#### **Trustees**

Peter Wilson- Chairperson.

Jessie Mowbray – Treasurer.

Mary Smith - School Co-ordinator.

Alastair Fyall.

Stuart Hyslop.

#### Aim of Christ in Action Food Bank

Supply to individuals and families in crisis three meals for 3 days plus basic hygiene requirements. In addition to assist families with children attending Newton Primary School, an area of recognised material deprivation, by supplying food to families and supporting the Supper Club initiated and funded by the school.

# **Trustees Report**

The Trustee's wish to report that Christ in Action Food Bank has sustained the work of the previous record breaking year. We have delivered as requested by staff in hostels, housing agencies, community workers, council staff and NHS community workers 1982 bags of food. This is 4.8 times higher than pre Covid levels. Schools have received 1784 bags slightly lower than last year but still 2.8 more than pre Covid levels. The Women's Aid Refuge, which was open for a full year after renovations, received 51 deliveries and 209 individuals and 63 families benefited from a fresh meat meal delivered once a week. Our volunteer team of 18 has remained loyal and extremely hard working shopping for best buys tracking down hard to find items e.g. eggs, working in the store date checking and shelving, packing bags to answer all the above requests. The Trustees are grateful for their dedication.

After 10 years, Christ in Action Food Bank is well established within our community and gives help beyond food, our connections enabled people to knit children's warm clothes and blankets distributed through the winter, the singing group who donated money and young people were able to serve their community as they worked towards Boys Brigade President's Badges and Duke of Edinburgh Awards. The Trustees appreciate the ongoing support received from John Maurice Aitken Trust, Craigie Development Ltd., South Ayrshire Council, Tesco, Sainsbury's Hamilton's Butcher, and Grant's Fruiters, Store teams in B and M, Aldi. As a church based food bank we receive regularly from members and friends and because of all this trust and support the trustees are not burdened with fund raising but put all there energy into getting food to people who need it.

Christ in Action Food Bank plans to be available to fulfil its aims moving into what we perceive as another difficult year for many.

The trustees are grateful to Mr. Stewart Robertson for carrying out his duties as an independent examiner. 

Mr Peter Wilson Chairperson

### Receipts & Payments Account for year to 31st January 2023

Receipts	<u>2022</u> £	<u>2023</u> £	<u>Payments</u>	<u>2022</u> £	2023 £
Individual Donations	3632	3588	Ambient Food	7037	7618
Family donation	1000	3100	Fresh Food	4109	4559
Group Donation Church Based	690	816	Butcher	337	924
Three Guys		390			
Newton Heathfield C/Council		150	Shoe Fund	500	
John Maurice AitkenTrust	2000	3000	Hygiene	809	1153
" " Shoe Fund	500		Other	293	257
Craigie Development Trust	1500	1500			
South Ayrshire Council	1000	1500			
A Clark Community Fund	2500				
Tesco		1000			
Deficit	263		Surplus		533
	13085	15044		13085	15044
Statement of Balances as at 31st January 20223					
	2022	2023		2022	2023
	£	£		£	£
01.02.22 Opening Cash bal.	1473	1379 31.01.22	Closing Cash bal.	1379	1637
01.02.23 Opening Bank bal.	8475	8306 31.01.23	Closing Bank bal.	8306	8581
deficit	263		surplus	533	
,=	9685	9685	*	10218	10218

These accounts were approved by the Trustees on

Peter Wilson Chairman Lat May 2023
TESSIE NOWBRM Justich Morethay TREASURER.

# **Independent Examination Certificate**

I have examined the Trustees' Report, the Christ in Action Food Bank Accounting records, and the Receipts Payments Account and Statement of Balances that are attached as part of this document.

My examination has been carried out under section 44(1)(c) of the Charities & Trustees Investment(Scotland) Act 2005.

To the best of my knowledge & belief, and in accordance with the information & explanations given to me:

- a) The charity trustees consider that the audit requirements of the Regulation10(1)(d) of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 does not apply and therefore the Christ in Action Food Bank is eligible to have an independent examination.
- b) The Receipts and Payments Account and Statement of Balances have been properly prepared from the records of the Christ in Action Food Bank and are in agreement with them.
- The Receipts and Payments Account & Statement of Balances comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations and with the Christ in Action Food Bank's effective Constitution.

# In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect, the requirements of section 33 of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 and 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations have not been met.

Qualification: