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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	01	2025	To	31	12	2025

Reference and administration details

Charity name	High Blantyre Baptist Church
Other names charity is known by	
Registered charity number	SC052120
Charity's principal address	292 Main Street High Blantyre Glasgow Postcode G72 0DH

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	Janet Young	Treasurer		
2	Laura Horne	Secretary		
3	Graham Horne	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
David Downie	13/1/25

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

Constitution

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Appointment of Trustees

Deacons are nominated and elected from within the membership of the Church in accordance with the Constitution for a fixed term of three years and are eligible for re-election. The Deacons are recognised as the Trustees of the Church. The duties and expectations of the Deacons and Trustees are written in the Church Constitution.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The aims of the Church are contained in the Mission Statement: "Reaching every person to win them to Christ and to make them into worshippers, witnesses and workers, growing in wholeness in Him." The Church is affiliated to the Baptist Union of Scotland.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

Church Services are held twice on a Sunday in church building, We also provide zoom access to midweek Prayer and Bible Study and Sunday evening services.

We also hold the following meetings:

- The Scripture Union group for Primary Aged School children
- Men's Breakfast group
- Women's Fellowship

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Achievements and performance

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

The following work from Pastor has been extended:

- Pastor continued to work with Church of Scotland on Scottish Government group looking at Religious Education in schools.
- Pastor teaching at Baptist College at West of Scotland University.

Sunday Club and Scripture Union groups for children have increased in numbers due to 6 new Nigerian families attending the church.

Although 4 of our members left due to relocation we have had 6 new members, mainly from the Nigerian families. We have more membership applications we are considering at the moment.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

We have no reserves; basically all money coming in is used in the operation of the Church

Details of any deficit

None

Donated facilities and services (if any)

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Other optional information

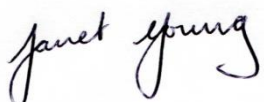
Principle Sources of Funding

The Church receives its funding from the direct giving of the members of the congregation by means of weekly offerings and direct debits.

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Janet Young	
Position (e.g. Chair)	Treasurer	
Date	01/09/26	