ST GEORGE & ST PAUL, TIVERTON ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021

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The Report and Accounts of the Parochial Church Council of The Parish of Tiverton St George & St Paul for the year ended 31st December 2021.

Administrative Information

The Parish of Tiverton Saint George and Saint Paul comprises St George's Church which is situated in Fore Street, Tiverton and St Paul's Church which is situated in Church Street, Tiverton.

The correspondence address is: The Parish Office, Church Street, Tiverton EX16 5HU

The Parochial Church Council (PCC) is a body corporate (PCC Powers Measure 1956, Church Representation Rules 2006)

Charity registration number: 1175137

Aims and purposes:

The PCC has the responsibility of co-operating with the incumbent, the Reverend Andrew Humm, in promoting in the ecclesiastical parish of Tiverton St George and St Paul, the whole mission of the Church, pastoral, evangelistic, social and ecumenical. The PCC is responsible for the financial management of the parish buildings; the care and maintenance of the fabric of both churches and the care and maintenance of the churchyard at St Paul's. St George's graveyard is closed and is the responsibility of the local authority, Mid Devon District Council.

Objectives and activities:

The PCC is committed to providing facilities for worship, prayer, fellowship and pastoral support for those in the parish and in the wider community of Tiverton.

In planning our activities, the PCC has regard to the Charity Commission guidance on public benefit and specifically the guidance for charities whose objective is the advancement of religion. We aim to enable and encourage people in our community and beyond to come to faith and to grow in faith through worship, discipleship and prayer, developing knowledge and trust in Jesus, provision of pastoral care within the parish together with mission and outreach work in the wider community.

Achievements and performance:

The activities of the Parish during 2021 are fully reviewed in the Annual Reports prepared for the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM). For practical reasons there have been no regular services within the St George's Church venue since October 2014, although the building has been used for the occasional wedding or funeral. The church is still licensed as a place of worship. The Extension has been used for some one-off meetings, including Defibrillator Training, following the installation of a defibrillator at St Paul's. In the latter part of 2021, it was possible to re- open The Living Room. Charge used the extension to meet and The Brownies and Cub Scouts resumed their meetings. The Big Kitchen has met on several occasions since September; welcoming guests referred from CHAT to cook and eat together. The Church building continues to be used by CHAT and Re-rooted as a place to both store food and as a distribution hub; this work has been particularly important during the pandemic as needs have risen.

PCC meetings have been held regularly (generally bi-monthly) when all administrative matters were dealt with and future plans discussed. Some of these were held over Zoom due to Covid-19 pandemic. The Revd Andrew Humm continued as the vicar of the parish and Revd Justin Montague as curate. In September 2021, Debbie Martin was appointed as Children and Family's Minister.

During 2021 following the government pandemic guidelines, we continued limited Sunday service in St Paul's Church building with restricted numbers in attendance and social distancing clearly observed. These services were also streamed online and made available for an unlimited period of time afterwards. In August we were able to resume an open-door policy, still following guidance, and by September were back to the normal two services at 9.00am and 10.45am. The creche was re- opened in church and children's and youth groups resumed.

Financial review:

We are pleased to report that, despite continuing disruption from the Covid-19 pandemic, the year covered by this report has been an encouraging one financially, with our Common Fund contribution paid in full. The PCC are grateful for all those who have continued to give sacrificially, both financially and in the use of their time and talents, enabling God's work in the fellowship and community to continue, albeit at times in different way.

Prior to the pandemic the majority of church members had already signed up to the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) which has given us a regular stream of income. Income from church building lettings began to recover and we have received pandemic related grants from Mid Devon District Council.

As a church we do not generally hold specific fund-raising events but are confident that our regular giving through PGS, along with other donations from the congregation, will enable us to meet our ongoing costs. To that end the PCC have approved an aspirational budget for the current year, which includes flexibility to allow for the continuing uncertainty, whilst being reassured about the financial stability of the parish.

Going Concern: The pandemic has impacted the income for 2021. However, the PCC has reviewed budgets and forecasts for income and expenditure for 2022 along with available reserves and is reassured about the financial stability of the parish.

In this review comparative figures for 2020 are shown in brackets.

Income

Total receipts on the unrestricted General Fund were £220,454 (£197,905) and expenditure was £199,412 (£180,790), producing a surplus of £21,042 (£17,115), before fund transfers of £1,500.

One-off grants of £34,862 (£20,000) were received from Mid Devon District Council in respect of COVID-19 support. If these extraordinary grant items are excluded, overall income increased by 3.9%, of which regular/planned giving increased by 1.7%.

The General Fund balance brought forward from 2020 was £47,335 and with the addition of the 2021 surplus the total fund balance is £66,877.

Restricted fund income includes:

- Brewin Trust grants of £22,052 (£19,708) towards parish administration and youth work.
- A donation of £10,000 towards IT equipment and upgrades to aid live streaming of church services and other activities.

Expenditure

General Fund expenditure was £199,412 (£180,790), an increase of 10.3%.

The Common Fund assessment for the parish was £108,536 (£108,055), which has been paid in full and the support given to our mission partners increased to 10% (7.5%) of voluntary income producing £16,555 (£11,875) in donations.

A Children & Families Minister was appointed in September 2021 plus temporary additional administration support hours, all at a cost of £6,725.

We were able to restart a number of community outreach projects as well as youth and children's work at a cost of £4,584.

Additional costs include building maintenance and repairs of £5,415. Expenditure on equipment includes additional software and other equipment at a cost of £8,465, funded by donations, to facilitate live streaming of services, postage to members of the congregation with no internet access etc. Equipment expenditure also includes the purchase of a commercial dishwasher and a defibrillator pack.

Grants totalling £2,708 were made from the COVID-19 hardship fund.

A transfer of £1,500 was made to the minibus replacement fund.

Reserves policy - General Fund:

The PCC policy is to achieve a General Fund balance representing about three months operating costs to cover unforeseen eventualities that may arise from time to time. This represents a target balance of £23,540. The potential need for other reserved funds such as fabric, equipment and improvement are kept under review and will be formalised as appropriate.

Structure, governance and management

The method of appointment of PCC members is set out in the Church Representation Rules. The membership of the PCC consists of the vicar, curate, churchwardens and members elected by those persons of the fellowship who are on the electoral roll of the Parish. All those who attend Church are encouraged to register on the Electoral Roll and stand for election to the PCC. The PCC members are responsible for making decisions on all matters of general concern and importance to the Parish including deciding how the funds of the PCC are spent.

The full PCC met seven times during the year. Due to the pandemic there were unfortunately no PCC Members social events.

The Standing Committee met between full meetings of the PCC and has the power to transact some urgent business of the PCC between meetings where necessary. Its members are currently the Vicar, Churchwardens, Secretary and 3 PCC members. Other planning groups

report to the PCC during the year and their annual reports are contained in the Annual Review prepared for the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) on 7th April 2022.

The members of the PCC during the year were:

Ex-Officio Member:

Revd Andrew Humm (Chairman)
Revd Justin Montague (Assistant Curate)

Janet Norris (stood down 22/04/21)
Peter Day (stood down 22/04/2021)
Caroline Bright (Churchwarden – w.e.f. 22/04/21)
Sheila Hannallah (Churchwarden)

Elected Members:

Nick Baker (stood down 22/04/21)
Ruth Shaw
Stuart Chamberlain
Julie Hingston
Amelia Carling (stood down 22/04/21)
Wendy Boundy (stood down 22/04/21)
Elizabeth Harrison
Janice Donnachie
Terry Norris
Jonny Hardy
Jill Partridge
Hazel Turner
Joshua Lines
Bob Syers (Deanery Synod Rep)

Co-opted Member

Debbie Westlake (w.e.f. 24/05/21)

Annroyed by

Date: 6th APRIL 2022

Independent Examiner's Report to the trustees of St George & St Paul Tiverton

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of St George & St Paul for the year ended 31st December 2021, which are set out on pages 6 to 12.

Respective responsibilities of the Trustees and Examiner

As the charity's trustees, 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 accounts of St George & St Paul 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.

Basis of Independent Examiner's Report

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- · the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Payl Steele FCA
Chartered Accountant
18 Newport Street
Tiverton

Devon EX16 6NL

14 April 2022

ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

	Unrestrict	ed funds	Restricted	Endowment		2020	
Notes Notes	General (Note 2)	Designated (Note 3)	Funds (Note 3)	Funds (Note 3)	Total	Total	
	£		£	£	£	£	
Income and endowments							
Donations and legacies	202,977		34,283		237,260	220,062	
Other trading activities	7,260				7,260	4,959	
Investment Income	10,217		746		10,981	10,257	
Total Income	220,454	18	35,029		255,501	235,278	
Expenditure							
Church activities:							
Staff Costs	24,231		23,269		47,500	37,542	
Common Fund	108,536				108,536	108,055	
Establishment Expenses	28,782		360		29,142	33,666	
Improvement and major repairs							
Ministry Expenses	10,972	794			20,331	19,621	
Office and Miscellaneous	10,086		584		10,670	5,490	
Donations and mission giving	16,805		2,708		19,513	12,076	
Total Expenditure	199,412	794	35,486		235,692	216,450	
Net Income before							
Investment gains	21,042	(776)	(457)		19,809	18,828	
Investment gains/(losses)				3,319	3,319	1,390	
Net Income	21,042	(776)	(457)	3,319	23,128	20,218	
Transfers between funds 3	(1,500)	1,500					
Net movement in funds	19,542	724	(457)	3,319	23,128	20,218	
Fund Balances Brought Forward	47,335	60,483	38,444	24,249	170,511	150,293	
Fund Balances Carried Forward	66,877	61,207	37,987	27,568	193,639	170,511	

ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON **BALANCE SHEET 31 DECEMBER 2021**

	Notes	2021		202	0
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Investments	4		27,568		24,249
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors and Prepayments	5	4,227		3,128	
Cash at Bank and in hand		188,242		163,549	
		192,469		166,677	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due		0ê 200		20,415	
within one year	6	26,398		20,415	
		26,398		20,415	
NET CURRENT ASSETS		ter#	166,071		146,262
NET ASSETS		, mand	193,639		170,511
FUNDS	9				
Unrestricted :					
General Fund	2,3	66,877		47,335	
Designated Funds	3	61,207	128,084	60,483	107,818
Restricted:	3	37,987		38,444	
Endowment:	3	27,568		24,249	
			65,555		62,693
			193,639		170,511

Approved by the PCC on April 2022 and signed by:

Reverend Andrew Humm Chair

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Sheila Hannallah Churchwarden

ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Preparation of the Accounts

The PCC is a public benefit entity within the meaning of FRS 102. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Church Accounting Regulations 2006 and with the Statement of Recommended Practice on Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014.

Funds

Endowment funds are restricted funds that must be retained as trust capital either permanently or subject to a discretionary power to spend capital as income, and where the use of any income derived from the capital may be restricted.

Restricted funds are income funds representing donations or grants received for a specific object or invited by the PCC for a specific object. The funds may only be expended on the specific object for which they are given. The PCC does not usually invest separately for each fund. Where there is no separate investment, interest is apportioned to individual funds on an average balance basis.

Designated funds are unrestricted income funds that have been designated for future projects by the PCC. These funds remain unrestricted and may be moved to other funds if so decided.

Unrestricted funds are general income funds which can be used for PCC ordinary purposes.

Income

Voluntary Income

Planned giving, collections and donations are recognised when received by or on behalf of the PCC.

Income tax recoverable on gift aid donations is recognised when the income to which they relate is recognised.

Grants and legacies to the PCC are accounted for as soon as the PCC is notified of its legal entitlement and the amount due.

Other Ordinary Income

Rental income from the letting of Church premises is recognised when the rental is due.

Income from Investments

Interest is accounted for when receivable. Tax recoverable on such income is recognised in the same accounting year.

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Expenditure and liabilities

<u>Grants and donations</u> are accounted for when paid over, or when awarded, if that award creates a binding obligation on the PCC. All other expenditure is recognised when it is incurred and is accounted for gross.

Creditors are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts

Fixed Assets

Consecrated and benefice property is excluded from the accounts by Section 92(2)(a) of the Charities Act 1993.

No value is placed on movable Church furnishings held by the Church Wardens on special trust for the PCC and which require a faculty for disposal since the PCC considers this to be inalienable property.

All expenditure incurred during the year on consecrated or benefice buildings and movable Church furnishings, whether maintenance or improvement, is written off as expenditure in the Statement of Financial Activities and separately disclosed.

Fixed assets bought by the PCC for Church use and charged to reserves in the year of expenditure include the following:-

Sound equipment installed in the Church.

I T equipment in the Church and office

Cameras, audio and visual equipment to enable live streaming of church services

Moveable furnishings in the Church and extension.

Debtors

Debtors are recognised at the settlement amount after any trade discounts

Investments

Investments quoted on a recognised stock exchange are valued at market value at the year end. Other investment assets are included at the PCC's best estimate of market value.

ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

NOTE 2. ANALYSIS OF UNRESTRICTED GENERAL FUND

NOTE 2. ANALYSIS OF UNRESTRICTED GENERAL FUND				
	202 £	£	202 £	£
INCOME				
Voluntary income				
Church Collections	6,085		5,391	
Gift aid donations and Free Will Offerings	140,726		141,047	
Grants	34,862		20,881	
Other donations	13,818		8,766	
Income Tax recoverable	7,486		6,604	
	and the second s	202,977		182,689
Income from Church activities				
Church Rooms	1,312		922	
St George's extension letting	1,548		1,303	
Letting of churches	270		179	
Fees	3,284		2,371	
Minibus	5,204		160	
	846		24	
Miscellaneous	040	7,260		4,959
		7,200		4,505
Income from investments	17		57	
Interest		40.047		10.057
Income from let property	10,200	10,217	10200	10,257
TOTAL INCOME		220,454		197,905
EXPENDITURE				
Staff Costs			10 501	
Salaries	22,920		16,594	
Vicar and Curate's Expenses	1,311		1,240	
	24,231		17,834	
Common Fund	108,536		108,055	
Establishment Expenses				
Cleaning and gardening	2,819		3,571	
Heat, Light and Water	5,690		3,793	
Insurance	6,566		6,340	
Minor Repairs and Renewals	6,207		2,719	
Church Rooms expenses	3,834		4,441	
	2,787		2,803	
Church Extension expenses	879		2,376	
Church flats upkeep			26,043	
	28,782		20,043	
Ministry Expenses	710		907	
Worship Materials	719			
Outreach Expenses	4,584		1,801	
Equipment repairs and maintenance	1,219		4,052	
Courses, training and subscriptions	4,450		4,532	
	10,972		11,292	
Office and Miscellaneous			299 82 44	
Postage, stationery, telephone	2,372		2,079	
Equipment repairs and maintenance	4,670		1,174	
Minibus expenses			949	
Miscellaneous	2,023	The second second	313	
Governance- Examiners fee	1,021		975	
	10,086		5,490	
Donations to missions	16,805		12,076	
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		199,412		180,790
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ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

. MOVEMENTS IN FUNDS	At 1 January 2021	Incoming resources	Outgoing resources	Transfers	At 31 December 2021 £
Unrestricted funds					
General fund (see note 2)	47,335	220,454	199,412	(1,500)	66,877
Designated funds					
Funeral donations	946		550		396
Fabric Fund	23,323	8			23,331
Church enhancement	20,037	10			20,047
Church flats maintenance	10,000				10,000
Outreach and evangelism	3,035				3,035
Equipment fund	3,142		244	1,500	4,398
Total designated funds	60,483	18	794	1,500	61,207
Total unrestricted funds	107,818	220,472	200,206	0	128,084
Restricted funds					
Fabric Fund: St George's	12,338	4			12,342
Antioch Fund	1,055	1			1,055
Alpha/Mission	415				415
Equipment fund	336				336
Staff salaries (The Brewin Trust)	0	22,052	22,052		0
C F Drew Legacy income	8,817	742	1,217		8,342
Hardship fund	7,957		2,708		5,249
Lunch on the Go	0	100	100		0
St Paul's Bell Tower	Ö	2,131	25		2,106
I T upgrade	6,096	10,000	9,024		7,072
Brewin Centre	1,430		360		1,070
Total restricted funds	38,444	35,029	35,486	0	37,987
Endowment funds					
C F Drew Legacy	24,249	3,319)		27,568
Total funds	170,511	258,820	235,692	2	193,639

The Brewin Trust. This charity's objects are to further the work of the Church of England in the parish of St George and St Paul. The trustees are the vicar and wardens.

C F Drew Legacy. The income from this endowment fund is paid into a restricted income fund where it may be applied to any ecclesiastical or lay purpose to assist the vicar.

Church enhancement. This designated fund is derived from legacies received.

Outreach and evangelism. This fund derives from the closure of the charity known as The Catharine Muriel Penny Ministry Trust (Charity Commission 294686). The funds have been designated for use in outreach and evangelism.

Antioch Fund. This fund provides assistance for individuals and groups from the fellowship who are undertaking mission projects and are not otherwise fully financially supported.

St Paul's Bell Tower. Donations received to support the bellringing activity

ST GEORGE & ST PAUL TIVERTON NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

4. INVESTMENTS

8808.98 COIF Charities Ethical Investment Fund	d units:	
	£	
Opening value	24,249	
Increase in value	3,319	
Market value at end of year	27,568	
	2021	2020
5. DEBTORS		£
Income tax recoverable	2,164	1,358
Other debtors	2,063	1,770
	4,227	3,128
6. CREDITORS		Andrew Commission of the Commi
Goods and services	4,473	1,728
	3,954	1,729
Accruals	17,971	16,958
	26,398	20,415
Goods and services Other creditors	3,954 17,971	1,: 16,9

7. EMOLUMENTS OF EMPLOYEES

During the year the PCC employed a part time administrative assistant, a youth worker and a cleaner The gross amounts paid during the period were £44,971 (year to 31 December 2020: £36,032). No Employer's National Insurance was paid (year to 31 December 2020: nil) Defined contribution pension costs were £788 (year to 31 December 2020: £680)

8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Vicar's and curate's expenses amounting to £2,018 (year to 31 December 2020: £1,673) were reimbursed during the year.

No remuneration or reimbursements of expenses were made to other PCC members.

Voluntary income includes donations of £11,724 made by PCC members and connected parties.

9. SUMMARY OF ASSETS BY FUND

	Unrestrict General £	ed funds Designated £	Restricted funds £	Endowment funds £	Total £
Investment fixed assets				27,568	27,568
Current assets	93,275	61,207	37,987		192,469
Current liabilities	-26,398				-26,398
	66,877	61,207	37,987	27,568	193,639