youth Account	£	£
Crash Out Fees	208	87
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Camp Donations	0	0
Grants - Baron	1,118	0
Grants - WDC	400	1,235
Outreach	0	0
Donations - General	0	160
Donations - Trip	0	0
Crash Out Tots	0	91
Total	1,726	1,573
Tithe Account	£	£
Donations	600	1,150
Transfers from Main Account	3,086	4,123
Transfers from Main Account	3,000	4,123
Total	3,686	5,273
Farmer Foodbank	£	£
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Capital Equipment Grants	0	13,500
Local Government Grants	13,621	105,839
Foodbank / Furniture Projects	0	9,101
Donations	12,610	0,101
Donations		
Total	26,231	128,440
Building Fund	£	£
Grants	31,686	0
Donations	15,704	0
Total	47,390	0
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### Expenditure for the Year Ending 31 March 2022

### Registered Charity Number: 1052018

2021 / 22		2020 / 21	
£	£	£	£

	2021 / 22			2020 / 21	
	£	£		£	£
Main Account					
Establishment					
Insurances/Licences	1,268			966	
Heat/Light/Water	1,917			2,230	
Telephone Equipment / Training	295 764			335 639	
Cleaning	38			0	
Building Works	804			10,334	
Total Establishment		5,086			14,504
Ministry					
Pastor's Wages & Expenses	11,700	11,700		13,071	13,071
Church Family					
Outreach	556			372	
Mini Bus & Van	1,382			2,933	
Trips Refreshments etc	0 2			0	
Ministry Gifts	0			340	
Food Project	0			31,510	
Food & Furniture Project	0			1,723	
Total Church Family		1,940			36,878
Administration					
Accountancy Fees	335			235	
Stationery & Postage	95			14	
Total Administration		430			249
Total Expenditure		19,156			64,702
Youth Account	£	£		£	£
Church Family					
Equipment - Crash Out Tots	0			0	
Equipment - Kids / Youth Club	1,397			1,290	
Camps Trips	0			0	
Outreach	250			255	
Training Crash Out Tots - Refreshments	0			0	
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Total		1,647			1,545
Tithe Account	£	£	1	£	£
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Church Family					
Missions Ministry Gifts	1,760 2,044			2,765 2,301	
Total	_,,,,,	3,804			5,066
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Farmer Foodbank	£	£		£	£
Capital Costs	0			21,376	
Cost of Food Operating Costs	36,344 9,169			63,980 10,127	
HAF Project Costs	8,144			0	
Community Set Up Costs	4,750			0	
Total		58,407			95,483
Building Fund	£	£		£	£
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Building Work / Materials Other Building / DIY Works

Total

36,189 6,423

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### Statement of Assets & Liabilities

### Year Ending 31 March 2022

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Church Premises - insurance value Contents of Premises - insurance value	757,487 79,010	
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17 Seater Mini Bus Value at April 2021	2,966	
Van Value at April 2020	602	
Mini Bus Value at April 2018 (£1,546) less vehicles depreciation (£1,546) <b>Scrapped</b> <b>Mini Bus Value at April 2021</b>	0	
Freezer Van - Purchased 17 August 2020	11,100	
9 Seater Minibus	7,830	
Total Fixed Assets		858,995
Current Assets		
Lloyds 2035349 Lloyds 2357095 Lloyds 01349153 Lloyds 64733160 Lloyds 66410460	391 377 339 782 4,778	
Total Current Assets		6,667
Total Assets		865,662
Less Current Liabilities	NIL	
Net Assets		865,662

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