

RUTHERGLEN FREE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

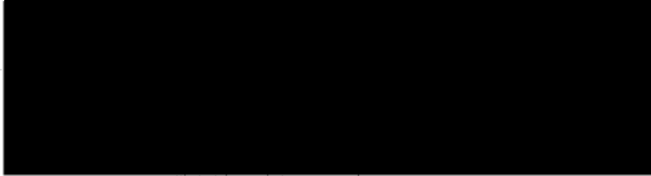
SCOTTISH CHARITY NUMBER SC 005664

**ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS FOR
THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024**

**S D BROWN & COMPANY
CHARTERED CERTIFIED ACCOUNTANTS
PORTADOWN**

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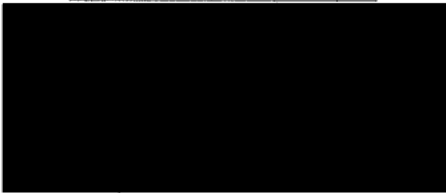
CURRENT MEMBERS OF SESSION/COMMITTEE



CHURCH LOCATION

234 King Street
Rutherglen
Glasgow
G73 2HD

CONTACT ADDRESS



GOVERNING DOCUMENT

The Church is a Trust and its purpose and rules of administration are set out in its Constitution.

TRUSTEE RECRUITMENT AND APPOINTMENT

The Elders of the Church are appointed by the Communicant membership of the congregation as the Trustees of the Church.

CHARITABLE PURPOSES

In following the mandate given by the Lord Jesus Christ to preach the Gospel of Christ to all people, we aim to minister to the spiritual, physical and mental well being of not only our local community, but also other peoples across the world. Through the regular weekly meetings we seek to show true care and compassion towards all, from the young to the older members of society. By personal contact and pastoral visitation we seek to support those in need.

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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Restricted</u>	<u>Total Year</u> <u>Ended</u> <u>31.12.24</u>	<u>Total Year</u> <u>Ended</u> <u>31.12.23</u>
	£	£	£	£
<u>Receipts</u>				
Freewill offerings	9,358	-	9,358	8,829
Offerings via Gift Aid Scheme	15,643	-	15,643	14,526
Gift Aid Tax Rebate	4,239	-	4,239	3,827
Manse Fund	1,755	-	1,755	208
Missionary Offerings	810	-	810	-
Magazine/Calendars Receipts	-	216	216	225
FPC Dungannon	1,000	-	1,000	-
Mourne FPC	2,000	-	2,000	-
F.P.C Hillsborough	500	-	500	500
Gifts	500	-	500	5,431
Nepal Offering	75	-	75	138
<u>Total Receipts</u>	<u>35,880</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>36,096</u>	<u>33,684</u>
<u>Payments</u>				
<u>Payments for Church Activities</u>				
Minister's Salary and Expenses	26,454	-	26,146	19,408
Manse Upkeep and Expenses	1,950	-	1,950	2,234
Pulpit supply	1,187	-	1,187	1,254
Transfers to Central Presbytery	-	-	308	984
Church upkeep and expenses	4,657	-	4,657	3,665
Gifts to Missionaries/Christian Organisations	810	-	810	216
Gospel Tracts/Magazine Payments	35	216	251	228
Sundries	11	-	11	185
Nepal Offering	75	-	75	138
<u>Total Payments</u>	<u>35,179</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>35,395</u>	<u>28,312</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year	<u>701</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>701</u>	<u>5,372</u>

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE SESSION/COMMITTEE OF
RUTHERGLEN FREE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2024 which are set out on pages 3 & 4.

Respective responsibilities of trustees' and examiner

The Church's session/committee are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The Church's session/committee consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10 (1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under Section 44 (1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.


Basis of independent examiners' statement

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the Charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosure in the accounts, and seeks explanations from the trustees' concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

Independent examiners' statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention/

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 44 (1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts regulations, and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations have not been met, or
2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper Understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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DATE: 2 October 2025