



All Saints' Church

— Child's Hill —

Church Walk, NW2 2TJ



**Annual Report and
Financial Statements
of the Parochial Church
Council
for the year ended
31 December 2025**

Photos

Front Cover Photo: Angel in Chancel, February 2025 by Peter Morton

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Back Cover Photo: Procession at Vicar's collation March 2025.

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Administrative Information

PCC Members

The undermentioned person served on the PCC during the year:

Ex Officio Members:

The Reverend Robin Sims-Williams ...Incumbent (SC)

Velma DunneChurchwarden (SC)

Jeff ParkerChurchwarden (SC)

Catherine Okrafo-Smart.....Deanery Synod Rep
& Licensed Lay Minister

Elaine Collins.....Deanery Synod Rep

Elected Members:

David Beanfrom May 2025 to 2028

Chelsea Considineterm: 2023 to 2026

Sian Daviesterm: 2024 to 2027

Elizabeth Dunne.....term: 2023 to 2026

Solomon Hans.....from May 2025 to 2028

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Ceeley Rubioterm: 2024 to 2027 (SC)

Christine Rubioterm: 2024 to 2027

Glynis RudgeUntil and from May 2025 to 2028 (SC)
(PCC secretary)

Anna Stanley.....term: 2023 to 2026

Stephen West.....until May 2025

Co-opted Members:

Kanye Joseph-RubioYouth Warden since May 2024

Kelly Ormerodsince June 2025

Georgia Eckstein.....Treasurer (SC) from May 2025
(SC) indicates member of Standing Committee

Other Offices held on behalf of the PCC

<i>Bankers:</i>	<i>HSBC plc</i>
<i>Architect/Surveyor:</i>	<i>Paul Travis, Paul Travis Conservation Ltd</i>
<i>Insurers:</i>	<i>Ecclesiastical Insurance Beaufort House, Brunswick Road, Gloucester GL1 1JZ</i>
<i>Independent Examiner:</i>	<i>James Liew</i>
<i>Incumbent/Data Controller:</i>	<i>The Reverend Robin Sims-Williams</i>
<i>Safeguarding Officer:</i>	<i>Catherine Okrafo-Smart</i>
<i>Children's Champion:</i>	<i>Chelsea Considine</i>
<i>DBS Checker:</i>	<i>Stephen West</i>
<i>Lay Vice Chair:</i>	<i>Chelsea Considine</i>
<i>Treasurer</i>	<i>Glynis Rudge acted as treasurer and kept accounts until the end of June. Georgia Eckstein was appointed Treasurer in May and took up the accounts in July 2025</i>
<i>Financial Software</i>	<i>Having used Excel, the accounts are managed on Xero from July 2025</i>
<i>Electoral Roll Officer:</i>	<i>David Bean</i>
<i>Church Membership Fund:</i>	<i>Anna Stanley</i>
<i>Environmental Champion:</i>	<i>Heidi Bradshaw</i>
<i>Assistant Churchwardens:</i>	<i>Jean Francis & Elaine Collins</i>
<i>Director of Music:</i>	<i>Vera Lai</i>
<i>Sidespeople:</i>	<i>Sian Davies, James Dunne, Jean Francis-Wilkinson, Susan Martin, Ndeko Ndesamburo, Catherine Okrafo-Smart, Jeff Parker, Christine Rubio, Tracey-Lee Sayers, and Anna Stanley.</i>
<i>PCC Foundation School Governors during 2025:</i>	<i>Elaine Collins and Vincent Rodriguez - there is currently one vacancy.</i>

Annual Report

The Parochial Church Council (PCC) has pleasure in presenting its report and the financial statements of the Church for the year ended 31st December 2025.

Introduction

*By the Grace of God the PCC is
a representative body from the electoral roll of the church
which works with the incumbent to hold and deliver the vision,
to fulfil the needs and responsibilities of the church and community
with God's guidance.*

Agreed by the PCC at a Learning Session on 20 September 2023.

In 2021 the PCC published a Mission Action Plan stating that:

*All Saints, at the centre of Child's Hill,
is where the love of God is encountered in Jesus Christ.*

This is worked out through four key areas: Worshipping God, Growing in Faith, Showing Compassion and Transforming Child's Hill. To achieve the goals laid out the PCC is working to develop our resources in three areas: People, Space and Partnerships. This builds on the vision stated in the Parish Profile produced in 2017:

All Saints', being part of the Church of England, is here to serve all parishioners regardless of their beliefs. It is a visible presence not just for the few but the many. We are here to promote the Trinitarian faith of one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We do this mindful of the historic traditions of the Church whilst attempting to interpret such a faith in terms of the contemporary world in which we live.

At All Saints', we believe that our Church should be friendly, welcoming and that its message should be one of openness and forgiveness.

We aim to:

- Share God's love and proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, through worship, pastoral care and outreach.*
- Build a welcoming, friendly and inclusive community for all.*
- Actively encourage young people into our Church.*

This vision shapes the Mission Action Plan which was published in 2021.

The following reports come together to highlight some of the activities which All Saints' was engaged with during 2025 .

PCC Operations Report

The purpose of the PCC is to support the vicar and church wardens in the important role of looking after the church. The PCC consists of 9 elected members who are all members of the church, together with 5 Ex-officio members and two co-opted member. The PCC met six times during 2024/2025 on varying evenings, or Sunday after service. The subjects of the meetings discussed various ways of raising money for the new roof and repair of the porch, and also to ratify decisions made by the sub-committees.

As well as ensuring the day to day smooth running of the church and ensuring the building is safe and welcoming, there are a number of PCC activities which shape the life of the church. The church is used on a daily basis for various activities including Knit and Natter, Stay and Play, as well as activities for children and young people and for those who prefer to be outdoors there is Gardening Group on Thursdays. We are developing our church to be a community asset for those who might otherwise be sitting at home alone. All are welcome. There is also a weekly Food Bank, a monthly soup lunch on a Wednesday and a monthly quiz night on a Friday.

Our thanks go to Fr. Robin for his untiring work for the church and the community and his guidance for all.

Glynis Rudge
PCC Secretary

Managing Risk and Safeguarding People

Managing operational risks is an important responsibility of the PCC. We are mindful of our health & safety responsibilities and take advice on a range of issues including fire and electrical safety. Proper care for children and vulnerable adults is a high priority of the PCC. As such, the Safeguarding Policy is reviewed regularly and Safeguarding is on every PCC agenda. The appointment of a Safeguarding Officer and Children's Champion are all part of the provisions of our safeguarding policy.

The PCC has an appropriate insurance policy with Ecclesiastical Insurance. This is reviewed periodically to ensure that the sums insured are adequate.

General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

A GDPR policy was implemented in 2018. The PCC takes its responsibility to care for personal data very seriously. Each year GDPR is reviewed as the PCC refreshes its understanding of the implementation of our GDPR policy. Data is safely stored in accordance with the purpose it was provided and destroyed when it is no longer required for that purpose. Any breach will be reported in accordance with the regulation, no breaches were recorded in 2025.

Incumbent's Report

The process of reading through and putting together the Annual Report amazes me each year as I take the time to look back at the year just passed. The year 2025 is no different and you will find in all the reports enclosed a fantastic number of examples of the way God's love is poured out in the activity of the community at All Saints'. This year I'm structuring the report under the headings of our Mission Action Plan. It's worth noting that some of the things we did in 2025 were a direct result of the Parish Survey we did in 2024

Worshipping God

The pattern of prayer and worship is well established at All Saints. We are fortunate to have a dedicated choir and servers who assist with the worship. As well as the morning Eucharists on Sundays there is a zoom based compline or Night Prayer on Sunday evenings and a mid-week Eucharist on a Wednesday at 11am. Additionally some special services through the year include the St Nick's festival workshop when we appoint a Child Bishop and the pet blessing. The Children's Good Friday workshop and service is part of the many services in Holy Week and the Crib service an important part of our services for children and families at Christmas.

During 2025 we also welcomed a couple of guest preachers, notably The Revd Rebecca Aechtner, Director of Ministry for the Two Cities area in London and The Venerable John Hawkins, Archdeacon of Hampstead who preached at the feast of Dedication. We also welcomed Bishop Anderson to confirm 13 individuals again in 2025.

Growing in Faith

The Parish Learning Hours on Sundays after the service have covered both topics that help us grow in faith and equip us to care for one another. Most

significant in this slot was the Lent course which Catherine and I led, this year reading Cries for a Lost Homeland by The Rt Revd. Guli Francis-Dehqani, Bishop of Chelmsford.

Confirmation preparation is a great opportunity to help individuals grow in their understanding of their faith. The adults group this year was particularly rewarding with the conversations that took place.

Showing Compassion

As a congregation I am often humbled to hear how people visit, check up on and care for one another - this kind of care is what being a part of a Christian Community is about. Additionally Catherine and I both do visits, bringing people Holy Communion in their homes, and simply seeing people, though we cannot do this nearly as frequently as we would always like to.

I have always been aware that as a community we have a lot of experience in the healing and caring sectors, from nursing, midwifery, medicine, dentistry and so on. It was therefore really good to have a Parish Learning hour reflecting on healing from a Christian perspective and then one specifically focused on dementia awareness. Both these are hoped to help equip us to be more compassionate. I know that many of the congregation show this compassion in their daily life and by volunteering with other organisations.

The food bank continues to be a significant part of our outreach and support for some of those in our community who are in particular need of help.

Transforming Child's Hill

This year's feast of dedication included a street party with BBQ. This opened the celebration up to the whole community and we welcomed local Jazz band, Jazz in the Attic to play, welcomed the Mayor and had a great time bringing the whole community together.

Our work with All Saints' school plays a huge part in building up our local community. A report on the school is below and demonstrates a hugely positive impact we have had for local families. Going in to do assemblies and interacting with the students is a highlight of my experience. In 2025 I was privileged to get the chance to combine my work with the school and my background as an engineer as I delivered a special Science Assembly where we tested different designs of wing by creating a make-shift wind tunnel rig in the hall.

We have, continued to hold activities which reach most age groups and needs to build a stronger community from weekly stay and plays and youth group to Knitting and Gardening groups, the monthly lunch club and quiz nights as well as regular Karaoke night. One other special event this year was the VE day celebration where folk dressed up in period outfits to remember the end of the war and peace after World War II.

One of the most obvious things that needed addressing in the Community Survey we did in 2024 was the lack of a pub and social space for people in the community to come together. We therefore held our first pop-up pub evening (The Sinners Rest) in October with a keg of beer brewed in the crypt of St Mary's Primrose Hill. The response from the local community was extremely positive and the atmosphere was lovely as people of all ages came in to socialise, make new friends and catch up with old ones.

Develop People

In addition to the Parish Learning sessions on healing and Dementia awareness we held sessions on Safeguarding. Each year we hold a couple of sessions with youth and children's volunteers to learn from each other. I was hoping that we would arrange some specific Youth work training but this has been more complicated to organise than I would hope.

Vera, our director of music, started in January 2025 and has been working with the choir to continue developing our music at All Saints'.

Develop Space

Most of the building and fabric work has been about maintenance of the building. However we did receive a donation of a new Notice Board, in memory of Peter Rudge, to go in the North West Corner of the building and be used to display information about and things created by our Youth and Children. This is part of making it clear in the space that, even when they aren't physically there, children and young people are a valued part of our community.

Develop Partnerships

As well as working with the school, local businesses and other groups we have good links with other Christians through Churches Together in Golders Green and District, of which I am secretary, and we were glad to welcome them in January of 2025 for the annual service of prayer for Christian unity. I've also been working with other faiths locally, speaking at the Alyth Synagogue Iftar alongside a local Rabbi and a local Imam.

My work with other faiths has also led to me being elected to the Barnet Multi-Fatih Forum Executive. The Multi-Faith Forum represents faiths in the borough and works to build social cohesion between faith groups.

Through 2025 I've been volunteering half a day a month at St Paul's Cathedral on a rota of Duty Chaplains. Listening to and praying with people who visit and taking the mid-day Eucharist. It was lovely to welcome All Saints' folk to some of these services.

The fantastic work our Gardeners do is complemented by the Child's Hill Community Gardeners, local residents who have taken responsibility for working on some of the verges further up Church Walk and along Child's Hill Walk.

We also work with local care homes, Magnolia Court and Candlewood House supporting them and receiving support from them in turn. We were hosting a monthly AgeUK coffee morning and weekly exercise classes but sadly finances on their end meant these activities couldn't continue.

One of the highlights of the year was being Collated as Vicar by Bishop Anderson and Archdeacon John on the 13 March 2025. It was an affirmation of the work I have already been doing and it was lovely that so many people contributed and thanked me for what I do.

There are so many people I would like to thank, I apologise I can't name them all here. I should say a particular thanks this year to Michelle for her many years coordinating and leading Sunday Club. She has had to step back because of work commitments and we are fortunate others have stepped up who could help, but more help is always valued in our children's work.

I would also like to thank Rosemary who has been a part of our choir for over 35 years and contributed an enormous amount over that time, including, in recent years, taking responsibility for selecting hymns.

Thanks also go to our Churchwardens, Jeff and Velma, for the care and compassion they take in caring for the people and fabric of the parish. Over the last year Glynis, Anna and Georgia have all made enormous efforts to help manage our finances through a period of transition. Catherine, as LLM and Deanery synod rep (and lay chair of deanery synod) has contributed enormously to ministry at All Saints with preaching, teaching and visiting alongside her many other commitments. I also want to record a note of thank you to the Archdeacon, John Hawkins, who takes the 8am service once a month - making it much easier to manage living outside of the parish. I'm also thankful for our neighbours who support our activities and work to maintain the verge along church walk.

There are inevitably people who I haven't thanked, and in reality I would like to thank everybody. I feel that we are all truly blessed by one another and am often moved to think how fortunate I am to serve alongside all of you.

The Reverend Robin Sims-Williams

Vicar, All Saints' Church, Child's Hill

Church Warden's Report

This has been a busy 2025 year with steadfast worship, growth within the congregation, and more new faces turning up for worship.

We would like to give Solomon Hans, who was church warden for 6 terms and had to step down, a massive thank you for the service you gave to Father Robin and all of the congregation and service to the church making a welcoming home.

We would like to begin thanking the congregation for their continued support, prayer, and dedication. A special thank you to our team of dedicated volunteers who keep our church clean, arranged with flowers, keeping the memorial garden and surrounding verges beautiful and tidy, the sides person, readers, servers, organist, choir, and the clergy.

The Building (Fabric):

The roof & masonry work is still on-going raising funds we have a full specification for the work, have 2 estimates waiting for 1 more and hope all goes well.

Interior condition of walls good will need painting in the future.

Heaters have been serviced and repaired, gas safety checked, Electrics been checked and passed.

Led lighting been installed working fine.

The Memorial Garden:

Well, kept looking good big thank you to the gardening team, some memorial stones sunk will need levelling some time.

The Crucifix within the garden needs major restoration we will raise funds for this when we complete the roof fund.

Safety and maintenance checks been done.

Church & Hall:

We have regular hire bookings: Chess, string Quartet/ Piano Concerts, choir concerts as well as Jack and Jill. And community activity adverts.

Social events to help strengthen bonds within our church family.

Church Hall:

The ceiling in the hallway has been repaired and just needs painting.

2 x LED lamp units replaced in lady's toilet.

Heater in hall thermostat not working when service is due soon will get them to look at it and replace it with new if required.

Defibrillator and box installed on church hall outer wall by door with signs.

Services:

The Chalice Ministry continues to run smoothly, we will need to find a few more to go on Eucharist rota.

We are blessed to have a strong group of readers and have acquired younger readers which is good for the church and them getting more involved in the service.

Youth Group:

Meets every Monday during term time years 5 through to 8 it has grown with at least 15 young people and more each time.

Building relationships, discuss faith, and feel connected offering a mix of social activities, mentorship and spiritual growth.

Sunday club:

Is growing and flourishing providing a nurturing environment for children to learn about faith, interactive activities like craft, games, and drama.

A safe place for learning community building, and faith foundation.

We are very grateful and many thanks to the Sunday school club leaders for their time and patience, Kelly, Renata, Lynne and Heidi.

Summary:

Our church continues to play a huge role in our lives bringing people together in worship, supportive to one another, in our loving community. Everyone makes this a special place.

God Bless.

Jeffrey Parker and Velma Dunne

Churchwardens

Electoral Roll Report

This time last year we started afresh with our electoral roll (there is a requirement to do this every six years) ahead of the 2025 annual meeting and report. At the time of the last annual report, the electoral roll stood at 56. In the last few months we have been reminding those not currently on the roll to apply to join in time for this year's annual meeting via announcements at services and in the e-newsletter. These new applicants may have missed last year's deadline, or may be new to the church and satisfy the criteria for joining the roll this year. The deadline for applications was Sunday 19 April 2026. Currently the roll stands at 63 individuals - I anticipate this number will continue to climb over the next five years.

David Bean

Electoral Roll Officer

Building, Maintenance and Hall Committee

The committee meets on average every 6-8 weeks and reports to the PCC. For the first 6 months of the year Solomon Hans was chair.

After serving 6 terms he stepped down as churchwarden so this role was taken on by Jeffrey Parker and Velma Dunne, who shared the role of chair but Solomon has continued to be involved in the committee's work.

Minor repairs and maintenance go on regularly to inner and outer of the building by a few volunteers to keep the upkeep satisfactory.

Remedial work was undertaken to repair the altar rail - glue and refix done by volunteer - thank you.

The main specific project is the roof south aisle, vestry, porch and masonry we had to get the Quinquennial Architect to draw up a complete specification for the work. We have received the drawing and spec, sent out to contractors for tender. We have had two estimates and waiting for one more.

The lighting conductor needed some remedial work at a cost of £300.00 + vat. Work completed tested all okay we signed a 5-year contract for £285.00 per annum.

Flag Pole needed new rope halyard and replace broken cleats safety inspection at cost £791 + vat. Job complete and tested new Diocese flag was kindly donated, organ had an inspection and service at £350 working

not bad but will need a big overhaul but too expensive at the moment while we are raising for roof.

We had the ceiling in church hall repaired by a handy man cost £135 just need to paint, will paint when Jack & Jill are on school term break. We all like to give a massive thank you to the knit & natter group for raising a massive £930.00 for the purpose of buying a defibrillator for use within the church and local community.

The committee arranged to have Maurice install the electrics to the defibrillator on the church hall wall for £165 plus VAT. Installation was completed on 26th June 2025. On the 29th June 2025 the congregation gathered outside of the church hall and Father Robin gave a prayer and blessed the defibrillator and storage case. This will have a massive impact on the whole community.

Carpet in church hall cleaned but showing a lot of wear, carpet in church sanctuary, isle and north aisle, cleaned but could not remove wax and oil marks this time will require different cleaning method at a greater cost. Maybe with a few volunteers will try hot iron and blotting paper to remove marks.

2 planters donated by the local council have been installed and planted out by the youth group and gardening group.

While the vicarage was unoccupied the garden was starting to get out of control, it fell under the PCC and church wardens' responsibility to keep it maintained, which they did not realise, but then the diocese housed a priest in the vicarage. So, the property fell under the diocese and tenant to keep garden grounds in good condition. After complaints from the neighbours, Father Robin spoke with the archdeacon and eventually the diocese agreed it was their responsibility and arrange for the work to be undertaken by a gardening company paid by the diocese.

Gratitude to Glynis for diligently recording the minutes of our meetings and keeping us on our toes.

Jeffrey Parker and Velma Dunne

Chairs of Building, Maintenance and Hall Committee

Social and Fund Raising Committee

Our usual great start to the new social year is the Epiphany party at The Claddagh Ring. This year our usual DJ had not returned from his

Christmas break and we had music downloaded which was different and soon had people up and dancing.

During the year we held our monthly quiz nights, these are held in the church as there is WiFi available for those who are attending on Zoom. Again a great evenings entertainment with some easy (if you know the answers) and some difficult questions, together with a picture round usually in keeping with a special event in that particular month. All money raised is for the church roof fund.

New on the social front is of course the pop up pub – The Sinners Rest. A great night was had by all with many people from the local community popping in for a pint (or two).

The church dedication festival held as a Street Party was great fun and we're obviously doing something right as the weather was absolutely glorious. Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to make this event a success, with barbecue, music, dancing and if I remember rightly a little bit of singing went on. A raffle was held which raised some money towards the church roof.

A very successful Governors and Teachers Netball match was organised by Chelsea and raised £220 towards the roof fund. Open mic evenings are growing in popularity and are now held 3 or 4 times a year. Catherine kindly hosted a lunch in church raising funds for for the roof fund. A garden party was held in September and this raised £1,000 for the roof.

Music at All Saints welcomed back the Cricklesingers who held concerts in July and in December. The pet service took place in October, a great hit with the animals and their “servants”. Not a fund raiser but a lovely afternoon.

The year finished with the Christmas Tree Festival, this year there were 30 trees sponsored. Another great success, the two charities getting 25% of the profit were Peninsular Education Programme and StreetVets. My thanks to everyone who sold Grand Raffle tickets before the event thereby advertising the event as well as raising money through the raffle. Thank you letters are always sent to those who sponsored trees and donated prizes. Thanks again to everyone who worked hard making all the events successful, so many unsung heroes behind the scenes as well as in the fore front.

Here's to another great year in 2026.

Glynis Rudge

Chair of Social and Fund Raising Committee

Communications Committee

The website continues to develop and to improve thanks to the work by Stephen West. Stephen has undertaken a number of design tasks, most significantly developing last year's wall calendar into a full calendar, copies of which were sold to cover costs. Developing this next year we hope to get more people involved by entering a photo competition.

Sunday Services continue to be streamed on Facebook and Zoom. It is hard to judge the numbers that attend online, but this continues to be an opportunity for people to get to know us before walking through the doors, as well as an important ministry for the housebound.

The Reverend Robin Sims-Williams

Vicar

Barnet Deanery Synod Report

I'm one of the Deanery reps for All Saints church and I'm just writing a few lines about my experience as Deanery rep. We meet up in the evening usually three times a year in a church in Barnet. It's a purposeful event that I enjoy attending as I have the opportunity to meet others from churches all over Barnet as well as exploring their churches at the meetings.

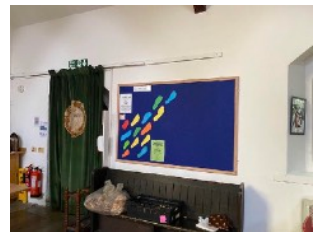
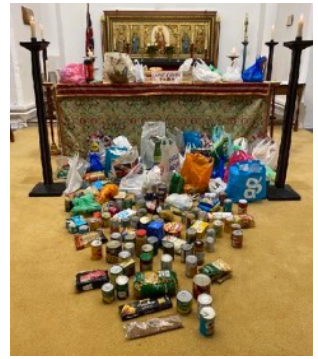
The evenings begin with us being welcomed by a scrumptious buffet from the hosting church. Buffet time is a great opportunity to socialise, talk about our church, our community and ourselves. We then sit and listen to a speaker. They have always given me food for thought and it's nice to share my thoughts with others when we get into small groups after.

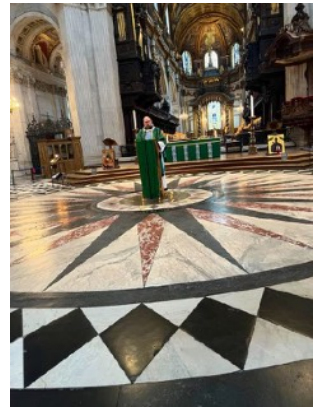
I can honestly say I have learned so much from attending, I've made new friends and I always share relevant information with them. Of course this year I shared the news that we now have a defibrillator at All Saints but so many of them knew that already (news travels fast) and congratulated us on all the fundraising done to purchase it.

It is with sadness that I have come to the end of my three years as Deanery rep. I'll miss attending but happy to still be in contact with the friends I have made and we already have social events booked for the coming year. I would like to thank Reverend Robin for giving me the opportunity to be Deanery rep and for the experience I gained and for the new friends I made.

Elaine Collins

Deanery Synod Representative





Since our last AGM in May 2025; Synod met on two occasions, on the 16th June and on the 24th of November 2025.

I was absent at the 16th of June meeting (attending an ecumenical convention in Canada). However, the topic at Synod on that occasion was a presentation by Age UK - Barnet, to address the growing aging population in Barnet.

The speakers covered some of the needs; current services; rental accommodation; activities; etc, for the elderly. The speakers had recommended a podcast called 'Mempathy'; dealing with dementia related memory loss.

At Synod on the 24th November; the usual format was followed. Held at a volunteer Church, on this occasion at St Pauls, Mill Hill, convened and facilitated the Synod.

Matters at every Synod agenda :

- List of those present from Barnet's Church representatives from House of Clergy and those of Laity.
- Apologies
- Matters arising from previous Synod
- Appointment of Deanery Synod secretary
- Treasurers Update
- Membership of Deanery School Governors
- Parish Appointments
- Safeguarding Issues
- Feedback on Diocesan Synod: The state of the C/E finance : A deficit of five million Pounds.
- The topic for the evening - 25 Nov: "Climate Justice and Eco Church".

We had three speakers who presented and spoke on a specific aspect of this topic : Global perspective; Diocesan perspective and Parish perspective. An important take home from this topic is how Churches are working specifically towards their silver and gold Eco awards. It was in 2006 that the Church of England launch a campaign to reduce the carbon footprint of its 16,000 churches, cathedrals and schools. As usual there were Q&A from the 'floor'.

- A.O.B

No date was set for the next meeting and so far no Barnet Deanery Synod meeting has taken place since, due to Sabbaticals by sub-Deans and other busy schedules.

Provisionally, there is a Deanery Synod being planned for 25th June 2026 and another one in October 2026.

The Diocese has increase the scales of representation to plus one; however because our Electoral roll went down in 2025 this means All Saints holds at two Deanery Synod representatives.

As Lay chair, I would face an election at the next Synod.

Please ask for clarification about Deanery Synod; this is a body representing the Churches within Barnet.

Catherine Okrafo-Smart

Deanery Synod Representatives

Raise the Roof

Since the last meeting the Quinquennial Inspector has drawn up a specification, we have received approval from the Diocese to do the work specified and we are in the process of getting quotations. The cost, last year estimated at £70,000, has gone up, but while the Lord takes away the Lord also giveth, and this means we will now be eligible for a couple of larger grants. There were a great number of events over the course of the year, including a governor/staff netball game organised by Chelsea, the garden party kindly hosted and organised by Glynis and a lunch Catherine held in church one Sunday. With commitments as well as funds received we have raised around £45,000 for the roof. So we should be able to progress in 2026.

The Reverend Robin Sims-Williams

Vicar, All Saints' Church, Child's Hill

All Saints' CofE School

All Saints' Church of England Primary school is a one form entry with 174 pupils' on roll in November 2025, a modest increase on 2024.

At the beginning of 2025 Ms Holly Skinner (previously Head of School) was appointed Headteacher. Having been acting Headteacher for nearly a year at this point she hit the ground running and it has been a joy to see the school continue to develop under her leadership.

The school ethos is rooted in Paul's letter to the Ephesians, chapter 3 vs.18:

'I pray that you may feel and understand, with all the Saints, how long, how wide, how deep and how high God's love for you is.'

And the vision is:

'God's unconditional love for all drives us to create a compassionate, inspiring and nurturing environment in which every person can flourish and learn.'

Which is summed up in the words, *Learning by Loving Unconditionally*.

There are six key values: Trust, Wisdom, Perseverance, Compassion, Hope, and Respect. Each year group (years 1 to 6) is named for one of these values, while reception class is named Love as Unconditional Love of God is at the core of everything the school does.

Leslie Peach continues as SENDCo (Special Educational Needs Coordinator) and in 2025 became Deputy Headteacher. Ms Sonley is lead on Religious Education and Collective Worship.

Chelsea Considine is Deanery Governor and acts as link governor for SEND and Safeguarding as well as being Co-Chair of Governors with Fr Robin. Vince Rodriguez is one of the PCC governors and chairs the Finance Committee while Elaine Collins, the other PCC governor, chairs the Teaching and Learning Committee.

In September 2025 the staff created pieces of art reflecting the core concepts of the RE curriculum. These amazing artworks hang in the school hall, but prints of them are in each classroom to assist with teaching.

In December of 2024 the Statutory Inspection of Anglican and Methodist Schools (SIAMS) visited the school and after spending two days at the school they gave a glowing report writing: 'All Saints' is a school that is unashamedly embracing and nurturing its Christian foundation. The Christian vision of learning by loving unconditionally is the driving force. It ensures opportunities are provided for every person to meet their full potential'

In January of 2025 OfSTED visited and delivered an outcome of Good in all areas, they noted: 'They appreciate being part of a small, close-knit community that celebrates difference. Pupils demonstrate a strong understanding of the importance of respecting people from all walks of life.' and 'Pupils take on leadership roles that give them a voice in the way the school is run. They are school council members, faith leaders and buddies to younger pupils. Pupils are active citizens in the community.'

Fr Robin is involved with RE and weekly collective worship within the school and on the first Thursday of the month the whole school comes to

the church for school mass. All year groups participate in leading collective worship with Fr Robin during the year. Every year group visits the church at least once a year for some aspect of RE or other parts of their studies.

School governors sponsored a tree for the Christmas tree festival which the school decorated. The school also collected food at Harvest for the Child's Hill Food Bank based at All Saints. Thanks to Chelsea's initiative the staff and governors held a fundraising netball game and the school had a fundraising non-uniform day to raise funds for the Raise the Roof Appeal. The school community has also been involved in supporting work to green the neighbourhood, with a new set of planting on Cricklewood Lane, in front of the school, going in and being formally 'opened' in January 2026.

All school leavers (including staff) are given a small South American painted cross, like the ones which can be found in and at the entrance to every classroom, sponsored by the PCC. The school advertises all relevant Church activities in the weekly school newsletter and emails.

Fr Robin

Foundation Governor Ex-officio

All Saints' Choir and Music at All Saints

I have so much enjoyed my first year, 2025, as Music Director of the choir. I have been made to feel welcome by the choir. We've had an exciting first year together and I feel that the choir has a renewed energy for the following years.

We benefited from the marvellous support of Rosemary who kindly continued organising hymn selection. Our May Music VE Party was enjoyable and it was lovely to have chance to sing and listen to 1970's songs together. We also appreciated Glynis's and Margaret's performance as professional singers with my piano accompaniment. Besides, we would like to thank the young people who performed Christmas Nativity play along with the choir's variety music in the Advent Sunday service. We also welcomed Cricklesingers, a local choir that performed a candlelight concert in December. Furthermore, we had huge support from Anthony, one of the singers at the Christmas Eve service and he also was the organist during my three weeks holiday.



Our choir membership number are a key issue, as they are low. We are continuously recruiting new members to join our team. At the end of 2025, we had a choir meeting and planned to invite young people to participate in our choir once a month. We also scheduled to have psalm chanted in some Sunday services.

Lastly, it's so wonderful to see that everyone does something to support and help our choir, and to see how passionate everyone is.

Finally, a huge thank you to Rev Robin. He is an ideal planner, and is always fully prepared far ahead of time, which of course is a good thing for us! It has been a pleasure to work with everyone this year, here's to a great 2026-2027!

Vera Lai

Director of Music

Child's Hill Food Bank

Childs Hill Food Bank is now in its sixth year welcoming community members on a Saturday from 10 to 12 noon. We welcome an average of 60 to 70 members weekly, many of whom have quite large families.

Our main supplier is the Felix Project who deliver the food to us through volunteers. Food Bank Aid in Finchley also deliver each week fresh and non-perishable food including vegetables and fruit. We also have a bakery (Daniel's in Fortune Green) deliver large amounts of bread. To all we are extremely grateful. Donations of food and money are also given from a variety of sources including members of the community, other churches and synagogues , schools and individuals either in business or other charities.

Our volunteers are dedicated, efficient and friendly and follow the guidelines regarding safeguarding and health and safety and some have first aid qualifications. Should any of our clients have problems of any kind we give them the means of putting them in touch with the right people whereby they can get help and information.

Our aim is always to serve and help our NW2 and NW11 communities in these difficult times.

Pauline Drayson

Child's Hill Food Bank Trustee

Gardening Club

Looking out from the church doors there is a riot of colour from everything planted over the year now blooming. We're still fighting the borage (or is it comfrey) and have decided everything has a place so we're keeping it to the area under the trees near the compost bin. The bees love it and there is a hive of activity around the plants when there is not much else which is flowering. I hate to say it dandelions are also a favourite with bees and although a few are welcome a lot are dug out, that's the dandelions not the bees!! Our hibiscus tree is fighting for survival but is still there in memory of our late Queen.

We often get thanks and admiration on our hard work and although there is still an amount of rubbish left it is decreasing and people are learning to respect their environment. We operate a "no weed killer" of any sort policy and this includes the clearing of weeds from the red bricks. Hard back breaking work is all that is used in this area.

Our planters promised to us from the Local Authority finally arrived just before Christmas 2024 and plans for what to plant put in place. One of the planters was planted with herbs by the Youth Group and is doing well. The other planter was planted by the gardening club and contains a peony tree which is doing well, lilies, and some bulbs. The trailing plants didn't do as well so we are re-thinking how to cover the outside of the planters.

Hundreds of bulbs have been planted both on the verge opposite the church and the corner plot opposite the south wing entrance and vestry door. The mahonia bush is suffering, we fear this one has been badly trimmed in the past and hasn't got the strength or the will to recover.

The memorial garden is also looking great. The two memorial cherry trees planted are looking good, one is a slow starter but catches up in the end.

The weather isn't always kind to us and these are the times when we pop into church for a nice cup of coffee and a natter – oooops sorry a planning meeting.

If anyone has any time to spare, it doesn't have to be a Thursday morning, to do some weeding, digging or even starting some plants at home or getting and rooting cuttings we would be very grateful.

Glynis Rudge

On behalf of the gardening club

Church and Hall Hire

Hire is an important form of income, balanced with the use of the space for worship, community events and activities. In 2025 AgeUK hired the church for seated yoga classes and a monthly coffee morning.

The hall continues to be hired to Jack and Jill who provide important care to local families. They do a great deal to care for the hall. Additionally Middlesex chess association hold tournaments in the hall and other special chess events in the hall.

The church continues to be hired for recitals with three local music teachers hiring the church two or more times each over the course of the year.

Fr Robin Sims-Williams
Vicar

Knit and Natter

Another year of knit and knattering and how time has flown and looking back over the last year we can't believe how much we have achieved on a Tuesday afternoon in All Saints church, over a cuppa and cake. It makes us proud of all the knitting we have done to support our local community and registered charities around the world. We have knitted, walked and even swam in the name of fundraising. We have twenty-eight members on roll and we can have as many as twenty popping into our weekly sessions. We are a mixture of different ages, some of us with plenty of experience and some of us joining as beginners, but it doesn't take our beginners long to be knitting scarves with the support of our experienced knitters guiding them all the way alongside making lovely friendships.

Our main aim is fundraising. In the year 2025 we purchased a defibrillator for our local community it stands proudly on the wall outside All Saints church hall. Our knitting needles didn't stop until we had made nearly a thousand pounds to afford to buy one. Many thanks to Reverend Robin for sourcing the defib and arranging the installation. Also, to the Archdeacon, John Hawkins, for taking the time to bless it. We hope you agree it's a great thing to have on our doorstep.

The end of 2025 saw our Poppy cascade for the 5th year on display in church for Remembrance Sunday with a few extra poppies added. We also made poppy brooches to sell and £36 was sent to The British Legion. Our knit and Knatter stall at the Christmas tree festival was a knitted flower

stall this year and we made £323.60 which exceeded all other years. If we say so ourselves, it was a huge success and our stall looked amazing. We had some knitted flowers left over to decorate the windowsills in our church throughout the seasons.

Our future fundraising for the year 2026 is knitting brooches for charities depicting their emblems. We have already researched the patterns for Alzheimer's, Marie Curie, British Heart Foundation, Breast Cancer and Hidden Disabilities. Also, we are looking into the Patron Saints too. We are also supporting our local neo-natal units by knitting hats for prem babies and baby bonding squares.

It's not just about knitting; we love the social aspect too and the friendships we have made by knattering to each other as we knit or tuck into cakes and biscuits over a cuppa. If you like the sound of our group please come along and join us in All Saints church on a Tuesday 12-2pm we have upcoming social events planned and we would love you to join us.

The Knit and Knatter Team of twenty-eight members at All Saints NW2

All Saints' Servers Guild

There is a wide range of teens, some pre-teens, and adult servers who help with the services each Sunday, but more are always welcome. Some have completed the volunteering portion of their Duke of Edinburgh award by serving weekly. There was a training session in May which was followed by a pizza lunch.

Fr Robin Sims-Williams

Vicar

Child's Hill Stay-and-Play

Stay-and-play saw some growth in 2025 with often over 20 children and their carers attending the Monday sessions. The singing in particular is very well received. The group has a really friendly atmosphere and continues to connect with lots of our local families as well as child minders and nannies.

Fr Robin Sims-Williams

Vicar

Sunday Club

Our Sunday School meets weekly and welcomes up to 20 children of different ages. All volunteers are fully DBS checked, providing a safe and supportive environment.

Children enjoy fun activities based on Bible teachings, learning important values and morals. Once a month, we have started to hold choir practice for friendship and music.

We always welcome new volunteers to join our wonderful team.

*Kelly Ormerod,
Sunday Club Leader*

Wednesday Lunch Club

The Monthly lunch club continued on the 2nd Wednesday of the month throughout the year and weekly during Lent. We had some recitals and talks, including some fantastic flower arranging workshops thanks to Heidi and Velma. Soup was prepared and donated by a great collection of people (far more than I could name) but thanks to all who have contributed and attended.

*Fr Robin Sims-Williams
Vicar*

Youth Group

Our Monday evening Youth Club now welcomes over 20 children, aged from Year 5 to Year 7, and it's wonderful to see how engaged they are with new activities. They are learning to build and strengthen friendships, understand what it means to be a good friend, share, follow instructions, grow in independence, and develop strong character and values. With our extended time from 3:30 to 5:30, each child is gaining more confidence, positivity, and enjoyment each week.

We also had our first trip to the Table Tennis Centre, which was fantastic-everyone really enjoyed this new activity!

*Kelly Ormerod
Youth Group Leader*

EcoChurch

The church community continues to pray regularly for God's earth, whilst aiming towards becoming a carbon neutral church by 2030.

Heidi Bradshaw is Environmental Champion, with the role of keeping this part of our mission on the agenda on the Buildings, Maintenance and Hall committee.

We hold the Eco Church Bronze Award (ARocha UK Project), and hope to begin the process of applying for a Silver Award in the near future.

Once again, in January we participated in the RSPB Big Garden Bird watch, encouraging the community and the congregation to count birds in their own gardens or ours and we did a special Sunday Club in the memorial garden that weekend engaging and being attentive to the natural world around us. Year 2 also did a survey of plants and wildlife in the Memorial Garden as part of their lessons, which we were glad to display on our EcoChurch board. We also encouraged people to participate in the UK Pollinator monitoring scheme using the 'FIT count' app to record how many bees and other pollinators they observed.

The gardening group meet weekly, working very hard to enhance the beauty of the church's surrounding area. To support our local bee & butterfly populations we observed No Mow May, allowing the wildflowers to grow in the memorial garden.

We were also pleased to receive two planters from the Council which prevent cars from driving into the tiles but also enable us to have some planting between the church and the road.

We replaced the last of our energy inefficient halogen light fittings with LED units around the altar. Whilst work still needs to be done to renew the heating systems with possible solar panels for a much lower or carbon neutral system.

In worship the importance of the environment has arisen in various sermons including at harvest and a special Eco-Sunday in October.

Heidi Bradshaw

Environmental Champion

Pilgrimage to Westminster Abbey

In mid October a group of 9 of us, along with one from St James' Prebend Street, attended the National Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St Edward the Confessor. We attended a service where Canon Jamie Hawkey preached on

the Way of the Pilgrim, a devotional book from the Orthodox tradition about a Russian peasant pilgrim who spends his life seeking to understand what it is to pray without ceasing. At the end of the Service we were invited to move into the shrine and pray with the shrine after the service we found a local pub, The Two Chairmen, 101 Church. Less adventuresome than previous year's pilgrimages, the day was thoroughly pleasant, and will be repeated alongside other outings.

Fr Robin Sims-Williams
Vicar

Education

The Education programme is an important part of what helps us to grow as disciples of Christ. It tends to be delivered either in sessions mid-week like Bible Studies or Confirmation classes, or after the service on a Sunday as a Parish Learning Hour, roughly once a month.

Each year we have a Lent course each week after the service. In 2025 we read *Cries for a Lost Homeland* by the Bishop of Chelmsford, Guli Francis-Dehqani, who was a refugee from Iran as a child and here reflected on that experience as well as on the way Iranian culture engages with the scripture.

In our Parish Learning Hour we also devoted a couple of Sundays to Safeguarding Training. We also did a session in June about healing and then a session in July about Dementia Awareness and becoming a Dementia Friend.

Fr Robin Sims-Williams
Vicar



All Saints Church, Child's Hill							
Financial Statement for the Year ended 31st December 2025							
Statement of Financial Activities							
		UNRESTRICTED	DESIGNATED	RESTRICTED	TOTAL FUNDS		
	Note	General Fund	Building & Fabric Fund	Raise the Roof Fund	2025	2024	
INCOME							
Voluntary income	2a	28,975	-	1,927	30,902	41,472	
Activities for generating funds	2b	64,728	-	5,900	70,628	57,266	
Income from investments	2c	1,447	-	-	1,447	-	
Income from church activities	2d	2,421	-	1	2,422	2,565	
TOTAL INCOME		97,571	-	7,828	105,399	101,303	
EXPENDITURE							
Church activities	3a	87,351	-	3,840	91,191	99,660	
Raising Funds	3b	5,258	-	-	5,258	2,667	
Charitable payments	3c	2,671	-	-	2,671	1,160	
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		95,280	-	3,840	99,120	103,487	
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		2,291	-	3,988	6,279	(2,184)	
TRANSFERS BETWEEN FUNDS		-	-	-	-	-	
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS		2,291	-	3,988	6,279	(2,184)	
TOTAL FUNDS BROUGHT FORWARD		(8,721)	10,914	26,747	28,940	31,124	
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		(6,430)	10,914	30,735	35,219	28,940	

All Saints Church, Child's Hill				
Financial Statement for the Year ended 31st December 2025				
Balance Sheet at 31st December 2025				
		Note	2025	2024
FIXED ASSETS				
			0	0
CURRENT ASSETS				
Debtors and Prepayments	4a		756	-
Short term deposits			34,831	14,384
Cash at bank and in hand			22,309	14,556
			57,896	28,940
LIABILITIES				
Creditors - amounts falling due within one year	5a		22,677	-
NET CURRENT ASSETS			35,219	28,940
Creditors - amounts falling due within one year			-	
TOTAL NET ASSETS			35,219	28,940
PARISH FUNDS				
General Fund			(6,430)	(8,721)
Building and Fabric Fund			10,914	10,914
Restricted Fund - Raise the Roof			30,735	26,747
			35,219	28,940

All Saints Church, Child's Hill
 Financial Statement for the Year ended 31st December 2025
 Notes to the Financial Statements

1) Accounting Policies

Basis of Financial Statements	The financial statements have been prepared under the Church Accounting Regulations 2006 in accordance with applicable accounting standards and the current Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities and applicable accounting standard FRS 102.
	The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The financial statements include all transactions, assets and liabilities for which the PCC is responsible in law. They do not include the accounts of church groups that owe their main affiliation to another body, nor those that are informal gatherings of church members.
	This is the first year that the accounts have been prepared using the accruals accounting method and its impact is generally to increase the costs for the current year but has the benefit of matching costs with the events of the year. The comparatives have been specifically restated for the impact on the cost of the London Diocesan fund.
Recognition of incoming Resources	These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when: a) The PCC becomes legally entitled to the benefit of use of the resources; b) and inflow of economic benefit is probable, c) the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.
Fundraising Costs	Funds raised from events and trading activities (e.g. a fete, a garden party, or sales of books and magazines) are reported gross in the SOFA - i.e. before any related costs that may have been deducted from the gross proceeds.
Grants and donations	Grants and donations are included in the SOFA when any preconditions preventing their use by the PCC have been met. For collections and planned giving this is when the funds are received.
Gift Aid Tax claims etc. on cash donations	Gift aid and other tax claims are included in the SOFA on the date of receipt.
Rental income	Rental income from the letting of the Church and Curate's house is recognised when the rental is due.
Expenditure and Liability recognition	
Liability recognition	Liabilities are recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation and settlement is probable and quantifiable.
Assets	
Consecrated and benefice property	In so far as consecrated and benefice property of any kind is excluded from the statutory definition of 'charity' by Section 10(2)(a) and (c) of the Charities Act 2011 such assets are not capitalised in the financial statements.
Tangible fixed assets for use by charity	These would be capitalised if they can be used for more than one year, and cost at least £1,000. They would be valued at cost or else, for gifts-in-kind, at a reasonable estimate of their open market value on receipt.
Short term deposits	These are the cash held on deposit either with the CCLA or at the bank.
Funds	The General funds represent the funds of the PCC that are not subject to any restrictions regarding their use and are available for application on the general purposes of the PCC. Funds designated for a particular purpose (e.g. Building and Fabric Fund) are also unrestricted. Restricted funds are income funds that must be spent on restricted purposes and details of the funds held and restrictions provided are shown in the notes to the accounts.

All Saints Church, Child's Hill						
Financial Statement for the Year ended 31st December 2025						
Notes to the Financial Statements - continued						
		UNRESTRICTED	DESIGNATED	RESTRICTED	TOTAL FUNDS	
		General Fund	Building & Fabric Fund	Raise the Roof Fund	2025	2024
2 INCOME						
2a Voluntary income						
	Planned giving (inc Gift Aided)	5,498		70	5,568	4,604
	Collections and other giving	4,667			4,667	23,209
	Income tax recovered	8,413			8,413	4,643
	Candles	531			531	
	Gift Day					205
	Donations, appeals, etc	7,866		1,857	9,723	8,811
	Legacies	2,000			2,000	
		28,975	-	1,927	30,902	41,472
2b Activities for generating funds						
	Church hiring	7,890			7,890	725
	Rent for Church Hall	15,810			15,810	15,525
	Rent for Curates House	32,448			32,448	28,164
	Fundraising	1,046		4,294	5,340	10,642
	Catering income	497		1,606	2,103	57
	Grand raffle in Fund raising				-	165
	Christmas tree festival	7,037			7,037	738
	Pilgrimage / Epiphany party	-			-	1,250
		64,728	-	5,900	70,628	57,266
2c Income from investments						
	The CBF Church of England Deposit Fund interest	1,447			1,447	
		1,447	-	-	1,447	-
2d Income from Church activities						
	Stay & Play / Film Club etc.	827			827	550
	Funerals	721			721	1,928
	Other inc Baptism	360			360	87
	Sale of books	513		1	514	-
		2,421	-	1	2,422	2,565

All Saints Church, Child's Hill
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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued

3 EXPENDITURE		UNRESTRICTED	DESIGNATED	RESTRICTED	TOTAL FUNDS	
		General Fund	Building & Fabric Fund	Raise the Roof Fund	2025	2024
3a	Church activities					
	London Diocesan fund	47,000			47,000	44,000
	Church running expenses (see below)	19,157			19,157	9,728
	Clergy expenses	(297)			(297)	7,056
	Cost of services	2,934			2,934	4,229
	Maintaining Curate's house	3,206			3,206	20,293
	Children's/Youth activities	538			538	
	Staff training	20				
	Organist	8,750			8,750	3,580
	Mission & Evangelism cost	312				
	Funerals	-			-	230
	Books	161			161	
	Building & Maintenance	5,336		3,840	9,176	9,931
	Sundry expenses				-	343
	Bank charges	234			234	270
		87,351	-	3,840	90,859	99,660
	<i>Church running expenses</i>					
	Cleaning	9,522				
	Cleaning Materials	525				
	Postage, Freight & Courier	35				
	Insurance	3,984				
	Light, Power, Heating	7,806				
	Printing & Stationery	2,474				
	IT Software and Consumables	432				
	Telephone & Internet	379				
		19,157	-	-		
3b	Raising funds					
	Christmas tree and grand raffle expenses	2,406			2,406	24
	Pilgrimage / Epiphany party	918			918	873
	Catering	1,934			1,934	1,770
		5,258	-	-	5,258	2,667
3c	Charitable payments					
	Peninsular Education Programme - 25% of the Christmas Tree Festi	1,325			1,325	-
	StreetVet - 25% of the Christmas Tree Festival 2025	1,325			1,325	-
	Balance on Christmas Tree -2024	22			22	1,160
		2,671	-	-	2,671	1,160
4 Current Assets						
			2025	2024		
4a	Debtors and prepayments					
	Prepayments and accrued income		350	-		
	Other debtors		406	-		
			756	-		
5 Current Liabilities						
5a	Amounts falling due within one year					
	Accruals and receipts in advance		1,068	-		
	Donations held on behalf of others		2,773	-		
	Other creditors		18,836	-		
			22,677	-		
6 Summary of Assets by fund						
			UNRESTRICTED	DESIGNATED	RESTRICTED	TOTAL
			General Fund	Building & Fabric Fund	Raise the Roof Fund	2025
	Debtors and Prepayments		756			756
	Short term deposits		2,552	10,914	21,365	34,831
	Cash at bank and in hand		12,639		9,670	22,309
	Liabilities less than one year		(22,377)	-	(300)	(22,677)
			(6,430)	10,914	30,735	35,219

Independent Examiner's Report

The accounts are currently with the Independent Examiner.



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