Treasurer's Report – Year ended 31st.December 2022

Income

Income was boosted by 3 legacies amounting to £10,466. Fund raising increased on last year as things were getting back to normal after Covid 19.

Expenditure

Similar to last year, with the small increase in fund raising because of increased activity.

Grants to Chapter

£10,000 was paid to Chapter as an ongoing contribution to St Marys Aisle roof repairs. This will be our main focus for the foreseeable future until Chapter has sufficient funds to go ahead with the repairs.

We also bought a special cleaner and dryer for the new toilet floors (£2,664).

Summary

We are now in a much improved financial situation as we get back to normal after Covid.

Martin Welton Treasurer (April 2023)

Friends of Truro Cathedral

	Year ended 31st.December 2022 2022				Full Year 2021
	Income and Expenditure				
Income					
Subs	3,636			3,458	
Life Subs	150			400	
Legacies	10,466			0	
Donations	905			273	
Gift aid	808			764	
Fund Raising	5,003			1,398	
Interest on CBF	95			4	
Sundries	0			0	
Total Income (A)		21,062			6,296
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Expenditure					
Office	837			841	
AGM report	191			152	
Autumn report	136			0	
Fund raising	1,187			360	
Sundries	0			0	
Total Expenditure (B)		2,351			1,353
Surplus/(Deficit) on activities (A-B=C)		18,711			4,943
Grants					
Flower Guild	0			0	
Music Endowment	0			0	
St. Marys Aisle roof	10,000			0	
Scrubber and dryer for toilet floors	2,664			0	
Total Grants (D)	,	12,664		· ·	0
Total Net Income/(Outgoings)(C-D=E)	******	6,047		-	4943
					
A	Balance Sheet				
Opening Balances					
Barclays current a/c	9,393			4,272	
CBF accounts	7,196			7,193	
Total banks at 1st.January		16,589			11,465
Laptop computer and set up (Note 1)	-	181		•	363
Total opening balances(F)		16,770			11,828
Total Net Income/(outgoings)(E)		6,047			4943
Closing Balances (F+E)	-	22,817			16,770
Represented by					
Barclays current a/c	15,525			9,393	
CBF accounts	7,293			7,196	
Total banks at 31st.December	- /	22,817		/ j.t./ U	16,589
Laptop computer and set up (Note 1)		0			181
Total assets at 31st.December	lett/-	22,817			16,770

Note 1 Original cost £905 Cum Depreciation £905

FRIENDS OF TRURO CATHEDRAL

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES RESPONSIBILITIES

Trustees are required to prepare accounts for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the Charity's financial activities during the year and of its financial position at the year end. In preparing accounts giving a true and fair view, the trustees should follow best practice and:

- -select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently,
- -make judgements and estimates which are reasonable and prudent,
- -state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the accounts
- -prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Charity will continue in operation.

Trustees are responsible for keeping accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy the financial position of the Charity and which enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the applicable Law. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

Report to the Trustees of the Friends of Truro Cathedral on Accounts for the year ended 31st December 2022.

Respective responsibilities of Trustees and Examiners.

The Charity's Trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year and that an Independent Examination is needed.

Basis of Independent Examiner's Report

My 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 disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as Trustees concerning 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 Examiner's Statements

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 Trustees have not met the requirements to ensure that:
 - (a) proper accounting records are kept and
 - (b) accounts are prepared which agree with the accounting records or
- 2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Rev. Paul Arthur St. Dennis

Signed

Date. 2nd.March, 2023

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Thank you

LEAVING A LEGACY IN YOUR WILL

The Friends and therefore the Cathedral have benefitted greatly from those who have continued their giving by leaving a legacy in their will. Gifts range from specific sums to a share in the Estate once other gifts have been made. If you are reviewing your will, or making a will for the first time, could you consider including a gift to the Friends.

Any gift received will allow us to continue the support of the Fabric, Ministry and Life of our wonderful Cathedral.

A possible form of words for such request:

I bequeath to the Friends of Truro Cathedral, The Old Cathedral School, Cathedral Green, Truro TR1 2FQ registered Charity Number 1075211 the sum of £....(for a specific sum) or the residue (or ashare of the residue) of my Estate.