Charity registration number: 1161948

ST JOHN'S POULTON 1838 CHARITY

Annual Report and Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 5 April 2021

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Reference and Administrative Details

Trustees

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Charity Registration Number

1161948

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Trustees' Report

The trustees present the annual report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2021.

Objectives and activities

Public benefit

The main aims and purposes are the provision of a chapel for the Catholic religion, support of the priest and provision of a burial ground for the benefit of the St John's church, allowing it to operate for the benefit of the public.

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the requirements of section 17 of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission for England and Wales.

The annual report was approved by the trustees of the charity on 8 July 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

Lan Christopher Harrison

Trustee

Statement of Trustees' Responsibilities

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

The law applicable to charities 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 the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity 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 in the Charities SORP;
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- 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 proper accounting records that 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 Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008, and the provisions of the constitution. The trustees 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.

The trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the charitable company's website. Legislation governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

Approved by the trustees of the charity on 8 July 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

Jan Christopher Harrison

Trustee

Independent Examiner's Report to the trustees of ST JOHN'S POULTON 1838 CHARITY

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2021 which are set out on pages 5 to 12.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

As the charity's trustees of ST JOHN'S POULTON 1838 CHARITY you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the ST JOHN'S POULTON 1838 CHARITY's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material 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 ST JOHN'S POULTON 1838 CHARITY as required by section 130 of the Act; or
- 2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
- 3. the accounts do not comply with the accounting 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.

Joseph Tantram Chartered accountant F.C.C.A. A.C.A.

Unit 1, Barons Court Graceways Whitehills Business Park Blackpool Lancashire FY4 5GP

8 July 2021

Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 5 April 2021

	Note	Unrestricted funds £	Total 2021 £
Income and Endowments from:	11016	~ .	~
Investment income		30,620	30,620
Other income		17,920	17,920
Total income		48,540	48,540
Expenditure on:			
Raising funds		(11,148)	(11,148)
Charitable activities		(17,920)	(17,920)
Total expenditure		(29,068)	(29,068)
Gains/losses on investment assets		337,468	337,468
Net income		356,940	356,940
Net movement in funds		356,940	356,940
Reconciliation of funds			
Total funds brought forward		1,213,943	1,213,943
Total funds carried forward	7	1,570,883	1,570,883
		Unrestricted	Total
	Note	funds	2020
Income and Endowments from	Note		
Income and Endowments from: Investment income	Note	funds £	2020 £
	Note	funds	2020
Investment income	Note	funds £ 40,994	2020 £ 40,994
Investment income Other income Total income	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162	2020 £ 40,994 21,162
Investment income Other income	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162	2020 £ 40,994 21,162
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on:	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on: Raising funds	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318)	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162)
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on: Raising funds Charitable activities	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162)	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318)
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on: Raising funds Charitable activities Total expenditure	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480)	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480)
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on: Raising funds Charitable activities Total expenditure Gains/losses on investment assets	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480) (181,391)	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480) (181,391)
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on: Raising funds Charitable activities Total expenditure Gains/losses on investment assets Net expenditure	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480) (181,391) (149,715)	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480) (181,391) (149,715)
Investment income Other income Total income Expenditure on: Raising funds Charitable activities Total expenditure Gains/losses on investment assets Net expenditure Net movement in funds	Note	funds £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480) (181,391) (149,715)	2020 £ 40,994 21,162 62,156 (9,318) (21,162) (30,480) (181,391) (149,715)

All of the charity's activities derive from continuing operations during the above two periods. The funds breakdown for 2020 is shown in note 7.

(Registration number: 1161948) Balance Sheet as at 5 April 2021

	Note	2021 £	2020 £
Current assets			
Debtors	6	187,199	167,727
Investments	_	1,383,684	1,046,216
		1,570,883	1,213,943
Funds of the charity:			
Unrestricted income funds			
Unrestricted funds	-	1,570,883	1,213,943
Total funds	7	1,570,883	1,213,943

The financial statements on pages 5 to 11 were approved by the trustees, and authorised for issue on 8 July 2021 and signed on their behalf by:

an Christopher Harrison

Trustee

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2021

1 Accounting policies

Statement of compliance

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice issued in October 2019, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

Basis of preparation

ST JOHN'S POULTON 1838 CHARITY meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. The accounts (financial statements) have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The presentational currency is Sterling. All amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole pound.

Going concern

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

Income and endowments

Expenditure

All expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to that expenditure, it is probable settlement is required and the amount can be measured reliably. All costs are allocated to the applicable expenditure heading that aggregate similar costs to that category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated on a basis consistent with the use of resources, with central staff costs allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges allocated on the portion of the asset's use. Other support costs are allocated based on the spread of staff costs.

Raising funds

These are costs incurred in attracting voluntary income, the management of investments and those incurred in trading activities that raise funds.

Charitable activities

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Taxation

The charity is considered to pass the tests set out in Paragraph 1 Schedule 6 of the Finance Act 2010 and therefore it meets the definition of a charitable company for UK corporation tax purposes. Accordingly, the charity is potentially exempt from taxation in respect of income or capital gains received within categories covered by Chapter 3 Part 11 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010 or Section 256 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992, to the extent that such income or gains are applied exclusively to charitable purposes.

Current asset investments

Current asset investments are included at the lower of cost and net realisable value / market value.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2021 (continued)

Trade debtors

Trade debtors are amounts due from customers for merchandise sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Trade debtors are recognised initially at the transaction price. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for the impairment of trade debtors is established when there is objective evidence that the charity will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables.

Borrowings

Interest-bearing borrowings are initially recorded at fair value, net of transaction costs. Interest-bearing borrowings are subsequently carried at amortised cost, with the difference between the proceeds, net of transaction costs, and the amount due on redemption being recognised as a charge to the Statement of Financial Activities over the period of the relevant borrowing.

Interest expense is recognised on the basis of the effective interest method and is included in interest payable and similar charges.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the charity has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date.

Fund structure

Unrestricted income funds are general funds that are available for use at the trustees discretion in furtherance of the objectives of the charity.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2021 (continued)

2 Other income

		Unrestricted funds General £	Total funds £
Rental income		17,920	17,920
Total for 2021		17,920	17,920
Total for 2020		21,162	21,162
3 Expenditure on raising funds			
a) Investment management costs			
	Note	Unrestricted funds General £	Total funds £
Other investment management costs;			~
Other portfolio management costs		11,148	11,148
Total for 2021		11,148	11,148
Total for 2020		9,318	9,318
			Total costs £
4 Expenditure on charitable activities			
	Note	Unrestricted funds General £	Total funds £
Supporting a church		17,920	17,920
Total for 2020		21,162	21,162

Total expenditure £

5 Taxation

The charity is a registered charity and is therefore exempt from taxation.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2021 (continued)

6 Debtors					
Other debtors				2021 £ 187,199	2020 £ 167,727
Debtors includes £187,199 (2020): £167,727) rece	ivable after mor	e than one year.		
Other debtors				2021 £ 187,199	2020 £ 167,727
7 Funds					
	Balance at 6 April 2020 £	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Other recognised gains/(losses)	Balance at 5 April 2021 £
Unrestricted funds					
General	1,213,943	48,540	(29,068)	337,468	1,570,883
	Balance at 6 April 2019 £	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Other recognised gains/(losses)	Balance at 5 April 2020 £
Unrestricted funds					
General	1,363,658	62,156	(30,480)	(181,391)	1,213,943

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2021 (continued)

8 Analysis of net funds

Current asset investments	At 6 April 2020 £ 1,046,216	At 5 April 2021 £ 1,046,216
Net debt	1,046,216	1,046,216
	At 6 April 2019 £	At 5 April 2020 £
Current asset investments	1,227,607	1,227,607
Net debt	1,227,607	1,227,607

Statement of Financial Activities by fund for the Year Ended 5 April 2021

	Total Unrestricted Funds 2021 £	Total Unrestricted Funds 2020 £
Income and Endowments from:		
Investment income	30,620	40,994
Other income	17,920	21,162
Total income	48,540	62,156
Expenditure on:		
Raising funds	(11,148)	(9,318)
Charitable activities	(17,920)	(21,162)
Total expenditure	(29,068)	(30,480)
Net income	19,472	31,676
Net movement in funds	19,472	31,676
Reconciliation of funds		
Total funds brought forward	1,213,943	1,363,658
Total funds carried forward	1,233,415	1,395,334

Detailed Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 5 April 2021

	Total 2021 £	Total 2020 £
Income and Endowments from: Investment income (analysed below) Other income (analysed below)	30,620 17,920	40,994 21,162
Total income	48,540	62,156
Expenditure on: Raising funds (analysed below) Charitable activities (analysed below)	(11,148) (17,920)	(9,318) (21,162)
Total expenditure	(29,068)	(30,480)
Net income	19,472	31,676
Net movement in funds	19,472	31,676
Reconciliation of funds		
Total funds brought forward	1,213,943	1,363,658
Total funds carried forward	1,233,415	1,395,334

Detailed Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 5 April 2021 (continued)

	Total 2021 £	Total 2020 £
Investment income		
Investment income	30,620	40,994
	30,620	40,994
Other income		
Rent receivable	17,920	21,162
	17,920	21,162
Raising funds		
Investment management fees	(11,148)	(9,318)
	(11,148)	(9,318)
Charitable activities		
Charitable donations	(17,920)	(21,162)
	(17,920)	(21,162)