

APPENDIX 1



Scottish Charity Regulator

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	January	2025	To	31	December	2025

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Clarkston Baptist Church
Other names charity is known by	
Registered charity number	SC004773
Charity's principal address	Arthur Street
	Clarkston
	Glasgow
	Postcode G76 8BQ

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Clem Imrie	Elder		The Church Leader group comprising the Elders and Deacons
2	Colin Rodden	Deacon		
3	Jim Cosgrove	Deacon		
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Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

The church is governed by the Clarkston Baptist Church Constitution

Trustee recruitment and appointment

The Trustees are appointed at a meeting of the Elders and Deacons. Three Trustees are required and have been appointed accordingly.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The advancement of Christianity and the support of Missionary and other Charitable organisations which exist to further the same objective.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

Services are held on a weekly basis to preach and teach the Biblical Gospel and to ensure the spiritual growth of both Church Members and any others who associate with the church for this purpose.

Other services are held for Bible Study and Prayer to further this aim. Weekly activities are held for children of a range of ages for Christian instruction and to encourage love and respect for all people.

Service to the local community takes the form of groups such as Busy Bees Parents & Toddlers, Youth Stars for older children and the making available of our facilities to others.

Planned activities take place to bring Biblical truth to those in the local area in a constructive manner.

Financial support is given to a wide variety of organisations and individuals who provide spiritual and social activities across the world.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

During the year the charity paid out grants totalling £9,973 to assist six charities and individuals working to assist those in need, provide education and spiritual guidance or to help develop their local community. Around £5,000 of this was used to support charitable and missionary work overseas – mostly in Third World countries. Funding and finances were expected to remain quite tight this year with a net surplus of £353, but the retiral of our minister in July meant that we ended the year with a surplus of £23,812. Work is underway to find a replacement minister. Several major projects in the church and manse property maintenance are planned to be undertaken in 2026. Donation was made to the Lifeway Charity where Tendai Mbaserah (an elder at CBC) is a Trustee.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

There are no Restricted Funds.

The Unrestricted Funds represent receipts received but not yet utilised in supporting charitable activities. At 31 December 2025 the charity held £81,090 at the bank and the Trustees consider this to be appropriate to allow them to respond promptly to requests for financial support and to provide for the ongoing commitments to maintain the Church building and Manse and to meet the normal running costs of the church and the minister's salary once a new minister has been recruited.

Details of any deficit

Donated facilities and services (if any)

Various local groups and other charities and individuals are given the use of the church hall when required.

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Other optional information

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s) <i>OSCR will accept digital or typed signatures</i>		
Full name(s)	Colin Rodden	
Position (e.g. Chair)	DEACON AND TRUSTEE	
Date	3/4/26	