Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin

**Annual Financial Report** 

Financial Year Ended 31 December 2019

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For clarification to the readers, the financial statements relating to the operation of the Schools of the Diocese of Dublin are not included in this annual financial report. The Board of Management of each school is a separate legal entity.

<sup>\*</sup> For the purposes of these Financial Statements the word "Schools" has been removed from the constitutional name "Schools and Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin".

#### TRUSTEES AND OTHER INFORMATION

**Co-ordinating Trustees** Archbishop Diarmuid Martin

Most Reverend Eamonn Walsh (retired 14 November 2019) Most Reverend Raymond Field (retired 14 November 2019) Most Reverend John Dolan (appointed 15 November 2019)

Very Reverend Paul Callan

**Parish Trustees** Details outlined in Appendix

Mr Jim McKenna **Finance Committee** (Chairperson)

> Mr John Corrigan Mr Michael Duffy Mr Sean McKone Mr Tom Foley Mr Terence O'Rourke

Very Reverend Andrew O'Sullivan Very Reverend Liam Belton Very Reverend Joe Jones

Sr Irene Dunne (appointed 5 February 2019)

**Buildings Committee** Mr Sean McKone (Chairperson)

> Mr Edward O'Shea Mr Tony Sheppard Mr Nick Smith Mr Padraig Kennedy

**Investments Committee** Mr John Corrigan (Chairperson)

Reverend Bernard Meade, C.M.

Mr Terence O'Rourke (Chairperson) **Audit Committee** 

Mr Tom Foley

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# TRUSTEES AND OTHER INFORMATION - continued

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CHY 7424

Charities Regulator Number

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# TRUSTEES' REPORT Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin

#### **BACKGROUND**

A diocese is composed of distinct parts known as parishes being communities of the Christian faithful established and entrusted to a pastor under the authority of the diocesan bishop.

The Archdiocese of Dublin covers an area of some 100 kilometres of the mid-eastern coast of Ireland and extends inland over seventy kilometres. The entire county of Dublin forms a substantial part of the Diocese along with most of Wicklow, considerable sections of Kildare, in addition to sections of Carlow, Wexford and Laois.

The area covered by the Diocese is 3,184 km sq. At the most recent available estimate, the catholic population of the diocese was approximately 1.1 million.

There are 197 parishes in the diocese. The parishes are established and operate according to the provisions of the Code of Canon Law which confers on them separate canonical status, rights and obligations. Canon Law is the name given to the laws and regulations that govern within the Catholic Church.

#### **Religious Order Parishes**

There are eight parishes excluded from the Combined Parish Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2019. The physical assets such as churches in these parishes are owned and managed by the relevant religious order. These orders also have their own charitable registration with the Charities Regulatory Authority and will complete their own reporting with the Authority in respect of the parish.

The Parishes concerned are as follows:

Phibsborough

Dominick Street

Whitefriar Street

Gardiner Street

Mount Argus

Kimmage Manor

Inchicore Mary Immaculate

Tallaght (St Mary's)

### Schools

There are at present 450 primary schools in the Diocese under the patronage of the Archbishop. The Archbishop is not the Patron of the post-primary schools. There are 111 catholic post-primary schools in the Diocese. The Archdiocese has a representative on the Boards of Management of 45 other secondary schools, including community schools and colleges and comprehensive schools. Catechists work in a number of Community Colleges. The primary school properties (land and buildings) are vested in the St Laurence O'Toole Trust (see page 6), usually on behalf of the parish in which the school is located. The ownership of school properties is in the form of custodianship and consequently these properties have not been capitalised in the financial statements.

The financial statements relating to the operation of the Schools of the Diocese of Dublin are not included in this annual financial report. The Board of Management of each school is a separate legal entity.

#### **STRUCTURE**

The Charity comprises the financial statements of the Combined Parishes, the Clerical Fund, the Common Fund and the Share Fund.

#### Combined Parishes

The combined parishes section comprises the combined financial statements for the parishes of the Diocese excluding the eight parishes above on the basis that the assets of these parishes are owned and managed by religious orders and they have separate charitable registrations. The assets and liabilities of a parish belong to the parish, not to the bishop or to the parishes collectively.

#### Clerical Fund

The Clerical Fund is funded by the Common Fund and donations from priests. It mostly funds the costs of care for priests in nursing homes and priests who need support due to illness.

#### Common Fund

The Common Fund is for the suitable and equitable remuneration of priests serving in the Diocese. It is funded through the first collection at weekend Masses, dues and a portion of stole fees, which are offerings for baptisms, funerals and weddings.

#### STRUCTURE - continued

#### Share Fund

The primary purposes of the Share Fund are to finance central support services for parishes and to provide financial assistance to low income parishes. The fund primarily derives its income from the second collection, which is taken up at Mass in every Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese normally every weekend.

The Share Fund comprises two further restricted funds: the restricted Pastoral Services Fund and the restricted Building Fund.

#### Pastoral Services Fund

The Pastoral Services Fund supports lay pastoral ministry with 22 parish pastoral workers that hold appointments in various parishes in the Dublin Diocese.

#### **Building Fund**

The Building Fund provides financial assistance for the maintenance and repair of the buildings in the parishes.

#### Civil Law

In Civil Law, the Schools and Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin ("the Charity") is a charitable Trust, governed by a Trust Deed signed on 20 December 2017. The registration number of the Charity with the Charities Regulatory Authority (CRA) is 20016166. The Charity is registered with the Revenue Commissioners as being established for charitable purposes – CHY No. 7424. For the purposes of these financial statements the word "Schools" has been removed from the constitutional name of the Charity as the operations of schools are dealt with by boards of management which are separate legal entities.

There is a separate registration with the CRA for the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin (see page 6 for all related Charities).

#### **GOVERNANCE**

The Archdiocese is governed by the Archbishop. In the exercise of his authority, the Archbishop is subject to the provisions of the Code of Canon Law.

The Archbishop is assisted in his role by the other Co-ordinating Trustees. Those who served during the year are listed on page 1 and are members of senior clergy of the Diocese. New trustees are introduced to their role and responsibilities by the Financial Administrator at which time a briefing and other background documentation is given together with copies of the trust deed and the latest financial information available.

The Co-ordinating Trustees meet annually to receive the Annual Report and audited financial statements. Other meetings take place as required.

Unless otherwise stated, the Co-ordinating Trustees were in office up to the date of approval of the financial statements.

#### **Dublin Diocesan Finance Committee**

The Dublin Diocesan Finance Committee ("DDFC") is a non-executive Committee currently comprising ten members, of whom three are priests, one a religious sister, and six are lay members. The Archbishop appoints the Committee members and the Chairperson. The DDFC advises and guides the Archbishop and the Trustees in the financial management and stewardship of the Charity. The Finance Committee members who served during the year are listed on page 1. The Finance Committee normally meets ten times per year. Unless otherwise stated, the Finance Committee members were in office up to the date of approval of the financial statements.

There are three subcommittees of the DDFC: the Buildings Committee, the Investments Committee, and the Audit Committee.

# The Buildings Committee

The Buildings Committee oversees the governance of building projects with values over  $\in$ 50,000 for churches and over  $\in$ 100,000 for parochial houses in both the Diocese and parishes of the Diocese. The Buildings Committee comprises one member of the DDFC, who is Chairman, together with four additional co-opted independent members, with relevant expertise.

#### **GOVERNANCE** - continued

#### The Investments Committee

The Investments Committee comprises of one member of the DDFC, who is Chairman, together with one additional coopted independent member. Aon Hewitt acts as advisors to the Committee.

With the guidance of the DDFC, the Trustees have entrusted the management of investments of the Charity to independent investment managers. The Investment Committee monitors the performance of these managers at quarterly intervals. The Investment Committee has ensured that proper investment management agreements have been signed with each of these managers for all of the funds under their management.

#### The Audit Committee

The Audit Committee considers accounting, audit and risk issues and reviews and recommends strengthening of the Charity's governance processes. It comprises of three members of the DDFC. The Audit Committee oversees financial reporting and related matters such as risk management and the internal and external audit functions. Sr. Irene Dunne and Fr. Robert Smyth were appointed to the Committee in 2019.

Terms of Reference have been set for all the Committees detailed above.

The other diocesan advisory bodies of the Charity are:

College of Consultors, a group of priests appointed for a five year term, who the trustees consult on matters such as acts of significant administrative importance and the proposed sale of assets.

16th Diocesan Council of Priests advises the Archbishop in governing the Diocese.

Commission of Parish Boundaries advises on the provision of Churches and pastoral outreach centres. It also advises on the re-organisation or establishment of parishes, and the revision of parish boundaries. The Commission of Parish Boundaries includes a number of lay experts.

Diocesan Sacred Art and Architecture and Historic Churches Commission who study new church designs and plans for the alteration of existing churches and make recommendations to the Archbishop. The Diocesan Sacred Art and Architecture and Historic Churches Commission includes a number of lay experts.

#### **MANAGEMENT**

Each parish is managed by a member of clergy who has been appointed with responsibility for that parish. The title of the member of clergy managing the parish can differ. Some parishes operate in groupings managed by a Moderator. Other parishes are managed by a Parish Priest, or by a Priest Administrator. A parish Finance Committee, a requirement under Canon Law, assists and makes recommendations to the priest. Details of the Trustees for each parish are given in the Appendix.

The Common Fund is managed by the Management Committee of the Common Fund which makes recommendations to the Trustees.

The Clerical Fund is managed by the Clerical Fund Society which makes recommendations to the Trustees.

The Share Fund is overseen by the Diocesan Finance Committee which makes recommendations to the Trustees.

Rules or statutes are in place for the Common, Clerical and Share Funds.

The names of the Charity Bankers, Solicitors, Investment Advisors, Internal Auditors and External Auditors are located on pages 1 and 2.

#### RELATED CHARITIES

The Charity is affiliated with the following other registered charities, the first of which detailed below is the main Diocesan charity, the others being the various diocesan agencies:

	CHY Number	CRA Number
Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin	1333	20002022
World Meeting of Families 2018	22001	20152710
Diocesan Agencies		
Crosscare	6262	20010942
Accord	6983	20014100
Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes	5613	20008703

The St Laurence O'Toole Diocesan Trust is a bare trust in which all diocesan and parish properties are nominally held. It is a Company Limited by Guarantee (Registered Number 24430). It does not carry out any activities and is not a registered charity with the CRA. The properties of the Trust are reflected in the financial statements of the appropriate registered charity, that being the Charity holding beneficial ownership of the property.

#### INTERNAL CONTROL AND RISK MANAGEMENT

The Co-ordinating Trustees perform a coordination role to ensure that the Charity makes annual filings and brings together the relevant information for each parish.

The Co-ordinating Trustees are responsible for providing reasonable assurance that:

- the Charity complies with relevant laws and regulations;
- the Charity is operating efficiently and effectively;
- the Charity's assets are safeguarded against unauthorised use or disposition;
- proper records are maintained and financial information used within the Charity or for publication is reliable; and
- the systems of internal control are designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The Parish Trustee is responsible for the operations of the Parish and the preparation of the financial statements of the Parish

#### REVIEW OF THE PERIOD

The Charity is comprised of the Combined Parishes, the Clerical Fund, the Common Fund and the Share Fund.

The Charity had net income of €564,000 for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: €88,000) before it benefited from gains from the sale of buildings of €7.1m (2018: €3.2m), which were no longer required. The net movement in funds of the Charity was €7.7m for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: €3.3m).

A detailed analysis of the individual funds is set out in notes 19 - 21 on pages 42 - 47.

#### **Combined Parishes**

The results for the 189 Parishes are combined, however individual parish funds are attributable to each separate Parish. The financial statements for individual parishes are available in each parish.

The Parishes had net income before gains of  $\in$ 331,000 for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 4.0m) before it benefited from gains of  $\in$ 5.9m from the sale of 15 buildings in 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 2.6m); mainly parochial houses. Low-income parishes received assistance from the Share Fund of  $\in$ 1.5m in 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 2.2m). During the period, City Quay parish repaid share assistance of  $\in$ 149,000, from a previous reporting period, back to the Share Fund resulting in net share assistance of  $\in$ 1.4m for the year ended 31 December 2019. The net movement in funds of the Parishes for the year ended 31 December 2019 was  $\in$ 6.3m (2018:  $\in$ 6.6m).

#### **REVIEW OF THE PERIOD - continued**

#### Combined Parishes - continued

Total income for the Parishes for the year ended 31 December 2019 was €31.4m (2018: €35.6m). Income from charitable activities primarily family offering, donations and shrine income for the year ended 31 December 2019 was €18.4m (2018: €19.4m). Donations and legacies amounted to €3.6m for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: €3.9m). Trading income for the year ended 31 December 2019 was €7.6m (2018: €7.2m). This includes receipts of €351,000 in ten parishes in relation to a fundraising campaign for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: €573,000).

Parish expenditure for the year ended 31 December 2019 amounted to €32.6m (2018: €33.7m) which was for the operating and maintenance costs of the combined parishes. Details on parish expenditure are shown in notes 4 and 5 to the financial statements.

#### **Clerical Fund**

The Clerical Fund had net income before gains of  $\in$ 362,000 for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: net expenditure before gains of  $\in$ 206,000). Total income of the Clerical Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was  $\in$ 89,000 (2018:  $\in$ 623,000). The net movement in funds of the Clerical Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was a surplus of  $\in$ 1.5m (2018: net movement in funds was a deficit of  $\in$ 144,000). The Clerical Fund was funded by donations of  $\in$ 85,000 for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 622,000). The Clerical Fund received a contribution from the Common Fund of  $\in$ 1.9m for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 1.7m) to help meet the costs of elderly priests needing care support and priests who are ill. Total expenditure was  $\in$ 2.3m for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 2.3m).

#### **Common Fund**

The net movement in funds of the Common Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was a deficit of €1.3m (2018: €664,000). Total income of the Common Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was €13.7m (2018: €14.2m).

The Common Fund, through the First Collection, supported the income of 429 priests during 2019. The Common Fund also made a contribution of  $\in$ 1.9m (2018:  $\in$ 1.7m) to support the Clerical Fund in meeting its care costs for sick and elderly priests. Total expenditure for the Common Fund in 2019 was  $\in$ 13.1m (2018:  $\in$ 13.1m).

#### **Share Fund**

The Share Fund had net income before gains of  $\epsilon$ 1.1m for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: net expenditure before gains of  $\epsilon$ 3.0m). The net movement in funds of the Share Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was a surplus of  $\epsilon$ 1.1m (2018: net movement in funds was a deficit of  $\epsilon$ 2.6m). For the year ended 31 December 2019, the Share Fund benefitted from a once-off donation of  $\epsilon$ 2.0m from the Archbishop from the related charity the Archbishop of Dublin towards the costs of the parish pastoral workers which are accounted for in the Share Fund.

Total income of the Share Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was €9.0m (2018: €6.2m). The Share Fund is supported by the second collection at weekend masses in the churches; there were more share collections in churches in 2019 as a result of fewer special collections held, which resulted in an increase in the income of the Share Fund, however the underlying trend in the share collection is downward. The main reason for the increase in the total income of the Share Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 is the once-off €2.0m donation and a legacy.

Total expenditure for the Share Fund for 2019 was €6.6m (2018: €7.0m). The Share Fund contributed €4.2m in relation to central support services for parishes for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: €4.2m). The Share Fund provided €1.5m to parishes of the diocese to assist with ongoing capital, maintenance and operating costs for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: €2.2m). During the period, City Quay parish repaid share assistance of €149,000, from a previous reporting period, back to the Share Fund resulting in net share assistance of €1.4m for the year ended 31 December 2019.

# Pastoral Services Fund and Building Fund

The Pastoral Services Fund supported lay pastoral ministry with 20 parish pastoral workers that hold appointments in various parishes in the Dublin Diocese. A fundraising campaign had proceeds of  $\in$ 137,000 towards lay ministry for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\in$ 164,000).

The net movement in funds of the Building Fund for the year ended 31 December 2019 was a deficit of  $\epsilon$ 225,000 (2018: net movement in funds was a deficit of  $\epsilon$ 1.2m).

#### Other Activities

The Diocese continues to support parishes in meeting their obligations under the Charities Act 2009. Accounting records are now all recorded on a standard accounting software system, Accounts IQ, to facilitate the combination of financial statements across all parishes. Parishes continue to be supported in the use of the uniform pastoral management and accounting systems through training of parish staff which has continued throughout 2019 and will continue into the future.

# REVIEW OF THE PERIOD - continued

# Other Activities - continued

Parishes continue to invest locally in physical infrastructure, particularly in maintaining 241 church buildings, 127 of which are listed structures and more expensive to maintain. Of the  $\epsilon$ 29.7m in other expenses in note 4 on page 28, church and premises costs totalled  $\epsilon$ 16.7m for the Charity for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\epsilon$ 17.6m). Church and premises costs include  $\epsilon$ 6.0m in maintenance costs for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018:  $\epsilon$ 6.3m).

Significant church refurbishment and maintenance projects were carried out in the following parishes;

- St Joseph's the Artisan, Bonnybrook conservation and restoration work on the Church building
- Most Holy Redeemer, Bray conservation and restoration work on the Church building
- St John's, Clontarf conservation and restoration work on the Church building
- St. Joseph's, Balcurris conversion of the former parochial house to a parish pastoral centre
- Sacred Heart, Donnybrook renovation and expansion of the parish pastoral centre
- St. Francis of Assisi, Priorswood completion of work on a new parish pastoral centre
- Church of the Assumption, Booterstown completion of renovation of the parish pastoral centre
- Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Foxrock work includes restructuring of the sacristy, repositioning of the baptistery and replacement of the heating system
- Mary Immaculate Refuge of Sinners, Rathmines demolition of existing parish hall replaced with a new parish pastoral centre
- Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar included works to the parish offices and demolition of existing parish hall replaced with a new parish pastoral centre
- St. Columbanus, St. Gall and Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Milltown gable replacement and roof repairs
- St. Alphonsus and St. Columba, Ballybrack roof repairs

The Church of the Annunciation in Finglas West parish closed on 7 October 2018. The building, one of the largest in the Diocese, had significant repair issues after falling into disrepair for many years and the upkeep of the enormous building was proving impossible for the parish to sustain. The building will be replaced with a new, fit for purpose Parish Church. There are also plans to construct a new Pastoral Centre, which will be a tremendous resource for the local parish community with prayer spaces, meeting rooms, offices and a cafe. The project, which is undertaken with Dublin City Council, includes plans for the land to be used to construct housing. The project is due to commence in late 2020.

As in previous years, houses surplus to requirements are being sold in parishes as a result of the declining number of priests.

On the weekend of 18 May 2019 and 19 May 2019, a new collection (Ministry Sunday Collection) was held for the first time and contributed €204,000 to the Pastoral Services Fund. The collection is devoted to building and supporting new forms of Lay Ministry throughout the parishes of the diocese.

Fundraising campaigns were undertaken in a number of parishes with assistance from the Office for Financial Development of the Archdiocese. The Albert Gubay Trust donated a total of  $\epsilon$ 408,000 to 12 Parishes in the Diocese of Dublin in 2019 (2018:  $\epsilon$ 1.6m).

The Trustees appointed an accountancy firm as independent internal auditors to the Charity for a fixed period of three years. The first phase of the internal audit programme commenced in 2019. This included the creation of a risk register for the Charity and the parishes. A three-year internal audit programme has been developed based on the risk register and the inherent risks for the Charity and the parishes.

#### EVENTS AFTER THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

The impact of the closure of Churches for Public Worship as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic in March 2020 was severe. Collection income for the Charity reduced by almost 80% in a three-month period. Numbers attending Masses were restricted to 50 people when churches re-opened for worship on 29th June. Churches in Dublin were subsequently closed again indefinitely in September and churches in the rest of the Diocese were closed indefinitely in October. There is little room for optimism that support for the Charity will be restored to pre- March 2020 levels. This resulted in a range of restructuring measures being considered in an attempt to minimise the long-term impact of the pandemic, which came after years of steady decline in financial support for the charity.

There have been no other significant events affecting the Charity since the year end.

#### PLANS FOR FUTURE PERIODS

The Office for Financial Development will continue to implement strategies designed to generate additional funding for the parishes of the diocese to assist with both capital and operational expenses. The Financial Development Team is developing ways to assist with the funding of Lay Ministry into the future. The office will continue to phase in electronic payments and digital giving.

Since the COVID-19 pandemic, through the concerted efforts of the Financial Development Office, over 80 Parishes have online donate facilities on their parish websites as well as on the main Diocesan website. It is planned to roll out this facility to all remaining parishes by the end of 2020. Online giving is being encouraged as it is expected the traditional collection baskets will not be utilised for some time. The Charity is very grateful for the online donations that it has received to date. A sustained communications effort is underway to raise awareness among parishioners of this new way of donating. A large number of parishes have streamed their Masses on web cams for their parishioners to be able to continue to watch and listen to Mass at home. Every effort is being made to try to improve collections for the Charity as income has suffered greatly as a result of the pandemic.

In 2020, the income review group was established as a sub-group of the Dublin Diocesan Finance Committee. The role of the group is to make recommendations on how the more significant income streams of the Charity can be best increased and organised into the future.

The Share Fund will continue to invest in capital projects in specific parishes as deemed suitable by the Buildings Committee.

The Charity will continue to work towards full adoption of the Charities SORP (FRS 102) for financial reporting purposes. The Parish Trustees recognise that the income of the Charity is cash dependant and that controls around cash need to be continually strengthened. The Finance Secretariat continues to work with parishes to standardise and implement best practice in relation to the handling of cash.

# STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The Trustees are required to prepare financial statements of the Charity for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the Charity, and of the income and expenditure of the Charity for that year. In preparing those financial statements the Trustees are required to:

- Select suitable accounting policies for the Charity's financial statements and then to apply them consistently;
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- State whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, identify those standards, and note the effect and the reasons for any material departure from those standards;
- Prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Charity will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper books of account which disclose with reasonable accuracy the financial position of the Charity, and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements are prepared in accordance with the accounting policies. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Charity and hence taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Trustees are also obliged to ensure that a financial and activity report is filed annually with the Charities Regulator, and that all letterheads, stationery leaflets, brochures, website and other media display the Registered Charity Number.

Approved by:

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF PARISHES OF THE DIOCESE OF DUBLIN

#### Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin ('the charity') for the year ended 31 December 2019, which comprise the statement of financial activity, balance sheet, statement of cash flows and notes to the financial statements, including the summary of significant accounting policies set out in note 2. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland.

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matters described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion section of our report, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin as at 31 December 2019 and of its results for the year then ended; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland.

# Basis for qualified opinion

Cash and cheque income sources represent a significant proportion of income for Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin. As controls over completeness of cash and cheque income were not adequate during the period, we could not rely on these controls for the purpose of our audit. There were no other satisfactory audit procedures that we could adopt to confirm independently that all cash and cheque income due to the charity was properly received.

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (Ireland) (ISAs (Ireland)). Our responsibilities under those standards are described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the organisation in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of financial statements in Ireland, including the Ethical Standard issued by the Irish Auditing and Accounting Supervisory Authority (IAASA), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## **Emphasis of Matter**

In forming our opinion on the company's financial statements, which is not modified, we draw your attention to the trustees' view on the impact of COVID-19 as disclosed on page 9 in the trustees' report, on page 22 and page 23 in the disclosures around judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty and on page 40 in the events after the reporting period note.

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE

#### MEMBERS OF PARISHES OF THE DIOCESE OF DUBLIN

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which ISAs (Ireland) require us to report to you where:

- the Trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate: or
- the Trustees have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the charity's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

#### Other information

The Trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Respective responsibilities

# Responsibilities of directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the statement of trustees' responsibilities statement set out on page 10, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.



# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF PARISHES OF THE DIOCESE OF DUBLIN

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (Ireland) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the IAASA's website at: http://www.iaasa.ie/getmedia/b2389013-1cf6-458b-9b8f-a98202dc9c3a/Description of auditors responsibilities for audit.pdf . This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

Our report is made solely to the Trustees, as a body, in accordance with our engagement letter. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Trustee's those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Trustee's, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

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16 October 2020

for and on behalf of Mazars

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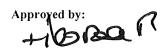
**Dublin 2** 

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES Financial Year Ended 31 December 2019

	Notes	2019 Restricted Funds €'000	2019 Unrestricted Funds €'000	2019 Total Funds €'000	2018 Restricted Funds €'000	2018 Unrestricted Funds €'000	2018 Total Funds €'000
Income and endowments from: Income from charitable							
activities	3(i)	38,623	-	38,623	39,313	-	39,313
Donations and legacies Income from other trading	3(ii)	6,002	-	6,002	4,725	-	4,725
activity Income earned from other	3(iii)	7,701	-	7,701	7,389	-	7,389
activity Investment and other	3(iv)	1,320	~	1,320	4,823	-	4,823
income	3(v)	582		582	299	_	299
Total		54,228	-	54,228	56,549	_	56,549
Expenditure on: Expenditure on charitable							
activities	4(i)	(53,363)	-	(53,363)	(54,531)	-	(54,531)
Cost of raising funds	4(ii)	(1,215)	-	(1,215)	(1,513)		(1,513)
Total		(54,578)	-	(54,578)	(56,044)		(56,044)
Net gains/(losses) on investments		914		914	(417)	-	(417)
Net income		564	-	564	88	-	88
Other recognised gains Gains on disposal of							
tangible assets Other gains		7,119	-	7,119	3,181	-	3,181
Net movement in funds		7,683	-	7,683	3,269	-	3,269
Reconciliation of funds Total funds brought							
forward	15	198,000		198,000	194,731		194,731
Total funds carried forward		205,683	-	205,683	198,000	_	198,000

There were no recognised gains and losses for the period ended 31 December 2019 other than those included in the statement of financial activities.

All of the above results are in respect of continuing operations. The notes on pages 17 to 48 form an integral part of these financial statements.



Archbishop Diarmuid Martin

# BALANCE SHEET As at 31 December 2019

	Notes	2019 Restricted Funds €'000	2019 Unrestricted Funds €'000	2019 Total Funds €'000	2018 Restricted Funds €'000	2018 Unrestricted Funds €'000	2018 Total Funds €'000
Fixed assets							
Tangible assets	6	132,247	-	132,247	132,585	_	132,585
Investments	7	7,528		7,528	7,629	-	7,629
Total Fixed assets		139,775	**************************************	139,775	140,214	-	140,214
Current assets							
Debtors	8	6,282	_	6,282	6,847	_	6,847
Cash on deposit	9	31,224	-	31,224	34,042	-	34,042
Cash at hand and in bank		42,897		42,897	33,018	-	33,018
Total current assets		80,403	•	80,403	73,907	****	73,907
Liabilities Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(13,493)	_	(13,493)	(14,536)		(14.526)
Net current assets						-	(14,536)
Net current assets		66,910		66,910	59,371	-	59,371
Total assets less current liabilities		206,685	-	206,685	199,585	-	199,585
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	11	(1,002)		(1,002)	(1,585)	_	(1,585)
Net Assets		205,683	-	205,683	198,000	-	198,000
Total Funds	15	205,683	-	205,683	198,000	-	198,000

The notes on pages 17 to 48 form an integral part of these financial statements.

Approved by:

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS Financial Year Ended 31 December 2019

	Notes	2019 Restricted Funds €'000	2019 Unrestricted Funds €'000	2019 Total Funds €'000	2018 Restricted Funds €'000	2018 Unrestricted Funds €'000	2018 Total Funds €'000
Net cash provided by operating activities	12	3,009		3,009	4,172	_	4,172
Investing activities:							
Dividends, interest and rent from investments		100	-	100	299	-	299
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		10,644	-	10,644	3,548	-	3,548
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(7,220)	-	(7,220)	(8,433)	-	(8,433)
Proceeds from sale of investments		1,064	-	1,064	128	-	128
Purchase of investments		(150)		(150)	(912)	<u>-</u>	(912)
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities		4,438	-	4,438	(5,370)		(5,370)
Net cash provided by/(used in) financing activities				-	-	<u>-</u>	-
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting period		7,447		7,447	(1,198)		(1,198)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period		63,279	-	63,279	64,477		64,477
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period		70,726		70,726	63,279	_	63,279

The notes on pages 17 to 48 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1 General information

In Civil Law, the Schools and Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin ("The Charity") is a charitable Trust, governed by a Trust Deed signed on 20 December 2017. The Charity is a registered charity with the Charities Regulator in Ireland with the Registered Charity Number 20016166. The registered address of the Charity is Holy Cross Diocesan Centre, Clonliffe Road, Dublin 3.

The Charity's focus is on public benefit, and the Trustees are committed to this focus. The objective of the Charity is to promote the advancement of the Roman Catholic religion by enabling the Archbishop to fulfil his canonical responsibilities which include the following:

- i. advancement of religion;
- ii. advancement of education;
- iii. provision of priests and other clergy;
- iv. provision for the Diocesan Offices of the Archdiocese;
- v. promotion of Catholic ethos in all walks of life;
- vi. relief of poverty; and
- vii. provision of physical infrastructure related to the activities of the Charity.

# 2 Summary of significant accounting policies

# (a) Basis of preparation and statement of compliance

The financial statements comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Statement of Financial Position, the Statement of Cash Flows and the related notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis under the historical cost convention, modified to include certain items at fair value.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102").

All references to 2019 are to the year ended 31 December 2019. All references to 2018 are to the year ended 31 December 2018.

#### (b) Fund Accounting

Each of the four funds of the Charity is restricted in nature and is governed in accordance with the Trust Deed of the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin which details the purpose and use of each fund. These four funds are briefly described as follows;

#### (i) Combined Parishes

The income of the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin is primarily comprised of family offering, legacies, donations and other streams of income. These funds are restricted and must be utilised by individual parishes. Funds cannot be allocated between parishes nor used across the diocese as a whole.

#### (ii) Clerical Fund

The funds of the Clerical Fund are restricted and income generated is used to meet the costs of care for priests in nursing homes and priests who need support due to illness. Income is primarily derived from subventions from the Common Fund and donations from priests of the diocese.

#### (iii) Common Fund

The Common Fund is for the suitable and equitable remuneration of priests serving in the Diocese. Church collections are the primary source of income, as well as Christmas and Easter dues.

#### (iv) Share Fund

The primary purposes of the Share Fund are to provide financial assistance to low income parishes and finance central support services for parishes. Share is funded from the second collection at weekend masses.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies - continued

#### (c) Tangible fixed assets

#### (i) Land

Land is valued at fair value based on the current use value of the land. There is no land or buildings held for investment. The exercise to identify and value land owned by parishes continues. The amounts involved are not regarded as being material.

# (ii) Freehold buildings: functional buildings (i.e. that are for the purpose of the Charity and are still in use)

The Charity has based its accounting policies on the insurance value of these assets as at 31 December 2014 which has been discounted back to the year of acquisition or construction using the consumer price index (the CPI was benchmarked at the earliest date available 1922) to arrive at the estimate of the acquisition cost. This acquisition cost was then depreciated over the building's useful life to arrive at its current net book value. This does not reflect the insurance value or the market value of these assets.

# (iii) Freehold buildings: purchased since 31 December 2014

Buildings purchased since 31 December 2014 are stated at cost or valuation net of depreciation and any provision for impairment.

# (iv) Office equipment, fixtures and fittings and computer equipment

Office equipment, fixtures and fittings are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Prior to 1 July 2014, expenditure on office equipment, fixtures and fittings and computer equipment was expensed.

No account was taken of other parish assets or liabilities other than opening and closing net indebtedness.

#### (v) Heritage assets

Heritage assets consist of assets that have historic and artistic significance such as chalices, eiboriums, treasures and works of art. A reliable cost is not available for these works of art and historic treasures and the Trustees believe that the cost of carrying out such an exercise would outweigh the benefit of this information to the user of the accounts therefore these assets have not been capitalised. These assets are not held for investment as they are part of the Charity's overall objectives to advance the Roman Catholic faith.

#### (vi) Depreciation

Land is not depreciated. Depreciation on other assets is calculated using the straight –line method over the estimated useful lives, as follows:

	Capitalisation	
	Threshold	Years
Churches	N/A	100 years
Freehold buildings	N/A	50 years
Office equipment and fixtures and fittings	€5,000	5 years
Computer equipment	€1,000	3 years

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted, if appropriate at the end of each financial year.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies - continued

# (c) Tangible fixed assets - continued

#### (vii) Impairment of tangible fixed assets

At the end of each reporting period, the Charity assesses whether there is any indication that the recoverable amount of an asset is less than its carrying amount. If any such indication exists, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount, resulting in an impairment loss. Impairment losses are recognised immediately in the statement of financial activity, with the exception of losses on previously revalued tangible fixed assets, which are recognised in other comprehensive income to the extent of any previously recognised revaluation increase accumulated in equity in respect of that asset.

Where the circumstances causing an impairment of an asset no longer apply, then the impairment is reversed through the statement of financial activity, except for impairments on previously revalued tangible assets, which are treated as revaluation increases to the extent that the revaluation was recognised in equity.

# (d) Revenue recognition

Income

#### (i) Donations and legacies

Monetary donations from the public are recognised as income when the donations are received.

# (ii) Donations from other charity (Albert Gubay Foundation)

Donations from other charitable organisations are recognised when it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

#### (iii) Income from charitable activities

Income from charitable activities is recognised as income when the income is received.

#### (iv) Rent and facilities hire

If the parish issues invoices for the use of the facilities, the income is recognised when the amount falls due.

If the parish does not issue invoices, the income is recognised on a cash receipts basis.

#### (v) Fundraising events and Draws/Raffles

Income from fundraising events and draws/raffles is recognised when the income is received.

#### (vi) Shop sales

Income from shop sales is recognised when the income is received.

#### (vii) Car Park Income

Car park income relates to income received from parking management companies for the use of car parks owned by the parish.

Income is recognised when the remittance is received from these companies.

#### (viii) Sale of graves

Income from the sale of graves is recognised when the income is received.

#### (ix) Government grants

Government grants consists of funding received from local councils for various projects within the parishes.

This income is recognised when received.

#### (x) Bank interest income

Bank interest income is interest received by the parishes for any cash held on deposit with financial institutions.

Bank interest income is recognised on an accrual basis in the period in which it accrues.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies – continued

#### (e) Investments

#### (i) Valuation of investments

Investments are stated at market value. Realised and unrealised gains and losses on investments are included in the Statement of Financial Activities.

The value of financial instruments traded in active markets (such as publicly traded equities) is based on quoted market prices at the balance sheet date. The market valuations are provided to the investment advisors by a third-party pricing source. The value of the remaining financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is the lower of (a) the valuation as determined by the investment advisors using valuation techniques or (b) the estimated recoverable amount as determined by the Trustees.

#### (ii) Impairment of investments

At the end of each reporting period, the charity assesses whether there is objective evidence of impairment of any investments that are measured at cost or amortised cost. If there is objective evidence of impairment, impairment losses are recognised in the statement of financial activity in that financial year.

# (f) Currency

Items included in the financial statements of the Charity are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Charity operates ("the functional currency"). The financial statements are presented in Euro, which is the charity's functional and presentation currency and is denoted by the symbol " $\epsilon$ ".

#### (g) Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the exchange rates ruling at the dates of the transactions.

Gains and losses arising from foreign currency translations and on settlement of amounts receivable and payable in foreign currency are dealt with in the Statement of Financial Activities.

#### (h) Expenditure and irrecoverable VAT

Certain expenditure is directly attributable to specific activities and has been included in those cost categories.

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to make a payment to a third party, it is probable that settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is classified under the following activity headings:

- Costs of generating funds are those costs incurred in attracting voluntary income.
- Charitable activities include expenditure associated with the mission of the church and include both the
  direct costs and support costs relating to these activities together with primary purpose trading activities that
  raise funds.
- Other expenditure represents those items not falling into any other heading.

Irrecoverable VAT is charged as a cost against the activity for which the expenditure was incurred.

The Charity makes annual claims under the Charities VAT Compensation Scheme, operated by the Revenue Commissioners. Claims are submitted in the year following the year of expenditure and amounts receivable are dependent on the overall subscription to the Scheme which cannot be determined by the Charity. Income from the Scheme is therefore accounted for when received.

#### (i) Administration costs

Administration costs are those functions that assist the work of the Charity but do not directly undertake charitable activities. Administration costs include back office costs, finance, personnel, payroll and governance costs which support the Charity's activities.

#### (j) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

Bank deposits which have original maturities of more than three months are not cash and cash equivalents.

# 2 Summary of significant accounting policies - continued

#### (k) Internal transfer

Transactions between the Parish Funds, the Common Fund, the Share Fund and the Clerical Fund are eliminated in the Statement of Financial Activities but interfund balances in the Balance Sheet are not eliminated and are reflected in Related Party Debtors and Creditors.

#### (l) Provisions and contingencies

#### (i) Provisions

Provisions are liabilities of uncertain timing or amount. Provisions are recognised when the Charity has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events; it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and the amount of the obligation can be estimated reliably.

Provisions are measured at the present value of the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation. Provisions are reviewed at the end of each financial year and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as a finance cost in the Statement of Financial Activities, presented as part of 'interest payable and similar charges' in the financial year in which it arises.

Where there are a number of similar obligations, the likelihood that an outflow will be required in settlement is determined by considering the class of obligations as a whole.

#### (ii) Contingencies

Contingent liabilities, arising as a result of past events, are not recognised as a liability because it is not probable that the Charity will be required to transfer economic benefits in settlement of the obligation or the amount cannot be reliably measured at the end of the financial period. Possible but uncertain obligations are not recognised as liabilities but are contingent liabilities. Contingent liabilities are disclosed in the financial statements unless the probability of an outflow of resources is remote.

Contingent assets are not recognised. Contingent assets are disclosed in the financial statements when an inflow of economic benefits is probable.

#### (m) Employee Benefits

The Charity provides a range of benefits to employees, including paid holiday arrangements.

#### Short term benefits

Short term benefits, including holiday pay and other similar non-monetary benefits are recognised as an expense in the period in which the service is received.

# Defined benefit pension scheme

Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin participates in a defined benefit pension plan (the Catholic Diocese of Dublin Pension Plan) which is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Dublin. In accounting for the Catholic Diocese of Dublin Pension Plan under FRS 102 the full value of the Plan's assets and liabilities have been included in financial statements of the Archdiocese. As it is not possible to identify separately Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin's share of the underlying assets and liabilities in the Catholic Diocese of Dublin Pension Plan, Section 28 of FRS 102 provides that each employer participating in the scheme should treat the scheme as a defined contribution arrangement and recognise only the contributions payable each period in its statement of financial activities.

Contributions charged in the statement of financial activities in relation to the defined benefit pension scheme are based on the advice of independent qualified actuaries and are charged to the income and expenditure account on a systematic basis over the expected remaining service lives of employees in the scheme.

# 2 Summary of significant accounting policies - continued

#### (n) Taxation

The Charity is exempt from taxation due to its charitable status.

# (o) Critical accounting estimates and judgements

The Trustees make estimates and judgements concerning the future in the process of preparing the Charity's financial statements. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are addressed below:

#### (i) Going concern

In preparing the financial statements, the Trustees have considered the going concern position for the Charity.

The Charity is impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic, which has required the suspension of public worship and when churches have been permitted to re-open, there have been restrictions on the numbers attending. Therefore, the principal income raising activities of the Funds of the Charity (namely the Parish Funds, the Common Fund and the Share Fund) which are the weekly collections during masses have been significantly curtailed. Other income generating activities of the Charity such as fund-raising events, rental income and other sources of income are also significantly affected. Monthly income being received by the Funds is thus running at levels between 50% and 80% lower than prior year receipts since the beginning of the pandemic. The Charity expects the restrictions to continue for some time although at the date of approving the financial statements the duration is uncertain; it is not possible to predict when the income levels will again approach pre-pandemic levels.

The Charity is planning to maintain its operations and service provision and thus continue as a going concern through a combination of steps. An income committee has been formed as a subcommittee of the Dublin Diocesan Finance Committee to support the Office of Financial Development in developing alternative donation facilities. To date this work has included:

- Online donation facilities have been placed on parish websites already available in over 105 Parishes (more than half of all parishes in the diocese). Further parishes continue to come on stream with this facility, the existence of which is being heavily promoted in parishes.
- "Tap and go" payment machines are being piloted in a number of parishes with the expectation that these machines will be rolled out to all parishes over the coming months to enable credit and debit card donations for all collections.
- Parishioners are also being encouraged to move towards standing orders/direct debits to ensure recurring income.
- The income committee will continue to evaluate and recommend other fund-raising initiatives.
- The Charity also expects to be able to continue to dispose of property assets to provide additional available funds.

The Charity has also taken steps to reduce expenditure in a number of areas:

- The Common Fund committee reduced diocesan priests' stipends and allowances by 25% from May 2020.
- A successful voluntary redundancy programme for diocesan support services in the curia and parish pastoral workers was launched in June 2020. As a result of this programme, the share subvention paid to the related party "Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin" (€4.1m in 2019) will fall by approximately one third. In addition, the number of parish pastoral workers will reduce substantially resulting in savings in this Charity of approximately €691,000 per year.
- The Charity will continue to seek savings in all other areas of expenditure.

The Charity is not yet able to project, with reasonable certainty, when this combination of income generating steps and cost curtailments will enable the Charity's continuing costs to be covered by recurring income, but believes that these steps will be successful in the medium / longer term. In the meantime, the Charity entered 2020 with significant reserves of  $\ensuremath{\epsilon}205.7m$  and net cash resources of  $\ensuremath{\epsilon}70.7m$ .

Additionally, management has prepared forecasts to 31 December 2021 based on a number of assumptions which will continue to be evaluated as more information becomes available relating to the COVID-19 pandemic and in particular the expected continuing opening and closing of churches for public worship.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies – continued

#### (o) Critical accounting estimates and judgements - continued

#### (i) Going concern - continued

The estimates and judgements made in preparing these forecasts to 31 December 2021 are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the current circumstances. With regards to mass collections income, a prudent approach has been applied in forecasting the potential future income; averages of collections received in the recent weeks have been used rather than historical collections that may not be relevant for some time.

The Trustees are satisfied, having considered the impact of the pandemic, the mitigating factors introduced, the available free reserves, and an evaluation of the forecasted income and expenditure to 31 December 2021, that the Charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, and therefore have prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis.

### (ii) Tangible fixed asset depreciation - useful economic lives

The annual depreciation on tangible fixed assets is sensitive to changes in the estimated useful economic lives and residual values of the assets. They are amended when necessary to reflect the current estimates, based on future investments, and the physical condition of the assets. See note 6 for the carrying amount of the tangible assets, and note 2(c)(vi) for the useful economics lives for each class of tangible fixed assets.

#### (iii) Land and buildings valuation

The Charity has based its accounting policies on the insurance value of land and buildings as at 31 December 2014 which has been discounted back to the year of acquisition or construction using the consumer price index (the CPI was benchmarked at the earliest date available 1922) to arrive at the estimate of the acquisition cost. This acquisition cost was then depreciated over the building's useful life to arrive at its current net book value. This does not reflect the insurance value or the market value of these assets.

#### (p) Financial instruments

The Charity has chosen to apply the provisions of Section 11 of FRS 102 to account for all of its financial instruments.

#### (i) Financial assets

Basic financial assets, including other debtors, cash and cash equivalents, short-term deposits and investments in corporate bonds, are initially recognised at transaction price (including transaction costs), unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction. Where the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction the resulting financial asset is initially measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other debtors, cash and cash equivalents, investments in corporate bonds and financial assets from arrangements which constitute financing transactions are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

At the end of each financial year financial assets measured at amortised cost are assessed for objective evidence of impairment. If there is objective evidence that a financial asset measured at amortised cost is impaired an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss. The impairment loss is the difference between the financial asset's carrying amount and the present value of the financial asset's estimated cash inflows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate.

If, in a subsequent financial year, the amount of an impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed. The reversal is such that the current carrying amount does not exceed what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment loss not previously been recognised. The impairment reversal is recognised in profit or loss.

Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value and the changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss, except that investments in equity instruments that are not publicly traded and whose fair values cannot be measured reliably are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies - continued

#### (p) Financial instruments

#### (i) Financial assets - continued

Financial assets are derecognised when (a) the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire or are settled, or (b) substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred to another party or (c) control of the financial asset has been transferred to another party who has the practical ability to unilaterally sell the financial asset to an unrelated third party without imposing additional restrictions.

#### (ii) Financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including other creditors, and bank loans, are initially recognised at transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction. Where the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction the resulting financial liability is initially measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other creditors, bank loans, and financial liability from arrangements that constitute financing transactions are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest method.

Fees paid on the establishment of loan facilities are recognised as transaction costs of the loan to the extent that it is probable that some or all of the facility will be drawn down. In this case, the fee is deferred until the draw-down occurs. To the extent there is no evidence that it is probable that some or all of the facility will be drawn down, the fee is treated as a prepayment for liquidity services and amortised over the period of the facility to which it relates.

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the liability is extinguished, that is when the contractual obligation is discharged, cancelled or expires.

3	In	come	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	(i)	Income from charitable activities					
		Family Offering	13,091	-	-	_	13,091
		Collection for support of pries	its -	-	9,094	_	9,094
		Share Collection	-	_	-	6,347	6,347
		Dues	-	_	3,775	-	3,775
		Shrine Income	3,759	-	-	-	3,759
		Stole fees	458	-	781	-	1,239
		Other church collections	503	-	-	204	707
		Albert Gubay Foundation	408	-	-	**	408
		Meals on Wheels	184	-	-	-	184
		Missalettes and Mass Books	19	-	-	-	19
			18,422		13,650	6,551	38,623
			2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
		Family Offering	13,015				12.015
		Collection for support of priest		_	9,341	-	13,015
		Share Collection	_		2,341	5,854	9,341
		Dues	_	_	4,139	5,654	5,854 4,139
		Shrine Income	3,663	_	4,139	-	3,663
		Stole fees	539	-	494	_	1,033
		Other church collections	478	_	<del>-</del>	_	478
		Albert Gubay Foundation	1,526	_	_	101	1,627
		Meals on Wheels	144	_	_	101	1,027
		Missalettes and Mass Books	19	_	_	_	19
			19,384	-	13,974	5,955	39,313
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			2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	(ii)	Donations and legacies					
		Donations and legacies	3,595	85	10	2,312	6,002
			3,595	85			
			3,373		10	2,312	6,002

3	Income - continued	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	Common fund	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	(ii) Donations and legacies - continued					
	Donations and legacies	3,948	622	85	70	4,725
		3,948	622	85	70	4,725
		2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	(iii) Income from other trading activities					
	Rent and Facilities Hire	2,836	**	-	-	2,836
	Fundraising Events	1,976	-	-	137	2,113
	Draws/Raffles	1,082	-	-	_	1,082
	Shop Sales	997	-	-	-	997
	Car Park Income	504	-	_	-	504
	Newsletter Advertising	70	-	-	-	70
	Sale of Graves	64	-	-	_	64
	Sale of Plaques	35		-	-	35
		7,564			137	7,701
		2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Rent and Facilities Hire	2,557	-	-	_	2,557
	Fundraising Events	2,148	_	_	164	2,312
	Draws/Raffles	860	-	_	-	860
	Shop Sales	967	-	-	-	967
	Car Park Income	441	-	-	-	441
	Newsletter Advertising	68	-	-	-	68
	Sale of Graves	144	-	-	-	144
	Sale of Plaques	40	-	<del>-</del>		40
		7,225	***	## ***	164	7,389

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In	come - continued	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
(iv	r) Income from other activities					
	Other income	1,273	3	41	3	1,320
		1,273	3	41	3	1,320
		Restated 2018 Parish funds €'000	Restated 2018 Clerical fund €'000	Restated 2018 Common fund €'000	Restated 2018 Share fund €'000	Restated 2018 Total funds €'000
	Other income	4,716	1	96	10	4,823
		4,716	1	96	10	4,823
		2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
(v)	Investment and other income					
	VAT Compensation Scheme	221	1	-	5	227
	Government Grants	206	-	-	-	206
	Investment Income	100	-	-	-	100
	Bank Interest Received	37	-	2	10	49
		564	1	2	15	582
		Restated 2018 Parish funds €'000	Restated 2018 Clerical fund €'000	Restated 2018 Common fund €'000	Restated 2018 Share fund €'000	Restated 2018 Total funds €'000
	Government Grants	208	-	-	-	208
	Investment Income	20	-	-	_	20
	Bank Interest Received	60	_	7	4	71
		288	-	7	4	299

4	An	alysis of expenditure	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	(i)	Expenditure on charitable activities					
		Payments to Beneficiaries - Charitable					
		Stipends to priests Nursing home, homecare	(55)	(193)	(10,439)	-	(10,687)
		costs and insurances Retired priests	-	(1,494)	(1,561) (965)	-	(3,055) (965)
		Other payments to priests	-	(35)	-	_	(35)
			(55)	(1,722)	(12,965)		(14,742)
		Staff Costs					
		Staff salaries	(7,464)	(113)	-	(1,046)	(8,623)
		Staff pension	(141)	(2)	-	(71)	(214)
		Other staff costs	(37)	(3)	-	(68)	(108)
			(7,642)	(118)	-	(1,185)	(8,945)
		Other Expenses					
		Church and premises costs Share contribution to	(16,345)	(222)	-	(173)	(16,740)
		diocesan parish support services				(4.100)	
		Depreciation	(3,052)	(152)	-	(4,122)	(4,122)
		Other expenses	(2,043)	(2)	(40)	(186) (18)	(3,390) (2,103)
		Professional fees	(906)	(9)	(1)	(8)	(924)
		Donations to third parties	(404)	-	(1)	(237)	(641)
		Contribution to Bishops'	( , , ,			(237)	(041)
		Conference	_	-	-	(636)	(636)
		Finance costs	(302)	-	(49)	(34)	(385)
		Support to central services	(254)	(30)	(80)		(364)
		IT costs	(357)	-	-	<u></u>	(357)
		Support to schools	(14)				(14)
			(23,677)	(415)	(170)	(5,414)	(29,676)
			(31,374)	(2,255)	(13,135)	(6,599)	(53,363)

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	alysis of expenditure - tinued	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
(i)	Expenditure on charitable activities - continued					
	Payments to Beneficiaries - Charitable					
	Stipends to priests Nursing home, homecare	(52)	(214)	(10,169)	-	(10,435)
	costs and insurances Retired priests	-	(1,462)	(1,597) (1,103)	-	(3,059) (1,103)
	Other payments to priests		(32)	•••	-	(32)
		(52)	(1,708)	(12,869)		(14,629)
	Staff Costs					
	Staff salaries	(7,228)	(61)	-	(1,132)	(8,421)
	Other staff costs	(45)	(3)	-	(157)	(205)
	Staff pension	(123)	(4)		(73)	(200)
		(7,396)	(68)	Extract City	(1,362)	(8,826)
	Other Expenses					
	Church and premises costs Share contribution to diocesan parish support	(17,043)	(313)	-	(286)	(17,642)
	services	-	-	-	(4,206)	(4,206)
	Depreciation as restated	(2,896)	(136)	-	(170)	(3,202)
	Other expenses	(1,991)	(9)	(59)	(37)	(2,096)
	Professional fees	(1,286)	(9)	-	(16)	(1,311)
	Donations to third parties Contribution to Bishops'	(437)	-	-	(245)	(682)
	Conference		-	-	(640)	(640)
	Finance costs	(391)	-	(52)	(35)	(478)
	Support to central services	(317)	(30)	(80)	-	(427)
	IT costs	(354)	-	-	-	(354)
	Support to schools	(38)		-		(38)
		(24,753)	(497)	(191)	(5,635)	(31,076)
		(32,201)	(2,273)	(13,060)	(6,997)	(54,531)

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Analysis of expenditure - continued	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
(ii) Expenditure on raising funds					
Cost of Sales - Shop	(415)	-	-	-	(415)
Draws/Raffles	(406)	-	-	-	(406)
Fundraising Event Costs	(257)		-	-	(257)
Meals on Wheels	(114)	_	-	-	(114)
Car Park Expenses Investment Management	(12)	-	-	-	(12)
Fees		(5)	(6)	-	(11)
	(1,204)	(5)	(6)	-	(1,215)
	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018
	Parish funds		Common fund	Share fund	Total funds
	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000
Cost of Sales - Shop	(383)	-	-	-	(383)
Draws/Raffles	(264)	-	-	-	(264)
Fundraising Event Costs	(602)	-	-	-	(602)
Meals on Wheels	(23)	-	-	-	(23)
Car Park Expenses Investment Management	(230)	-	-	-	(230)
Fees	(1)	(10)			(11)
	(1,503)	(10)	-	_	(1,513)
	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
Total Expenditure	(32,578)	(2,260)	(13,141)	(6,599)	(54,578)
	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
Total Expenditure	(33,704)	(2,283)	(13,060)	(6,997)	(56,044)

#### 5 Beneficiary and employee payments

Payments were made to 369 serving priests and 60 retired priests in 2019.

Analysis of staff numbers - 2019	Parish Funds	Share Fund	Total
Number of full and part time parish staff	533	-	533
Number of parish pastoral workers		20	20
	533	20	553

Payments were made to 374 serving priests and 69 retired priests in 2018.

Analysis of staff numbers - 2018	Parish Funds	Share Fund	Total
Number of full and part time parish staff	528	-	528
Number of parish pastoral workers	<u> </u>	22	22
	528	22	550

The analysis of staff numbers for the current and prior year as presented above represents the total number of staff employed during the year rather than the average number or the number employed at year end.

No employees were paid annual remuneration in excess of €70,000 during the period.

#### Key management personnel

The key management personnel of the Charity in charge of directing and controlling, running and operating the Charity on a day to day basis comprise the Parish Trustees, the Management Committees and the Co-ordinating Trustees.

Trustees including the Parish Trustees, the Management Committees and the Co-ordinating Trustees do not receive any remuneration by virtue of their positions as Trustees or key management personnel. Trustees who are Roman Catholic priests of the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin are remunerated by the Common Fund in the same way as priests who are not Trustees. No Trustees received any expenses in their capacity as Trustees or key management personnel during the year.

#### Defined benefit pension scheme

The Parish Pastoral Workers in the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin participate in a defined benefit pension plan (the Catholic Diocese of Dublin Pension Plan). See note 4 (i) staff costs. Details on the defined benefit scheme are included in the annual Financial Report of the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin CHY Number 1333 and CRA Number 20002022 Note 14 pages 37-39.

In accounting for the Catholic Diocese of Dublin Pension Plan under FRS 102 the full value of the Plan's assets and liabilities have been included in the financial statements of the related charity the Archdiocese of Dublin. As it is not possible to identify separately the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin's share of the underlying assets and liabilities in the Catholic Diocese of Dublin Pension Plan, Section 28 of FRS 102 provides that each employer participating in the scheme should treat the scheme as a defined contribution arrangement and recognise only the contributions payable each period in its statement of financial activities.

The accounting treatment being adopted does not change the nature of the arrangement. The funding responsibility of the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin under the Trust Deed and Rules to fund the Plan is unchanged. Contributions as determined by the Scheme Actuary continue to be payable from time to time to preserve the solvency of the fund. These contributions will be determined such that they cover the funding costs of the accrued benefits in the Plan.

6	Tangible assets	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund	2019 Common fund	2019 Share fund	2019 Total funds
	Land and Buildings	€ 000	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000
	Cost or Valuation					
	At 1 January 2019	212,517	7,251	-	9,039	228,807
	Transfers in	175	817	-	-	992
	Transfers out	(817)	(175)	-	-	(992)
	Additions	5,936	-	-	783	6,719
	Disposals	(4,953)	(251)	-	-	(5,204)
	At 31 December 2019	212,858	7,642	-	9,822	230,322
	Accumulated depreciation					
	At 1 January 2019	(91,034)	(1,987)	-	(3,805)	(96,826)
	Transfers in	(125)	(196)	_	(3,003)	(321)
	Transfers out	196	125	-	_	321)
	Charge for the year	(2,796)	(152)	_	(186)	(3,134)
	Disposals	908	128	-	(100)	1,036
	At 31 December 2019	(92,851)	(2,082)	-	(3,991)	(98,924)
	Net book value amount					
	At 1 January 2019	121,483	5,264	-	5,234	131,981
	At 31 December 2019	120,007	5,560	**************************************	5,831	131,398
	Computers, Fixtures and	2019	2019	2019	2010	
	Fittings	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund €'000		2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	Fittings	Parish funds	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	Total funds
	Fittings  Cost or Valuation	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	Total funds
	Fittings  Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	<b>Total funds €'000</b> 950
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	Total funds €'000
	Fittings  Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	<b>Total funds €'000</b> 950
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	<b>Total funds €'000</b> 950
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	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019	Parish funds €'000 950 501	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation	Parish funds €'000  950 501 - 1,451	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451 (346)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019	Parish funds €'000  950 501 - 1,451	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year	Parish funds €'000  950 501 - 1,451	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451 (346)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019	Parish funds €'000  950 501	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451 (346) (256)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019  Net book value amount	Parish funds €'000  950 501 1,451  (346) (256) (602)	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	Total funds €'000  950 501 - 1,451  (346) (256) - (602)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019  Net book value amount At 1 January 2019	Parish funds €'000  950 501	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451 (346) (256)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019  Net book value amount	Parish funds €'000  950 501 1,451  (346) (256) (602)	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501 - 1,451 (346) (256) - (602)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019  Net book value amount At 1 January 2019 At 31 December 2019	Parish funds €'000  950 501 1,451  (346) (256) (602)	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501  1,451 (346) (256)  (602)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019  Net book value amount At 1 January 2019	Parish funds €'000  950 501 1,451  (346) (256) (602)	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	950 501  1,451 (346) (256)  (602)
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2019 Additions Disposals At 31 December 2019  Accumulated depreciation At 1 January 2019 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2019  Net book value amount At 1 January 2019 At 31 December 2019  Total Tangible Assets	950 501 	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund €'000	950 501 - 1,451 (346) (256) - (602) 604 849

6	Tangible assets - continued	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Land and Buildings		2 000	0 000	C 000	C 000
	Cost or Valuation					
	At 1 January 2018	205,729	6,579		9,199	221,507
	Additions	7,137	950		-	8,087
	Disposals	(349)	(278)	-	(160)	(787)
	At 31 December 2018	212,517	7,251		9,039	228,807
	Accumulated depreciation					
	At 1 January 2018	(88,537)	(1,879)	-	(3,750)	(94,166)
	Charge for the year	(2,726)	(136)	-	(170)	(3,032)
	Disposals	229	28	_	115	372
	At 31 December 2018	(91,034)	(1,987)		(3,805)	(96,826)
	Net book value amount					
	At 1 January 2018	117,192	4,700	-	5,449	127,341
	At 31 December 2018	121,483	5,264	_	5,234	131,981
	Computers, Fixtures and Fittings	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Cook on Walnuthan					
	Cost or Valuation At 1 January 2018	604				<b></b>
	Additions	346	-	-	-	604
	Disposals	540	-	<u>-</u>	-	346
	Disposais					
	At 31 December 2018	950	-			950
	Accumulated depreciation					
	At 1 January 2018	(176)	-	-	_	(176)
	Charge for the year	(170)	-	-	-	(170)
	Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
	At 31 December 2018	(346)		-	-	(346)
	Night I and a second					
	Net book value amount At 1 January 2018	428		<u>.</u>	-	428
	At 31 December 2018	604			-	604
	Total Tangible Assets					
	At 1 January 2018	117,620	4,700	-	5,449	127,769
	At 31 December 2018	122,087	5,264	_	5,234	132,585
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1	Investments	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	The analysis of investments is as follows:					
	Absolute Return Products Bonds	510	3,307 1,268		773	4,788 1,778
	Equities		962		-	962
		510	5,537	708	773	7,528
		2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	The analysis of investments is as follows:					
	Absolute Return Products	-	2,997	1,171	1,151	5,319
	Bonds	360	1,200	-	-	1,560
	Equities		750	-	-	750
		360	4,947	1,171	1,151	7,629
		2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	The movement in quoted investments during the year was as follows:					
	Market value at 1 January 2019	360	4,947	1,171	1,151	7,629
	Additions	150	-	-	_	150
	Disposals	-	-	(575)	(489)	(1,064)
	Management fees	~	(10)	-	-	(10)
	Net realised gains/(losses)	-		21	16	37
	Net unrealised gains/(losses) Cash retained by Investment Manager	-	600	91	95	786
	Market value at 31 December 20	19 510	5,537	708	773	7 520
	market value at 31 December 20	12 210	3,337	/08		7,528

7	Investments - continued	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	The movement in quoted investments during the year was as follows:					
	Market value at 1 January 2018	-	5,272	678	1,275	7,225
	Additions	360	· •	552	- ,	912
	Disposals	_	(67)		(61)	(128)
	Management fees	-	(5)	-	-	(5)
	Net realised gains/(losses)	-	-	-	-	-
	Net unrealised gains/(losses)	_	(253)	(59)	(63)	(375)
	Cash retained by Investment Manager	-	_	-	-	-
	Market value at 31 December 201	8 360	4,947	1,171	1,151	7,629
8	Debtors	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	Receivables and prepayments	1,522	30	2,015	610	4,177
	Related party debtors (note 18) Amounts held by Diocese on	640	-	-,010	926	1,566
	behalf of parishes	502	_	_		502
	Other debtors	37	-	_	_	37
			20	2.015	1.526	
		2,701	30	2,015	1,536	6,282
		2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Receivables and prepayments	1,734	11	2,392	784	4,921
	Related party debtors (note 18) Amounts held by Diocese on	592	59	-	768	1,419
	behalf of parishes	435	-	_	_	435
	Other debtors	25	-	30	17	72
		2,786	70	2,422	1,569	6,847

9	Cash on deposit	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
Cash on	Cash on deposit	29,367		702	1,155	31,224
		29,367		702	1,155	31,224

Included in cash on deposit in Parish Funds is €12.7m held in the name of the Share Fund on behalf of Parish Funds.

	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
Cash on deposit	29,344		1,000	3,698	34,042
	29,344	Estimate de la constantina del constantina de la constantina del constantina de la c	1,000	3,698	34,042

Included in cash on deposit in Parish Funds is €12.2m held in the name of the Share Fund on behalf of Parish Funds.

10	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	Creditors and accruals Amounts held on behalf of	(2,687)	(148)	(226)	(45)	(3,106)
	priests	-	(3,025)	-	-	(3,025)
	Bank overdrafts	(2,869)	-	-	-	(2,869)
	Related party creditors (note 18) Trade creditors Amounts held on behalf of	(1,184) (961)	(5)	(78)	(585)	(1,852) (961)
	third parties	_	_		(925)	(025)
	Bank loans	(526)	_	-	(923)	(925) (526)
	Special collections	(229)	-	-	-	(229)
	•	(8,456)	(3,178)	(304)	(1,555)	(13,493)
		2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Creditors and accruals Amounts held on behalf of	Parish funds	Clerical fund	Common fund	Share fund	Total funds
	Creditors and accruals Amounts held on behalf of priests	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000	Share fund €'000	Total funds €'000 (3,397)
	Amounts held on behalf of	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund €'000	Common fund €'000	Share fund €'000	Total funds €'000
	Amounts held on behalf of priests	Parish funds €'000 (2,853)	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000 (362)	Share fund €'000 (121)	Total funds €'000 (3,397) (3,066) (3,781)
	Amounts held on behalf of priests Bank overdrafts	Parish funds €'000 (2,853)	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000	Share fund €'000	Total funds €'000 (3,397) (3,066) (3,781) (1,198)
	Amounts held on behalf of priests Bank overdrafts Related party creditors (note 18) Trade creditors Amounts held on behalf of	Parish funds €'000 (2,853) - (3,781) (898)	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000 (362)	Share fund €'000 (121)	Total funds €'000 (3,397) (3,066) (3,781)
	Amounts held on behalf of priests Bank overdrafts Related party creditors (note 18) Trade creditors Amounts held on behalf of third parties	Parish funds €'000 (2,853) - (3,781) (898) (1,148)	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000 (362)	Share fund €'000 (121)	Total funds €'000 (3,397) (3,066) (3,781) (1,198) (1,148) (925)
	Amounts held on behalf of priests Bank overdrafts Related party creditors (note 18) Trade creditors Amounts held on behalf of third parties Bank loans	Parish funds €'000 (2,853) - (3,781) (898) (1,148)	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000 (362)	Share fund €'000 (121)	Total funds €'000 (3,397) (3,066) (3,781) (1,198) (1,148) (925) (733)
	Amounts held on behalf of priests Bank overdrafts Related party creditors (note 18) Trade creditors Amounts held on behalf of third parties	Parish funds €'000 (2,853) - (3,781) (898) (1,148)	Clerical fund €'000 (61)	Common fund €'000 (362)	Share fund €'000 (121)	Total funds €'000 (3,397) (3,066) (3,781) (1,198) (1,148) (925)

11	Creditors: amounts falling due after one year	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	Bank Term Loans	(1,002)	WY/Massistic and a			(1,002)
		2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Bank Term Loans	(1,585)		-	-	(1,585)
	Borrowings are repayable as fo	llows:				
	Bank term loans	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
	Between one and two years Between two and five years After five years	(372) (610) (20) (1,002)	-	- - - - - - -	-	(372) (610) (20) (1,002)
	On demand or within one year	(526) (1,528)	-			(526) (1,528)
		2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Between one and two years Between two and five years After five years	(557) (808) (220) (1,585)		- - - - - -	-	(557) (808) (220) (1,585)
	On demand or within one year	(733) (2,318)				(733) (2,318)

# 11 Creditors: amounts falling due after one year - continued

Bank term loan interest rates at 31 December 2019 are as follows:

Parish	Fixed/Variable	Interest Rate
Balbriggan	Variable	0.375%
Ballinteer	Fixed	2.250%
Ballyfermot	Variable	2.680%
Glasthule	Variable	2.680%
High Street	Variable	0.375%
Inchicore St Michael's	Variable	2.750%
Kilbride	Fixed	3.420%
Marley Grange	Variable	2.750%
Monkstown	Fixed	2.700%
ProCathedral	Fixed	2.680%
Saggart	Variable	3.430%
Sallynoggin	Variable	2.680%
Westland Row	Fixed	2.690%

With regards to the term loans and overdrafts, a global facility is in place with Allied Irish Bank and Bank of Ireland to ensure that Parishes can avail of term loans or overdrafts where required. There are no securities held over the assets of the Parishes of the Diocese of Dublin on these bank loans. The repayment of each bank loan is the sole responsibility of the individual parish. A contingent liability is recognised in the related charity the Archdiocese of Dublin as a guarantor over the loans as required by the loan facilities.

### 12 Reconciliation of net

income/(expenditure) to net cash flow from operating activities	2019 Parish funds €'000	2019 Clerical fund €'000	2019 Common fund €'000	2019 Share fund €'000	2019 Total funds €'000
Net income/(expenditure) for					
the reporting year before gains					
and transfers	(1,160)	(2,171)	562	2,419	(350)
Cash transfers	1,406	1,933	(1,933)	(1,406)	· · ·
Dividend, interest and rent					
from investments	(100)	-	-	-	(100)
Depreciation	3,052	152	-	186	3,390
Investment Management Fees	-	5	6	-	11
(Increase)/decrease in debtors	85	40	407	33	565
Increase/(decrease) in					
creditors	(126)	51	(296)	447	76
Increase/(decrease) in long term creditors	(583)	_	EMPERAL A SALAMONIA III.	-	(583)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	2,574	10	(1,254)	1,679	3,009

12	Reconciliation of net					
	income/(expenditure) to net cash flow from operating Activities - continued	2018 Parish funds €'000	2018 Clerical fund €'000	2018 Common fund €'000	2018 Share fund €'000	2018 Total funds €'000
	Net income/(expenditure) for the reporting year before gains					
	and transfers	1,857	(1,660)	1,102	(794)	505
	Cash transfers	2,188	1,707	(1,707)	(2,188)	-
	Dividend, interest and rent					
	from investments	(288)	-	(7)	(4)	(299)
	Depreciation	2,896	136	<del>-</del>	170	3,202
	Investment Management Fees	1	10	-		11
	(Increase)/decrease in debtors	(320)	417	279	1,262	1,638
	Increase/(decrease) in creditors	1,101	(781)	(404)	(65)	(149)
	Increase/(decrease) in long term creditors	(736)	-	-	-	(736)
	Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	6,699	(171)	(737)	(1,619)	4,172
13	Reconciliation of net cash	2019	2019	2019	2019	2019
	flow to movement in net debt	Parish funds €'000	Clerical fund €'000	Common fund €'000	Share fund €'000	Total funds €'000
	Long-term borrowings					
	Opening balance	(1,585)	_	_	-	(1,585)
	Cash flows	583	-	-	_	583
	Acquisition	-	-	-	-	-
	Other changes	-	-	-	-	-
	Closing balance	(1,002)	-	-	-	(1,002)
	Short-term borrowings					
	Opening balance	(4,514)	_	-	-	(4,514)
	Cash flows	1,119	-	-	-	1,119
	Acquisition	-	-	-	-	<u>-</u>
	Other changes					-
	Closing balance	(3,395)	-	-	_	(3,395)
	Finance lease and hire purchase					
	Opening balance	-	_	_	_	_
	Cash flows	_	-	_	_	_
	Acquisition	-	_	-	_	<u></u>
	Other changes	-		-	_	-
	Closing balance	-	-	**	**	_
	m . 1 P 1 W 2					
	Total liabilities from financing activities	(4,397)	-	_	-	(4,397)

#### 14 Transfers between Funds

The transfer between funds of €1.9m (2018: €1.7m) relates to a contribution from the common fund to the clerical fund to meet the costs of the beneficiaries in the clerical fund.

The transfer of funds between the parishes and the share fund of €1.4m (2018: €2.2m) relates mainly to subventions to certain parishes from the Share Fund for building projects or operating costs.

#### 15 Total Funds

	2019	2018
Total Funds can be analysed as follows:	€'000	€'000
Parish Funds	175,832	169,559
Share Fund	15,562	14,438
Clerical Fund	9,656	8,117
Common Fund	4,633	5,886
Total Funds	205,683	198,000
Included in the total Share Fund are amounts designated for the following purposes:	€'000	€'000
Building and maintenance fund for parishes in need of support	3,956	4,181
<ul> <li>Fund for the payments for the salaries of pastoral workers</li> </ul>	2,498	994
	6,454	5,175

#### 16 Events after the end of the reporting period

Due to COVID-19 churches closed for public worship. This resulted in parish income being severely impacted as their main source of income comes from the family offering collections at weekend masses. Collection income for the Charity reduced by almost 80% in a three-month period. Numbers attending Masses were restricted to 50 people when churches re-opened for worship on 29<sup>th</sup> June. Churches in Dublin were subsequently closed again indefinitely in September and churches in the rest of the Diocese were closed indefinitely in October. There is little room for optimism that support for the Charity will be restored to pre- March 2020 levels. This resulted in a range of restructuring measures being considered in an attempt to minimise the long-term impact of the pandemic, which came after years of steady decline in financial support for the charity.

There have been no other significant events affecting the Charity since the year end.

#### 17 Capital commitments

Capital commitments relating to ongoing capital expenditure projects amounted to €2.0m at 31 December 2019 (2018: €2.5m).

#### 18 Related party transactions

Transactions between the Parish Funds, the Common Fund, the Share Fund and the Clerical Fund are eliminated in the Statement of Financial Activities but interfund balances in the Balance Sheet are not eliminated and are reflected in Related Party Debtors and Creditors.

Included in related party debtors at 31 December 2019 in note 8 are the following balances:

- €358,000 internal balance due to the Pastoral Services fund from the Share Fund (2018: €Nil)
- €319,000 internal balance owed to parish funds from the common fund (2018: €288,000)
- €272,400 owed to the share fund from the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin (2018: €718,000)
- €193,000 internal balances due to the Share Fund relating mainly to share subventions paid to parishes by the Share Fund on behalf of the Share Building Fund (2018: €Nil)
- €190,000 owed to parish funds from the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin (2018: €204,000)
- €93,000 owed to Halston Street parish from the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin (2018: €93,000)
- €50,000 loan from the share fund to Garristown parish (2018: €50,000)
- €50,000 donations due to Pastoral Services Fund from the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin (2018: €Nil)
- €33,000 owed to Westland Row Parish from the share fund (2018: €Nil)
- €5,200 owed to Castledermot parish from a school in the parish (2018: €6,400)
- €2,400 internal balance owed to the share fund from the common fund (2018: €Nil)
- €Nil internal balance owed to the clerical fund from the common fund (2018: €57,000)
- €Nil owed to the clerical fund from Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin (2018: €2,600)

Included in related party creditors at 31 December 2019 in note 10 are the following balances:

- €834,500 internal balance owed to the common fund from parish funds (2018: €584,000)
- €551,000 internal balances due to the Share Fund for subventions to parishes paid by the Share Fund on behalf of the Share Building Fund (2018: €Nil)
- €140,000 internal balance owed to the share fund from parish funds (2018: €97,000)
- €101,000 in loans from the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin to various parishes (2018: €102,000)
- €73,000 internal balance owed to parish funds by the common fund (2018: €178,000)
- €50,000 loan from the share fund to Garristown parish (2018: €50,000)
- €44,000 in loans from priests in the parishes to various parishes (2018: €49,000)
- €32,000 Share Pastoral Services Fund owes this balance at the year end to the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin relating to parish pastoral workers' salaries (2018: €Nil)
- €15,000 loan from the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart Order to Killinarden parish (2018: €15,000)
- €4,900 owed to the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin by the clerical fund (2018: €Nil)
- €2,400 internal balance owed to the share fund by the common fund (2018: €Nil)
- €2,300 owed to the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin by the share fund (2018: €36,000)
- €1,900 owed to the Charities of the Archdiocese of Dublin by the common fund (2018: €3,000)
- €Nil internal balance owed to the clerical fund by the common fund (2018: €57,000)
- €Nil owed to the World Meeting of Families 2018 by the share fund (2018: €27,000)

# 19 Statement of Financial Activities Analysis by Fund

		2019 Parish Funds	2019 Clerical Fund	2019 Common Fund	2019 Share Fund	2019 Total Restricted Funds
	Notes	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000
Income and endowments from: Income from charitable						
activities	3(i)	18,422	-	13,650	6,551	38,623
Donations and legacies Income from other trading	3(ii)	3,595	85	10	2,312	6,002
activity Income earned from other	3(iii)	7,564	-	-	137	7,701
activity Investment and other	3(iv)	1,273	3	41	3	1,320
income	3(v)	564	1	2	15	582
Total		31,418	89	13,703	9,018	54,228
Expenditure on: Expenditure on charitable						
activities	4(i)	(31,374)	(2,255)	(13,135)	(6,599)	(53,363)
Cost of raising funds	4(ii)	(1,204)	(5)	(6)	_	(1,215)
Total		(32,578)	(2,260)	(13,141)	(6,599)	(54,578)
Net gains on						
investments		85	600	118	111	914
Net income/(expenditure)		(1,075)	(1,571)	680	2,530	564
Transfers between funds		1,406	1,933	(1,933)	(1,406)	
Net income/(expenditure) before gains		331	362	(1,253)	1,124	564
Other recognised gains Gains on disposal of tangible assets		5,942	1,177	-	-	7,119
Other gains			1.520	(1.052)	1.104	
Net movement in funds		6,273	1,539	(1,253)	1,124	7,683
<b>Reconciliation of funds</b> Total funds brought						
forward	15	169,559	8,117	5,886	14,438	198,000
Total funds carried forward		175,832	9,656	4,633	15,562	205,683

# 19 Statement of Financial Activities Analysis by Fund - continued

		2018 Parish Funds	2018 Clerical Fund	2018 Common Fund	2018 Share Fund	2018 Total Restricted
	Notes	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	Funds €'000
Income and endowments from: Income from charitable						
activities	3(i)	19,384	-	13,974	5,955	39,313
Donations and legacies Income from other trading	3(ii)	3,948	622	85	70	4,725
activity Income earned from other	3(iii)	7,225	-	-	164	7,389
activity Investment and other	3(iv)	4,716	1	96	10	4,823
income	3(v)	288	-	7	4	299
Total		35,561	623	14,162	6,203	56,549
Expenditure on: Expenditure on charitable	472	(22.201)	(2.272)			
activities Cost of raising funds	4(i) 4(ii)	(32,201) (1,503)	(2,273) (10)	(13,060)	(6,997)	(54,531) (1,513)
Total		(33,704)	(2,283)	(13,060)	(6,997)	(56,044)
Net losses on investments		(42)	(253)	(59)	(63)	(417)
Net income/(expenditure)		1,815	(1,913)	1,043	(857)	88
Transfers between funds		2,188	1,707	(1,707)	(2,188)	-
Net income/(expenditure) before gains		4,003	(206)	(664)	(3,045)	88
Other recognised gains Gains on disposal of tangible assets		2,632	62	_	487	3,181
Other gains		2,032	-	<del>-</del>	407	3,161
Net movement in funds		6,635	(144)	(664)	(2,558)	3,269
Reconciliation of funds Total funds brought						
forward as restated	15	162,924	8,261	6,550	16,996	194,731
Total funds carried forward		169,559	8,117	5,886	14,438	198,000

## 20 Balance Sheet Analysis by Fund

		2019 Parish Funds	2019 Clerical Fund	2019 Common Fund	2019 Share Fund	2019 Total Restricted Funds
	Notes	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000
Fixed assets						
Tangible assets	6	120,856	5,560	-	5,831	132,247
Investments	7	510	5,537	708	773	7,528
<b>Total Fixed assets</b>		121,366	11,097	708	6,604	139,775
Current assets						
Debtors	8	2,701	30	2,015	1,536	6,282
Cash on deposit	9	29,367	-	702	1,155	31,224
Cash at hand and in bank		31,856	1,707	1,512	7,822	42,897
Total current assets		63,924	1,737	4,229	10,513	80,403
Liabilities						
Creditors: amounts falling						
due within one year	10	(8,456)	(3,178)	(304)	(1,555)	(13,493)
Net current assets		55,468	(1,441)	3,925	8,958	66,910
Total assets less current liabilities		176,834	0.656	4 622	15.562	206 685
nabinties		170,034	9,656	4,633	15,562	206,685
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one						
year	11	(1,002)	-	-		(1,002)
Total funds carried forward	15	175,832	9,656	4,633	15,562	205,683

# 20 Balance Sheet Analysis by Fund - continued

		2018 Parish Funds	2018 Clerical Fund	2018 Common Fund	2018 Share Fund	2018 Total Restricted
	Notes	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	Funds €'000
Fixed assets						
Tangible assets	6	122,087	5,264	-	5,234	132,585
Investments	7	360	4,947	1,171	1,151	7,629
Total Fixed assets		122,447	10,211	1,171	6,385	140,214
Current assets						
Debtors	8	2,786	70	2,422	1,569	6,847
Cash on deposit	9	29,344	-	1,000	3,698	34,042
Cash at hand and in bank		26,268	963	1,893	3,894	33,018
Total current assets		58,398	1,033	5,315	9,161	73,907
Liabilities						
Creditors: amounts falling						
due within one year	10	(9,701)	(3,127)	(600)	(1,108)	(14,536)
Net current assets		48,697	(2,094)	4,715	8,053	59,371
Total assets less current						
liabilities		171,144	8,117	5,886	14,438	199,585
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one						
year	11	(1,585)				(1,585)
Total funds carried forward	15	169,559	8,117	5,886	14,438	198,000

# 21 Statement of Cash Flows Analysis by Fund

		2019 Parish Funds	2019 Clerical Fund	2019 Common Fund	2019 Share Fund	2019 Total Restricted Funds
	Notes	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	12	2,574	10	(1,254)	1,679	3,009
Investing activities: Dividends, interest and rent from investments Proceeds from sale of		100	-	-	-	100
property, plant and equipment		9,910	734	-	_	10,644
Purchase of property, plant and equipment Proceeds from sale of		(6,437)	-	-	(783)	(7,220)
investments Purchase of		-	-	575	489	1,064
investments		(150)	**	-	-	(150)
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities		3,423	734	575	(294)	4,438
Net cash provided by/(used in) financing activities		-	-	<b></b>	-	-
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting year		5,997	744	(679)	1,385	7,447
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting year Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting		51,831	963	2,893	7,592	63,279
year		57,828	1,707	2,214	8,977	70,726

# 21 Statement of Cash Flows Analysis by Fund - continued

		2018 Parish Funds	2018 Clerical Fund	2018 Common Fund	2018 Share Fund	2018 Total Restricted
	Notes	€'000	€'000	€'000	€'000	Funds €'000
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	12	6,699	(171)	(737)	(1,619)	4,172
Investing activities: Dividends, interest and rent from investments Proceeds from sale of		288	-	7	4	299
property, plant and equipment Purchase of property, plant		2,709	307	-	532	3,548
and equipment Proceeds from sale of		(7,483)	(950)	-	-	(8,433)
investments Purchase of		(360)	67	(552)	61	(012)
investments  Net cash provided		(300)	**************************************	(332)		(912)
by/(used in) investing activities		(4,846)	(576)	(545)	597	(5,370)
Net cash provided by/(used in) financing activities			-	-	-	_
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting year		1,853	(747)	(1,282)	(1,022)	(1,198)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting year Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting		49,978	1,710	4,175	8,614	64,477
year		51,831	963	2,893	7,592	63,279

## 22 Approval of financial statements

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 28 September 2020.

# APPENDIX - List of Parishes and Parish Trustees at 28 September 2020

The list of 197 parishes operating in the Archdiocese of Dublin and the Parish Trustees as at 28 September 2020 is as follows:

\* This list includes the 8 Order Parishes.

	Parish	Name of Parish Trustees
1.	Ardlea	V. Rev. Hugh Hanley, S.C.J., Moderator
2.	Arklow	V. Rev. Pádraig Ó Cochláin, Moderator
3.	Artane	V. Rev. Peter O'Reilly, Administrator
4.	Ashford	V. Rev. Eamonn Crosson, Administrator
5.	Athy	V. Rev. Liam Rigney, Parish Priest
6.	Aughrim	V Rev. Padraig O Cochlain, Moderator
7.	Aughrim Street	V. Rev. Patrick Madden, Administrator
8.	Avoca	V. Rev. Pádraig Ó Cochláin, Moderator
9.	Ayrfield	V. Rev. Gerard Corcoran, Moderator
10.	Balally	V. Rev. John Canon Delany, Moderator
11.	Balbriggan	V. Rev. John Canon McNamara, Parish Priest
12.	Baldoyle	V. Rev. Gerard Tanham, Moderator
13.	Ballinteer	V. Rev. Liam Belton, Moderator
14.	Ballyboden	V. Rev. John Hughes, O.S.A., Parish Priest
15.	Ballybrack - Killiney	V. Rev. Tom Dalzell, Moderator
16.	Ballyfermot	V. Rev. Adrian Egan, CSSr, Parish Priest
17.	Ballyfermot Upper	V. Rev. Piaras MacLochlainn, Administrator
18.	Ballygall	V. Rev. Richard Sheehy, Moderator
19.	Ballymore Eustace	V. Rev. Joe Connolly, Administrator
20.	Ballymun Road	V. Rev. Richard Sheehy, Moderator
21.	Ballymun St. Pappin's	V. Rev. Declan Blake, Moderator
22.	Ballyroan	V. Rev. Martin Canon Cosgrove, Moderator
23.	Bawnogue	V. Rev. Damian Farnon, Moderator
24.	Bayside	V. Rev. Peter Finnerty, Administrator
25.	Beaumont	V. Rev. Paul Kenny, Moderator
26.	Beechwood Avenue	V. Rev. Paul Taylor, Administrator
27.	Berkeley Road	V. Rev. Martin McDonald, O.C.D., Parish Priest
28.	Blackrock	V. Rev. Peter O'Connor, Administrator
29.	Blakestown	V. Rev. Joe Coyne, Moderator
30.	Blanchardstown	V. Rev. Cyril Mangan, Administrator
31.	Blessington	V. Rev. Richard Behan, Parish Priest
32.	Bluebell	V. Rev Leo Philomin, OMI, Moderator
33.	Bohernabreena	V. Rev. Michael Hurley, Administrator
34.	Bonnybrook	V. Rev. Joe Jones, Moderator
35.	Booterstown	V. Rev. Gerry Kane, Parish Priest
36.	Brackenstown	V. Rev. Michael Carey, Moderator
37.	Bray (Ballywaltrim)	V. Rev. Laurence Behan, Moderator
38.	Bray (Holy Redeemer)	V. Rev. Laurence Behan, Moderator
39.	Bray (St. Peter's)	V. Rev. Laurence Behan, Moderator
40.	Bray, Putland Road	V. Rev. Laurence Behan, Moderator
41.	Brookfield	V. Rev. Patrick McKinley, Moderator
42.	Cabinteely	V. Rev. Aquinas Duffy, Acting Moderator
43.	Cabra	V. Rev. Patrick F. Canon Carroll, Moderator
44.	Cabra West	V. Rev. Patrick F. Canon Carroll, Moderator
45.	Castledermot	V. Rev. Aidan Kieran, Administrator
46.	Castleknock	V. Rev. Kieran Coghlan, Moderator
47.	Castletown	V. Rev. Pádraig Ó Cochláin, Moderator
48.	Castleview	V. Rev. Michael Murphy, Administrator
49.	Celbridge	V. Rev. Joe McDonald, Parish Priest
50.	Chapelizod	V. Rev. Sean Mundow, Administrator

# APPENDIX – List of Parishes and Parish Trustees at 28 September 2020 - continued

	Parish	Name of Parish Trustees
51.	Cherry Orchard	V. Rev. Michael Murtagh, C.Ss.R., Parish Priest
52.	Churchtown	V. Rev. Martin Canon Cosgrove, Moderator
53.	City Quay	V. Rev. Pearse Walsh, Administrator
54.	Clogher Road	V. Rev. Tony O'Shaughnessy, Moderator
55.	Clondalkin	V. Rev. Damian Farnon, Moderator
56.	Clonskeagh	V. Rev. Joe Mullan, Moderator
57.	Clontarf (St. Anthony's)	V. Rev. Martin Hogan, Moderator
58.	Clontarf (St. John's)	V. Rev. Martin Hogan, Moderator
59.	Confey	Vacant
60.	Coolock	V. Rev. Edwin McCallion, S.M., Parish Priest
61.	Corduff	V. Rev. Liam McClarey, S.A.C., Parish Priest
62.	Crumlin	V. Rev. Tony O'Shaughnessy, Moderator
63.	Dalkey	V. Rev. Patrick Devitt, Administrator
64.	Darndale-Belcamp	
65.	Deansrath	V. Rev. Eduardo Nunez Yepez, O.M.I., Parish Priest V. Rev. Damian Farnon, Moderator
66.	Dollymount	
67.	Dolphin's Barn/Rialto	V. Rev. Martin Hogan, Moderator
68. *	Dominick Street	V. Rev. Fergal McDonagh, Administrator
69.	Donabate	V. Rev. John Walsh, O.P., Parish Priest
70.		Rev. Patrick Reilly, O.Praem, Parish Priest
71.	Donaghmede	V. Rev. Gerard Corcoran, Moderator
72.	Donnybrook	V. Rev. Monsignor Ciaran O'Carroll, Administrator
	Donnycarney	V. Rev. John Ennis, Administrator
73.	Donore Avenue	V. Rev. David Corrigan, S.M., Parish Priest
74.	Drumcondra	V. Rev. Richard Sheehy, Moderator
75.	Dún Laoghaire	V. Rev. Paul Tyrrell, Parish Priest
76.	Dundrum	V. Rev. Liam Belton, Moderator
77.	Dunlavin	V. Rev. Douglas Malone, Administrator
78.	Eadestown	V. Rev. Micéal Comer, Administrator
79.	East Wall	V. Rev. Richard Shannon, Administrator
80.	Edenmore	V. Rev. Gerard Corcoran, Moderator
81.	Enniskerry/Kilmacanogue	V. Rev. Laurence Behan, Moderator
82.	Esker/Doddsboro Adamstown	V. Rev. John Hassett, Moderator
83.	Fairview	V. Rev. Maximilian McKeown, O.F.M. Conv., Parish Priest
84.	Finglas	V. Rev. Richard Hyland, Parish Priest
85.	Finglas West	V. Rev. Éamann Cahill, Parish Priest
86.	Firhouse	V. Rev. Peter J. Reilly, Administrator
87.	Foxrock	V. Rev. Aquinas Duffy, Acting Moderator
88.	Francis Street	V. Rev. Martin Dolan, Administrator
89. *	Gardiner Street	V. Rev. Gerard Clarke, S.J., Parish Priest
90.	Garristown	V. Rev. Derek Farrell, Moderator
91.	Glasnevin	V. Rev. Richard Sheehy, Moderator
92.	Glasthule	V. Rev. Paul Tyrrell, Parish Priest
93.	Glendalough	V. Rev. Derek Doyle, Moderator
94.	Grange Park	V. Rev. Gerard Corcoran, Moderator
95.	Greenhills	V. Rev. Raphael Annan, C.S.Sp., Moderator
96.	Greystones	V. Rev. John Daly, Parish Priest
97.	Haddington Road	V. Rev. Fachtna McCarthy, Administrator
98.	Halston Street	V. Rev. Martin Bennett, OFM Cap, Parish Priest
99.	Harold's Cross	V. Rev. Alex Conlan, Parish Priest
100.	Harrington Street	V. Rev. Gerard Deighan, Administrator
101.	Hartstown	V. Rev. Joe Coyne, Moderator
102.	Howth	V. Rev. Gerard Tanham, Moderator
103.	Huntstown	V. Rev. Joe Coyne, Moderator
104.*	Inchicore (Mary Immaculate)	V. Rev. Leo Philomin, OMI, Moderator
105.	Inchicore (St. Michael's)	V. Rev. Leo Philomin, OMI, Moderator

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***	Parish	Name of Parish Trustees
106.	Iona Road	V. Rev. Richard Sheehy, Moderator
107.	James's Street	V. Rev. Eugene Taaffe, Parish Priest
108.	Jobstown	V. Rev. Patrick McKinley, Moderator
109.	Johnstown/Killiney	V. Rev. Aquinas Duffy, Acting Moderator
110.	Kilbarrack-Foxfield	V. Rev. Peter Finnerty, Administrator
111.	Kilbride & Barndarrig	V. Rev. Joe Doran, Administrator
112.	Kilcullen	V. Rev. Niall Mackey, Administrator
113.	Killester	V. Rev. Liam O'Cuiv, E.V., Administrator
114.	Killinarden	V. Rev. Fintan O'Driscoll, M.S.C., Parish Priest
115.	Kill-O-The Grange	V. Rev Michael O'Connor, Administrator
116.	Kilmacud	V. Rev. Joe Mullan, Moderator
117.	Kilmore Road West	V. Rev. Paul Kenny, Moderator
118.	Kilnamanagh	V. Rev. Michael Murphy, Administrator
119.	Kilquade	V. Rev. John Daly, Parish Priest
120.*	Kimmage Manor	V. Rev. Raphael Annan, C.S.Sp., Moderator
121.	Kinsealy	
122.	Knocklyon	V. Rev. Kevin Moore, Moderator
123.	Larkhill-Whitehall	V. Rev. Martin Paravookaran, O.Carm., Parish Priest V. Rev. Paul Kenny, Moderator
124.	Laurel Lodge	
124.	Leixlip	V. Rev. Kieran Coghlan, Moderator
123. 126.		V. Rev. Gregory O'Brien, Parish Priest
	Loughlinstown	V. Rev. Tom Dalzell, Moderator
127.	Lucan	V. Rev. John Hassett, Moderator
128.	Lucan South	V. Rev. John Hassett, Moderator
129.	Lusk	V. Rev. George Begley, Administrator
130.	Malahide	V. Rev. Kevin Moore, Moderator
131.	Marino	V. Rev. Thomas Noone, Parish Priest
132.	Marley Grange	V. Rev. Jim Mulherin, O.S.M., Parish Priest
133.	Maynooth	V. Rev. Frank McEvoy, Administrator
134.	Meadowbrook	V. Rev. Liam Belton, Moderator
135.	Meath St. & Merchant's Quay	V. Rev. Niall Coghlan, O.S.A., Parish Priest
136.	Merrion Road	V. Rev. Fergus O'Connor, Parish Priest
137.	Milltown	V. Rev. Msgr. Peter Briscoe, Administrator
138.	Monkstown	V. Rev. Kevin Rowan, Parish Priest
139.	Moone	V. Rev. Liam Rigney, Parish Priest
140.*	Mount Argus	V. Rev. Paul Francis Spencer, C.P., Parish Priest
141.	Mount Merrion	V. Rev. Joe Mullan, Moderator
142.	Mountview	V. Rev. Joe Coyne, Moderator
143.	Mourne Road	V. Rev. Tony O'Shaughnessy, Moderator
144.	Mulhuddart	Rt. Rev. Msgr. Eoin Thynne, Administrator
145.	Narraghmore	V. Rev. Liam Rigney, Parish Priest
146.	Naul	V. Rev. Derek Farrell, Moderator
147.	Navan Road	V. Rev. John O'Brien, Administrator
148.	Neilstown	V. Rev. Damian Farnon, Moderator
149.	Newcastle	V. Rev. John Gilligan, Moderator
150.	Newtownpark	V. Rev. Dermot Leycock, Parish Priest
151.	North Wall – Seville Place	V. Rev. Robert Colclough, Administrator
152.	North William Street	V. Rev. Brendan Kealy, Administrator
153.	Palmerstown	V. Rev. Anthony O'Reilly, Administrator
54.*	Phibsborough	V. Rev. Patrick F. Canon Carroll, Moderator
155.	Porterstown-Clonsilla	V. Rev. Paul Ward, Administrator
156.	Portmarnock	V. Rev. Kevin Moore, Moderator
157.	Priorswood	V. Rev Bryan Shortall, OFM Cap, Parish Priest
158.	Pro Cathedral	V. Rev. Kieran McDermott, Administrator
159.	Raheny	V. Rev. Michael Cullen, Administrator  V. Rev. Michael Cullen, Administrator
160.	Rathdrum	V. Rev. Derek Doyle, Moderator

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161.	Rathfarnham	V. Rev. Martin Canon Cosgrove, Moderator
162.	Rathgar	V. Rev. Paul Taylor, Parish Priest
163.	Rathmines	V. Rev. Andrew O'Sullivan, Administrator
164.	Rialto/Dolphin's Barn	V. Rev. Fergal McDonagh, Administrator
165.	Ringsend	V. Rev. Ivan Tonge, Parish Priest
166.	Rivermount	V. Rev. Seamus Ahearne, O.S.A., Parish Priest
167.	Rivervalley	V. Rev. Michael Carey, Moderator
168.	Rolestown	V. Rev. Derek Farrell, Moderator
169.	Roundwood	V. Rev. Derek Doyle, Moderator
170.	Rowlagh	V. Rev. Damian Farnon, Moderator
171.	Rush	V. Rev. Kevin Bartley, Administrator
172.	Saggart	V. Rev. John Gilligan, Moderator
173.	Sallynoggin	V. Rev. Padraig Gleeson, Administrator
174.	Sandyford	V. Rev. John Canon Delany, Moderator
175.	Sandymount	V. Rev. John McDonagh, Parish Priest
176.	Sean McDermott Street	V. Rev. Michael Casey, S.D.B., Administrator
177.	Shankill	V. Rev. John O'Connor, S.A.C., Parish Priest
178.	Skerries	V. Rev. Melvyn Mullins, Parish Priest
179.	Springfield	V. Rev. Patrick McKinley, Moderator
180.	Sruleen	V. Rev. Damian Farnon, Moderator
181.	Sutton	V. Rev. Gerard Tanham, Moderator
182.	Swords	V. Rev. Michael Carey, Moderator
183.	Tallaght (St. Aengus)	V. Rev. Benedict Moran, O.P., Parish Priest
184.	Tallaght (St. Dominic's)	V. Rev. Laurence Collins, O.P., Administrator
185.	Tallaght (St. Martin de Porres)	V. Rev. Michael Hurley, Administrator
186.*	Tallaght (St. Mary's)	V. Rev. Donal Roche, O.P., Administrator
187.	Templeogue	V. Rev. Gerry Moore, Parish Priest
188.	Terenure	V. Rev. Philip Bradley, Administrator
189.	Travelling People	V. Rev. Paul O'Driscoll, Parish Priest
190.	University Church	V. Rev. Enda Cunningham, Administrator
191.	Valleymount	V. Rev. Richard Behan, Parish Priest
192.	Walkinstown	V. Rev. Paul St. John, S.V.D., Administrator
193.	Westland Row	V. Rev. Enda Cunningham, Administrator
194.*	Whitefriar Street	V. Rev. Seán MacGiollarnath, O.Carm., Parish Priest
195.	Wicklow	V. Rev. Donal Roche, Administrator
196.	Willington	V. Rev. Brendan Madden, Parish Priest
197.	Yellow Walls	V. Rev. Kevin Moore, Moderator