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South Liverpool Vineyard Christian Fellowship Company Limited by Guarantee Unaudited Financial Statements 31 December 2017

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Financial Statements

Year ended 31 December 2017

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Trustees' Annual Report (Incorporating the Director's Report)

Year ended 31 December 2017

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purposes of company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2017.

Reference and administrative details

Registered charity name

South Liverpool Vineyard Christian Fellowship

Charity registration number

1057680

Company registration number 3197807

Principal office and registered 2 Cardwell Road

office

Garston

Liverpool L19

The trustees

Mr A Larkin Mr N Draycott Mrs E Ross Miss E Gaynor

Company secretary

Emily Ross

Independent examiner

Bramwell Morris 18 Mulberry Avenue Turnstone Business Park

Widnes Cheshire WA8 0WN

Structure, governance and management

The Memorandum of Association and the Article, of Association (10/05/1996) govern South Liverpool Vineyard. The Senior Pastor (Mr. A C Larkin) along with the other trustees have the general management and control of the administration of the charity.

Trustees are appointed in line with the Memorandum and Articles of Association. Trustees are chosen both for their understanding of the objects of the charity and their professional expertise and experience.

Day to day management of the Charity is delegated to Mr. A.C and Mrs S Larkin the staff and the senior leaders of South Liverpool Vineyard to implement the objectives of the Charity. The trustees are kept informed through regular reports and informal involvement.

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Structure, governance and management (continued)

The Charity is a member of Vineyard Churches UK a charity that functions as a resource for similar churches. They specifically provide resources, training and pastoral oversight. The membership allows Reverend A C Larkin to be an accredited pastor and the right for him to use the Trademark"Vineyard name in association with South Liverpool Vineyard Church.

Objectives and activities

- 1. The furtherance of religious or secular public education.
- 2. The advancement of the Christian Faith including missionary activities in the United Kingdom and overseas and also including but not limited to the planting of new churches and organisations of congregations.
- 3. The relief of the poor and needy.
- 4. The relief of the sick and elderly.
- 5. Such other charitable objects and for the benefit of such other charitable bodies and institutions as the Committee shall in their absolute discretion see fit.

Strategic report

The following sections for achievements and performance and financial review form the strategic report of the charity.

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Year ended 31 December 2017

Achievements and performance

Summary of 2017 Activities

During 2017 we continued our interaction with the public in the L8 area. The main expressions of this have been:

* Nice Things supports women who have experienced domestic abuse with help decorating their homes. This service has been available for many years and works on a referral basis in partnership with local charities: YMCA, Amadudu and Speke Garston Domestic Violence Project being the main ones. * Grow Baby gives practical help to local families, asylum seekers and refugees by providing free children's clothing and baby equipment. * Messy Church brings the community together once a month to enjoy kids' activities and free food.

The Nice Things decorating team has completed a number of decorating jobs throughout 2017 in conjunction with the agencies we partner with. The materials and labour are all free and the decorating work, typically one room, is generally completed within one day. We also aim to equip those we work with to learn how to decorate if they don't know already know how to.

Grow Baby has developed amazingly well. During 2017 we gave away over 22,000 items of good quality second-hand / new clothing for children aged 0 - 5yrs. We also give away any good quality equipment which is donated by the public, such as pushchairs and other related equipment.

The women are also welcome to sit and chat whilst enjoying some refreshments. For many of the families who use Grow Baby, English is not their first language and this helps them with their speaking and listening skills. They can also bring clothing back when the babies/children grow out of them and exchange them - everything is free.

We have had great success with this outreach and have had many asylum seekers access the service. We are still attracting local children's agencies who have been along to visit and see what happens and they are now contacting us when they have clients in need. Other agencies that are involved in helping women in Liverpool also use Grow Baby for their service users, i.e. agencies supporting women who have been trafficked.

The local Tesco store is still involved and their Community Champion continues to help us with fundraising activities. They have a container permanently at the checkout where people can donate clothing and equipment to us.

Our volunteer base is mainly local and includes asylum seekers and refugees. Without their support it wouldn't be possible to operate the service.

Our monthly Messy Church is still popular with the community and we continue to draw them in each month to enjoy craft activities, songs, stories and a free buffet lunch. Some of the community have become involved in the church itself. It has given us the opportunity to build relationships with the families and to assist many of them with their English speaking.

At Christmas we realized that there were a number of families struggling financially. To help with this, the church raised money to make some hampers. In all, we were able to make 10 hampers which were filled with both practical and luxury goods to help them over the Christmas period - this was a resounding success with those who received them.

We continue our coffee morning in the local Tesco café where we meet a group, of mainly women,

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who share their lives with us. The purpose is to develop relationships and friendships and support one another. We are a listening ear for many in difficult situations. Through this we have found some of the women want to come along with their children to Messy Church, Sunday meetings and to help at Grow Baby

We continue to provide meals through our women's group for a 2 week period for those who have had babies or other significant life events.

Financial review

It is the policy of South Liverpool Vineyard to maintain a current account for regular expenses and payments and a separate deposit account for reserves. During this period reserves were maintained at a level that could cover almost 4 months of regular expenses in order to safeguard against sudden drops in income or unexpected changes in the Gift Aid tax reclaim allowances.

It is the policy of South Liverpool Vineyard to build reserves to a level that would cover six months of the regular expenses of the Charity and steps are being taken to build up reserves levels. The charity had a deficit of £7,006 in the 2017 fiscal year.

The primary source of income for South Liverpool Vineyard is the money donated by members of the church in either restricted or non restricted offerings. This is aided by the system of being able to reclaim tax paid under the gift aid system.

The main application of the funds of the charity have been in the areas of Salaries, Venue hire, Administrative support and expenses and giving to charitable causes identified as supporting the charity's objectives.

It is expected that income to expenditure ratios should increase in 2018 in comparison to those seen in 2017.

Plans for future periods

The Charity plans to maintain it's pursuit of it's objectives as set out above. This will continue to be facilitated by the ministry of small groups meeting the needs of specific groups of people, continuation of Sunday meetings and courses to support marriage and the family.

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Plans for future periods (continued)

Public Benefit

As a church we have continued to interact with the public in numerous ways throughout 2017.

We have maintained our relationship with the Domestic Abuse organisations, as we continue to decorate rooms for those moving into their own properties.

We have developed a relationship with a new agency/charity called Amadudu.

Our monthly Messy Church event is growing and we have a large number of the community gathering each month, and this includes a free buffet lunch.

We are also continuing with the Grow Baby project which distributes good quality second hand/new clothing for children aged 0-5 years. We also give away any good quality equipment which is donated ie pushchairs, cots, car seats etc. They can also bring clothing back when the bables/children grow out of them and exchange them. Everything is free. We have had great success with this project and have had many asylum seekers coming along.

Our women's group is continuing to reach out to women within and without the church who have babies, cooking meals for them during the first two weeks post delivery which has raised some very positive feedback.

The trustees' annual report and the strategic report were approved on 24 September 2018 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Mr A Larkin

Director____

Emily Ross

Charity Secretary Emily Roys
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Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of South Liverpool Vineyard Christian Fellowship

Year ended 31 December 2017

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of South Liverpool Vineyard Christian Fellowship ('the charity') for the year ended 31 December 2017.

Responsibilities and basis of report

The trustees are also the directors of the company for the purposes of company law are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed. I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of 'Accounting body'.

Independent examiner's statement

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:

- accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
- the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3. the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act 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; or
- 4. the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

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.

Independent Xxaminer

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Widnes Cheshire WA8 0WN

24 September 2018

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Statement of Financial Activities (including income and expenditure account)

Year ended 31 December 2017

			2017		2016
		Unrestricted	Restricted		
		funds	funds	Total funds	Total funds
	Note	£	£	£	£
Income and endowments	_	67.760	2 000	70,648	72,554
Donations and legacies	5	67,760	2,888	70,046	12,004
Total income		67,760	2,888	70,648	72,554
Expenditure	6,7	67,893	3,155	71,048	78,587
Expenditure on charitable activities	8	6,606	5,100	6,606	6,673
Other expenditure	U				
Total expenditure		74,499	3,155	77,654	85,260
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Net expenditure and net movemen	t in	(0.770.0)	(007)	(7 000)	(40 70¢)
funds		(6,739)	(267)	(7,006)	(12,706)
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		11,103	4,052	15,155	27,861
Total funds carried forward		4,364	3,785	8,149	15,155
Total funds carried forward		4,504	0,100		

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year. All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

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Statement of Financial Position

31 December 2017

	2017			2016
	Note	£	£	£
Fixed assets Tangible fixed assets	13		947	1,263
Current assets Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	14	901 6,801 7,702		894 13,542 14,436
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	15	500		544
Net current assets			7,202	13,892
Total assets less current liabilities			8,149	15,155
Net assets			8,149	15,155
Funds of the charity Restricted funds Unrestricted funds Total charity funds	16		3,785 4,364 8,149	4,052 11,103 15,155

For the year ending 31 December 2017 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 24 September 2018, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

Mr A Larkin

Director

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 December 2017

General information 1.

The charity is a public benefit entity and a private company limited by guarantee, registered in England and Wales and a registered charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is 2 Cardwell Road, Garston, Liverpool, L19.

Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the 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) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going concern

There are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue.

Disclosure exemptions

The entity satisfies the criteria of being a qualifying entity as defined in FRS 102. As such, advantage has been taken of the following disclosure exemptions available under paragraph 1.12 of FRS 102: (a) No cash flow statement has been presented for the company.

(b) Disclosures in respect of financial instruments have not been presented.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal, and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

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Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended 31 December 2017

3. Accounting policies (continued)

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the
 contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual
 requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case
 it may be regarded as restricted.

Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking
 activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those
 support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable
 activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Tangible assets

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost.

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Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended 31 December 2017

3. Accounting policies (continued)

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Equipment

25% reducing balance

Impairment of fixed assets

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date.

For the purposes of impairment testing, when it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

For impairment testing of goodwill, the goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the charity are assigned to those units.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the charity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Where investments in shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

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Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended 31 December 2017

3. Accounting policies (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the statement of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

4. Limited by guarantee

The Charity is a Company Limited by Guarantee, having no share capital.

5. Donations and legacies

		Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Funds 2017 £
	Donations Gifts and Donations	67,760	2,888	70,648
		Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Funds 2016 £
	Donations Gifts and Donations	69,444	3,110	72,554
6.	Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type			
	Direct Charitable Activities	Unrestricted Funds £ 67,893	Restricted Funds £ 3,155	Total Funds 2017 £ 71,048
	Direct Charitable Activities	Unrestricted Funds £ 75,324	Restricted Funds £ 3,263	Total Funds 2016 £ 78,587

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7. Expenditure on charitable activities by activity type

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	Direct Charitable Activities	Activities undertaken directly £ 57,204	Grant funding of activities £ 13,844	2017 £	Total fund 2016 £ 78,587
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8.	Other expenditure				
		Funds £	£	Funds £	2016 £
	Office Costs	2,681 3,925	2,681 3,925	2,879 3,794	
	Legal & professional costs				
		6,606	6,606	6,673	6,673
9.	Net expenditure				
	Net expenditure is stated after charging	g/(crediting):		2017 £	2016 £
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets			316	421
	Loss on disposal of tangible fixed asse	ts		2,681 	2,879
10.	Independent examination fees				
				2017 £	2016 £
	Fees payable to the independent exam Independent examination of the financi	niner for: ial statements		1,441	1,056
11.	Staff costs				
	The total staff costs and employee ben	efits for the rer	oorting period a	re analysed as	follows:
	The local state costs and employee sen		4,4,5	2017	2016
	Wages and salaries			£ 42,810	£ 43,597
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	The average head count of employees full-time equivalent employees during t	s during the ye he year is anal	ar was 3 (2016 ysed as follows	S:	
	Number of fellowship staff			2017 No. <u>3</u>	2016 No. <u>3</u>

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2016: Nil).

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12. Trustee remuneration and expenses

The wages and salaries shown on the Detailed Statement of Financial Activities include salary in the amount of £26,916 to Mr A Larkin, a trustee, who was also reimbursed expenses in the amount of £918.

13. Tangible fixed assets

Restricted funds

Restricted Funds

				Equipment £	Total £
	Cost At 1 January 2017 and 31 December	er 2017		15,868	15,868
	Depreciation At 1 January 2017 Charge for the year			14,605 316	14,605 316
	At 31 December 2017			14,921	14,921
	Carrying amount At 31 December 2017			947	947
	At 31 December 2016			1,263	1,263
14.	Debtors				
				2017 £	2016 £
	Other debtors			901	894
15.	Creditors: amounts falling due wit	hin one year			
				2017 £	2016 £
	Accruals and deferred income			500	544 ——
16.	Analysis of charitable funds				
	Unrestricted funds				A.4.
		At 1 January 20 17		Expenditure	At Decembe r 2017
	General funds	£ 11,103	£ 67,760	£ (7 <u>4,499)</u>	£ 4,364

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Income Expenditure

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16. Analysis of charitable funds (continued)

The restricted fund transactions during the year were as follows:

	Expenditur			
	At 1.1.17	Income	е	At 31.12.17
	£	£	£	£
Netball	197	_	-	197
Ali Greaves	_	2,076	(2,076)	_
Shefan Mbawe	_	158	(158)	_
GrowBaby	_	214	(214)	=
Hampers	_	393	(299)	94
Whitechapel	_	47	_	47
L8 Sing	1,074	_	-	1,074
3Peaks	2,781	-	(408)	2,373
Totals	4,052	2,888	(3,155)	3,785
Totalo				

17. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2017	Total Funds 2016
	£	£	£
Tangible fixed assets	947	947	1,263
Current assets	7,702	7,702	14,436
Creditors less than 1 year	(500)	(500)	(544)
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Net assets	<u>8,149</u>	8,149	15,155

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Management Information

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The following pages do not form part of the financial statements.

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Detailed Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 December 2017

	2017 £	201 6 £
Income and endowments	~	~
Donations and legacies Gifts and Donations	70,648	72,554
Total income	70,648	72,554
Expenditure		
Expenditure on charitable activities Wages and salaries	42,810	43,597
Depreciation	316	421
rates, water, light, heat & telephone	10,167	12,189
conference & travel expenses	3,685	5,063
charitable donations	13,844	14,257
ministry activities	226	3,060
	71,048	78,587
Other expenditure		
Office Costs	2,681	2,879
Legal & professional costs	3,925	3,794
	6,606	6,673
Total expenditure	77,654	85,260
Net expenditure	(7,006)	(12,706)

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Notes to the Detailed Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 December 2017

	2017 £	2016 £
Expenditure on charitable activities Direct Charitable Activities	.	L
Activities undertaken directly		
Direct charitable activity 1 - wages/salaries	42,810	43,597
Direct charitable activity 1 - depreciation	316	421
Direct charitable activity 1 - rates & water, light, heat & telephone	10,167	12,189
Direct charitable activity 1 - conference & travel expenses	3,685	5,063
Direct charitable activity 1 - ministry activities	226	3,060
	57,204	64,330
Grant funding activities	<u> </u>	
Grant charitable activity 1 - charitable donations	13,844	14,257
	-	
Expenditure on charitable activities	71,048	78,587