Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate)

Report and Accounts

31 December 2015



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Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) Legal and administrative information

Trustees

Rev Michael Corcoran MHM (Appointed 01/09/2015)

Rev Desmond McGillicuddy MHM (Appointed 01/09/2015)

Rev Anthony Chantry MHM (Retired 01/09/2015) Rev Bernard Fox MHM (Retired 05/05/2016) Bro John Smith MHM (Retired 01/09/2015)

Rev Thaddeus de Deckere MHM (Retired 01/09/2015) Rev Andres Agreiter MHM (Retired 01/09/2015) Rev Brendan Mullhall MHM (Retired 05/05/2016

Bro Jos Boerkamp MHM

Rev Andrew Mukulu MHM (Appointed 01/05/2016) Rev Jimmy Lindero MHM (Appointed 01/05/2016)

Principle address

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Charity registration numbers

Charity 1148980 Company 00487520

Auditors

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Investment managers

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Bankers

Royal Bank of Scotland plc 62-63 Threadneedle Street

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Solicitors

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The Trustee presents the statutory report with the accounts of the Trusts for the year ended 31 December 2015

INTRODUCTION

St. Joseph's Society for Foreign Missions was founded in 1866 by Cardinal Herbert Vaughan at Mill Hill in London. The Society is an "international fellowship of Missionaries", dedicated to the work of evangelisation, to the building up of young Churches, and to the assisting of Churches in special need outside our home regions. Members of the Society are expected to leave their own country and culture and to be involved in pioneering areas of evangelisation. In December 2006 the Society's Generalate moved from Mill Hill to Maidenhead following the sale of St. Joseph's College in Mill Hill which traditionally had been the principal training centre of the Society. Because of its historical foundation the Society and its members are known as the Mill Hill Missionaries.

The Society is organised into three Missions: the Europe and North America Mission (comprising Great Britain, The Netherlands, Ireland, The United States, and the German Speaking Region, encompassing houses in Italy and Austria), the Africa Mission and the Asia Mission. Until recently it has drawn the majority of its members from Europe and North America. Today there are many candidates from East Africa, Cameroon, Congo, India and the Philippines.

It has Mission Areas in twelve countries - Kenya, Uganda, Sudan (temporarily suspended), Cameroon, Congo, South Africa, Pakistan, India, Malaysia, Philippines, Brazil, Indonesia, and a presence elsewhere in the world.

The company was incorporated on 20 October 1950, under a memorandum and articles of association, and registered as No.00487520. The Charity Commission gave charitable status to it on 17 September 2012 No.1148980. Until 31 December 2012 the company was dormant. It began its activities on 1 January 2013 when the Charity for St. Joseph's Missionary Society (British Region) trust (Charity Commission No. 220690 and the Scottish Charity Regulator No. SC039809) transferred assets to it. The statutory power of appointing trustees lies with the existing Trustees.

ORGANISATION

All the Directors/Trustees of the Charity for St Joseph's Society (Generalate) are Members of St Joseph's Missionary Society. The directors of the company are appointed jointly by the General Superior and Vicar General. The General Superior is the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

THE TRUSTEES

Rev Michael Corcoran MHM

Fr Corcoran has been a full member of the Society since January 1985. He was ordained in August 1985 and elected General Superior of the Society in 2015. Prior to being elected General Superior he was the Head of the Society's Irish Region

Rev Desmond McGillicuddy MHM

Fr McGillicuddy has been a full member of the Society since May 1974. He was ordained in June 1975 and elected to the General Council in June 2015. He was appointed as a Director/Trustee in September 2015. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was working on the Society's Mission in Brazil.

Rev Anthony Chantry MHM

Fr Chantry has been a full member of the Society since January 1981. He was ordained in September 1981 and elected General Superior of the Society in 2005. He was re-elected General Superior in 2010. Prior to being elected General Superior he was working on the Society's Mission in South Africa. Fr Chantry retired as General Superior in June 2015 and as a Director/Trustee of the Charity in September 2015.

Rev Bernard Fox MHM

Fr Fox has been a full member of the Society since November 1975. He was ordained in December 1976 and elected to the General Council as Vicar General in 2010. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was the Regional Head of the Society's British Region. Fr Fox retired as a member of the General Council in June 2015 and as a Director/Trustee of the Charity in May 2016

Rev Brendan Mulhall MHM

Fr Mulhall has been a full member of the Society since May 1972. He was ordained in June 1973 and elected to the General Council in 2005. He was re-elected to the General Council in 2010. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was working on the Society's Mission in Pakistan. Fr Mulhall retired as a member of the General Council in June 2015 and as a Director/Trustee of the Charity in May 2016

Rev Thaddeus de Deckere MHM

Fr de Deckere has been a full member of the Society since October 1990. He was ordained in September 1991 and elected to the General Council in 2010. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was the Rector of the Society's Formation House in Pargi India. Fr De Deckere retired from the General Council in June 2015 and as a Director/Trustee of the Charity in September 2015

Bro Jos Boerkamp MHM

Brother Boerkamp has been a full member of the Society since March 1976. He was elected to the General Council of the Society as Councillor for Finance in 2000 and re-elected for a second term in 2005. He retired from the General Council in 2010 and has been appointed Financial Secretary in July 2010. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was working on the Society's Mission in Kenya.

Bro John Smith MHM

Bro Smith has been a full member of the Society since December 1971. He was appointed as a Trustee in 2007. He was formerly the Rector of the Society's House in Maidenhead and is now living in retirement at the Society's House in Formby. Bro Smith retired as a Director/Trustee of the Charity in September 2015.

Rev Andreas Agreiter MHM

Fr Agreiter has been a full member of the Society since November 1989. He was ordained in June 1990. He was appointed as a Trustee in 2010. He was formerly the Secretary General of the Society and is now living in the Society's House in Absam in Austria. Fr Agreiter retired as a Director/Trustee of the Charity in September 2015.

Fr Andrew Mukulu MHM

Fr Mukulu has been a full Member of the Society since December 1997. He was ordained in August 1998 and elected to the General Council in June 2015. He was appointed as a Director/Trustee in May 2016. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was Rector of the Society's Formation House in the Cameroon

Rev Jimmy Lindero

Fr Lindero has been a full Member of the Society since October 2006. He was ordained in April 2007 and elected to the General Council in June 2015. He was appointed as a Director/Trustee in May 2016. Prior to being elected to the General Council he was working in the Society's mission in Pakistan.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND AIMS

The principal objectives of the Society as stated in the trust deed are:-

Such charitable purposes that advance the religious and other charitable work of the Society including:

- 1. The promotion, maintenance & support of the Society & its members including the education of those members
- 2. The relief of poverty and
- 3. The advancement of the Roman Catholic Religion

The Trustees may use the capital and the income of the Charity in promoting the Objects.

These objectives clearly state the aims of the Society.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT AND THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Under charity law, the trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements for each financial year which show a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the excess of income over expenditure for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, generally accepted accounting practice entails that the trustees:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether the recommendations of the Statement of Recommended Practice have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- state whether the financial statements comply with the trust deed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue its activities.

The trustees are required to act in accordance with the trust deed of the charity, within the framework of trust law. They are responsible for keeping proper accounting records, sufficient to disclose at any time, with reasonable accuracy, the financial position of the charity at that time, and to enable the trustees to ensure that, where any statements of accounts are prepared by them under section 132(1) of the Charities Act 2011, those statements of accounts comply with the requirements of regulations under that provision. They have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the charity and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The Trustees have consulted the guidance made available by the Charity Commission for England and Wales on the Public Benefit requirement of the Charities Act.

The Trustees are confident that they have complied with their duty under the Charities Act in that they have had due regard to public benefit guidance published by the Commission. In furtherance of the trusts charitable purposes for the public benefit the trustees give details of their activities in the following paragraphs.

REVIEW OF 2015

This is the Third Annual Trustees Report and Accounts of the Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate). The Charity was formerly part of St Joseph's Society for Foreign Missions (Registered Charity No 220690 and SC039809) which comprised the Generalate (also known as the Central Society) and it's British Region. Following a strategic review it was decided to separate the Generalate and the British Region into two Charities and this was given effect to in March 2012 with the former Charity "St Joseph's Society for Foreign Missions" being renamed "Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (British Region)" and "Charity For St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate)" being created and registered with The Charity Commission (No 1148980). Although the two Charities are focussing on different aspects of the Society's work they continue to work together closely

The major focus of the Generalate Society's work during the first half of the year was on preparation for the five yearly Chapter to be held in Chigwell in Essex in June 2015. Representatives of the Society's Members come together to elect a new General Council and to decide the Society's objectives and strategy for the next five years. As all the current members of the General Council were retiring, four new members were elected to replace them. These included for the first time two nationals from countries which are in the Society's Mission Areas Uganda and Philippines. This seemed a very appropriate development as the Society approaches in 2016 the 150th Anniversary of its foundation (see later).

The Society sees as one of its principal tasks the Formation or education and training of new members to serve the people in the missionary countries in which it works. To this end it has during the past few years expanded the Formation programmes in a number of those countries and this has resulted in a good number of candidates from those countries applying and being accepted for these programmes. To meet this expansion the Society has been building or expanding its houses of Formation in these countries. A new Formation building under construction in India during 2015 will accommodate 40 students and their formators. As a result of this work there has been a steady stream of ordinations during the past few years and this was continued in 2015 with 5 students being ordained to the priesthood and 10 students being ordained deacons.

As mentioned above, the Society will be celebrating the 150 years Jubilee of its foundation in 2016 and planning and preparations were begun to mark the occasion suitably. A publication about the history and work of the Society was commissioned and there will be a Solemn Celebration of the Eucharist at Westminster Cathedral on 19th March 2016 (St Joseph's Feast Day) at which Cardinal Nichols will preside. The Society has however decided not to hold a reception afterwards but to donate the funds to the Jesuit Refugee Service in the light of the refugee crisis affecting Western Europe in the Summer of 2015 and in response to Pope Francis's appeal. There will also be a World Mission Conference at Heytrop College University of London. The General Council also encouraged the Society's Regions and Groups to plan to hold appropriate local events to mark the occasion.

Following the completion of the refurbishment of the Rome procure and it's reopening and the appointment of a new Rector the Society has been planning its new role and also consulting about obtaining the appropriate charitable status for it in Italy.

Although the UK's economic growth slowed during 2015, the Society's investments performed better on average than the appropriate benchmarks. The Society keeps in close touch with its investment advisers both here and in the USA and meets with them annually to review performance.

The Society's members continued to work during the year in areas of deprivation and suffering of the countries in which their missions are based. An example of this in 2015 has been in Karamojo in North East Uganda where the Society has two parishes. This area has been experiencing a severe drought and famine and the two parishes have been in the forefront of alleviating the suffering of the people through food distribution. This work has been very generously supported by donations by SPICMA (Reg Charity No 270794), a Charity set up by the family and friends of a Mill Hill Member.

In the Autumn of 2015 the newly elected Members of the Society's General Council commenced visiting members in the Mission Areas so as to familiarise themselves with their various situations and problems. They have also been liaising with the Society's Regions in Europe and North America and with other church bodies.

The Society made a loss of £1,047,353 over the year. This was mainly due to the fact that it only made a very small unrealised net gain (£63,327) on its investments as compared with the previous year gain of £1,115,591. However as these investments are held for the long term it is hoped that improvements in the economy will produce a return to increased gains in the future. The Trustees are therefore satisfied with the results for the year.

The Society achieved all the objectives it set itself in 2015.

Future Developments

In addition to the continuation of its current activities a number of specific projects are envisaged:

- 1) Events to mark the Society's 150th Jubilee Celebrations of its founding.
- 2)A "World Mission Conference" at Heythrop College in October 2016
- 3)Completion and opening of the new building for the Society's Formation Centre in India.
- 4) Approval and printing of the Society's Constitution and Directives following the changes made by the Chapter 2015

RESERVES POLICY

Where appropriate, individual funds and reserves have been discussed in the Review of 2015. The Trustees are however very conscious of the commitment of the Society to continue its work in the future and the need to safeguard resources, especially with the increase of members nearing retirement age, and the majority of the younger members hailing from the Third World. The General Council has also been reviewing with its advisors whether the designated funds it has created continue to be the most appropriate use of this money.

INVESTMENT POLICY

The investment policy of the Society is to receive dividends from investments, made broadly on an ethical basis, so that the aims of the Society can be achieved. Our advisors have the instruction to follow the policy of 'safe' rather than 'speculative' investments.

RISK ASSESMENT

The Trustees keep under review the major risks to which the charity is exposed, in particular those related to the operations and finances of the Trust. To this end it is in constant communication with its investment advisors both here and in the USA and holds an annual review meeting with them. It has recently being discussing with them changing the emphasis of its investments from capital growth to income producing.

The Trustees also review annually with the Society's Insurance Brokers its liabilities and the appropriateness and amounts of its Insurance cover. It is also reviewing the insurance of its Houses in its mission areas.

As a substantial source of income to the Society for its missionary work is the fundraising arrangement with "Missio" (Reg Charity No 1056651) the Society regularly liaises with Missio and the Society's British Region (Reg Charity No 220690 and SC039809) who collect the money on its behalf and monitors the income.

As the Society's Accountant was intending to retire in 2016, a recruitment campaign was commenced in the Autumn of 2015 for a replacement to ensure that there would be an adequate period for the handover.

THE CHARITY'S ASSETS

Acquisitions and disposals of fixed assets during the year are recorded in the notes to the accounts.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:

Michael Corcoran

Trustee

Approved by the Trustees on: 28 September 2016

Independent auditors' report to the Trustees of the Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (British Region)

We have audited the accounts of the Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) for the year ended 31 December 2015 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the Trustees, as a body. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Trustees 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 charity and the charity's Trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and auditors

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 5 the trustees (who are also the directors of the charitable company for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view.

The trustees have elected for the financial statements to be audited in accordance with the Charities Act 2011 rather than with the Companies Act 2006. Accordingly we have been appointed as auditor under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with regulations made under section 154 of that Act. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the charitable company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the trustees; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the trustees report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies, we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 31 December 2015 and of its incoming resources and application of resources for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 and the Charities and Trustees Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and regulation 8 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities Act 2011 and the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:-

- the information given in the Trustees' Annual Report is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Keith Vaudrey & Co

28 September 2016

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors 1st Floor 15 Young Street

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London W8 5EH

Keith, Vaudrey & Co is eligible to act as auditor in terms of Section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006.

Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) Statement of financial activities (incorporating an income and expenditure account) for the year ended 31 December 2015

		Unrestricted funds					ted funds		
	Notes	General fund	Designated funds	Restricted funds	2015	2014	General fund	Designated funds	Restricted funds
		£	£		£	£	£	£	
Income									
Voluntary income									
Appeals, donations and legacies	1	1,214,827	-	49,482	1,264,309	998,487	944,851	-	53,636
Salaries, stipends and pensions		12,966	-	-	12,966	8,481	8,481	-	-
Masses said		5,683	-	-	5,683	9,180	9,180	-	-
Contribution from overseas regions Investment income		-	352,402	-	352,402	1,044,215	-	604,215	440,000
Dividend and interest	2	678,734	270,800	18,806	968,340	1,037,317	759,011	277,793	513
Other income									
Miscellaneous income		650	-	-	650	830	830	-	-
Total income		1,912,860	623,202	68,288	2,604,350	3,098,510	1,722,353	882,008	494,149
Expenditure									
Raising funds									
Fundraising	3	8,173	-	-	8,173	5,481	5,481	-	-
Investment manager fees Charitable activities		93,403	31,093	1,831	126,327	119,175	90,824	28,351	-
Pastoral activities									
Upkeep of communities	4	313,730	-	-	313,730	361,794	361,794	-	-
Formation and training	4	213,839	419,469	43,883	677,191	740,458	255,116	441,459	43,883
Support of Missions and Society		887,081	1,166.656	23,500	2,077,237	2,260,706	1,796,952	369,696	94,058
Contribution to British region		150,000	-	-	150,000	200,000	200,000	-	-
Generalate costs		207,732	-	-	207,732	167,153	167,153	-	-
Management and administration	5	143,179	-	-	143,179	124,289	124,289	-	-
Governance costs	6	11,460			11,460	10,600	10,600		
Total expenditure		2,028,597	1,617.218	69,214	3,715,029	3,989,656	3,012,209	839,506	137,941
Net gains (losses) on investments	9	85,376	(22,714)	665	63,327	1,115,591	836,629	278,687	275
Net income (expenditure) before trans	sfers	(30,361)	(1,016,730)	(261)	(1,047,352)	224,445	(453,227)	321,189	356,483
Transfers between funds		(727,452)	721,890	5,562			(389,871)	441,459	(51,588)
Net income (expenditure)		(757,813)	(294,840)	5,301	(1,047,352)	224,445	(843,098)	762,648	304,895
Surplus on sale of fixed assets		•			<u> </u>				
Net movement in funds		(757,813)	(294,840)	5,301	(1,047,352)	224,445	(843,098)	762,648	304,895
Balances brought forward 1 January		21,495,369	16,480,607	473,878	38,449,854	38,225,409	22,338,467	15,717,959	168,983
Balances carried forward 31 December	er	20,737,556	16,185,767	479,179	37,402,502	38,449,854	21,495,369	16,480,607	473,878

Statement of total recognised gains and losses

The charity has no recognised gains and losses other than those shown above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2015

	Notes		2015		2014
			£		£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	8		5,494,726		5,499,925
Investments at market value	9		31,484,441		32,458,233
Tangaza College	9		136,270	_	136,270
			37,115,437		38,094,428
Current assets					
Debtors	10	502,766		174,284	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,374,895		1,493,302	
	•	1,877,661		1,667,586	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year					
Sundry creditors	- 11	1,590,596		1,312,160	
	·		287,065		355,426
Total assets less current liabilities		-	37,402,502	-	38,449,854
			37,402,502	-	38,449,854
Represented by:					
Funds and reserves					
General funds			20,737,556		21,495,369
Designated funds	12	_	16,185,767	_	16,480,607_
		•	36,923,323	_	37,975,976
Restricted funds	13		479,179	_	473,878
			37,402,502		38,449,854
		=		=	

Appoved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf

Michael Corcoran

Trustee

Approved by the Trustees on: 28 September 2016

Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) Statement of cash flows for the year ended 31 December 2015

	Note	2015 £	2014 £
Cash generated in operating activities	A	(2,123,866)	(2,787,928)
Cash flows from investing acivities			
Investment income		968,340	1,037,317
Proceeds of investment sales		3,849,467	3,747,266
Purchases of investments		(3,986,007)	(4,335,755)
Purchase of fixed assets			
Cash provided (used) in investing activities		831,800	448,828
Increase in cash and cash equivalents in year		(1,292,066)	(2,339,100)
Movement in year			
(Decrease) increase in cash at bank and in hand		(118,407)	(2,053,039)
(Decrease) increase in cash held by investment manage	ers for re-investment	46,566	125,682
(Decrease) increase in bonds and deposits held		(1,220,225)	(411,743)
•		(1,292,066)	(2,339,100)

A. Reconciliation of net movement in funds to net cash flow from operating activities

	2015	2014
	£	£
Net income (expenditure)	(1,047,352)	224,445
Deduct investment income	(968,340)	(1,037,317)
Add depreciation	5,199	8,580
Profit on sale of assets	- ·	-
Add/(deduct) net movement on investments.	(63,327)	(1,115,591)
Increase (decrease) in creditors	278,436	(799,375)
(Increase) decrease in debtors	(328,482)	(68,670)
	(2,123,866)	(2,787,928)

Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) Principal Accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2015

1 Basis of preparation and assessment of going concern

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014 and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

The trust constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern

2 Reconciliation with previous Generally Accepted Accounting Practice

In preparing the accounts, the trustees have considered whether in applying the accounting policies required by FRS 102 and the Charities SORP FRS 102 a restatement of comparative items was needed. No restatements were required. In accordance with the requirements of FRS 102 a reconciliation of opening balances and net income/(expenditure) for the year is provided with the net income/(expenditure) under previous GAAP adjusted for the presentation of investment gains/(losses) as a component of reported income.

Reconciliation of reported net income

Net income/(expenditure) as previously stated	(891,146)
Adjustment for gains/(losses) on investments now treated as a	
component of net income	1,115,591
2014 net income as restated	224,445

3 Income

All income is recognised once the charity has entitlement to the income, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount of income receivable can be measured reliably. Donations, are recognised when the Trust has been notified in writing of both the amount and settlement date.

Legacies are recognised on a case by case basis following the granting of probate when the administrator/executor for the estate has communicated in writing both the amount and settlement date.

Interest on funds held on deposit is included when receivable and the amount can be measured reliably by the charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the bank.

Dividends are recognised once the dividend has been declared and notification has been received of the dividend due. This is normally upon notification by our investment advisor of the dividend yield in the investment portfolio.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably.

The cost of generating funds includes the fees paid to investment managers in respect of the management of the charity's investment portfolios.

Expenditure on charitable activities comprises direct expenses incurred on the defined charitable purposes of the charity and includes staff costs attributable to the activity.

Governance costs comprise of expenditure on compliance with and advice on constitutional and statutory matters.

As all expenditure can be attributed to specific categories no apportionment between heading has been necessary. Irrecoverable VAT is included in the items of expenditure to which it relates.

Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) Principal Accounting policies for the year ended 31 December 2015

4 Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

5 Tangible fixed assets

Freehold land and buildings are included at a valuation based either on a value estimated by the trustees or on historical cost. The Trustees do not consider that the expense of a professional valuation in order to ascertain the separate values of the land and buildings is justified.

The buildings are in constant use in furtherance of the charitable objectives and are maintained to standards that ensure that their residual value is not less than the book value. Buildings are not depreciated, for reason stated, they have a very long useful economic life such that annual depreciation would be immaterial.

All assets costing more than £1,000 and with an expected life of more than one year are capitalised. Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life:

Plant, equipment, fixtures and fittings 20%

Motor vehicles 25% on cost

After five years plant, equipment, fixtures and fittings with a net book value of nil are written out of the accounts as in the opinion of the Trustees such assets have a negligible residual value.

6 Investments

Investments are a form of basic financial instrument and are initially recognised at their transaction value and subsequently measured at their fair value as at the balance sheet date using the closing quoted market price. The statement of financial activities includes the net gains and losses arising on revaluation and disposals throughout the year.

The Trust does not acquire put options, derivatives or other complex financial instruments.

The main form of financial risk faced by the charity is that of volatility in equity markets and investment markets due to wider economic conditions, the attitude of investors to investment risk, and changes in sentiment concerning equities and within particular sectors or sub sectors.

All gains and losses are taken to the Statement of Financial Activities as they arise. Realised gains and losses on investments are calculated as the difference between sales proceeds and their opening carrying value or their purchase value if acquired subsequent to the first day of the financial year.

Unrealised gains and losses are calculated as the difference between the fair value at the year end and their carrying value. Realised and unrealised investment gains and losses are combined in the Statement of Financial Activities.

8 Fund accounting

The general fund comprises those monies, which may be used towards meeting the charitable objectives of the charity at the discretion of the Trustees.

The designated funds are monies set aside out of general funds and designated for specific purposes by the Trustees

Unrestricted income funds comprise those funds which the trustees are free to use for any purpose in furtherance of the charitable objectives. Unrestricted funds include designated funds where the trustees, at their discretion, have created a fund for a specific purpose.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imopsed by the donor or trust dead. There is a single restricted fund, the APF - Mill Hill, restricted to the collection of money which is to be used for the support of missionary work and society, and within the objects of the Generalte the net income of this fund is paid over to St Joseph's Missionary Society (Generalate) on an annual basis.

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9 Taxation

The Trust, as a registered charity, is exempt from taxation on its income and gains falling within Section 505 of the Taxes Act 1988 or Section 256 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992 to the extent that they are applied to its charitable objectives. No tax charge has arisen in the year.

10 Pensions

Employees of the Trust are entitled to join the National Employment Savings Trust (NEST), a defined contribution plan under which the Trust pays fixed contributions to a separate entity. The Trust has no further payment obligations once the contributions have been paid. The contributions are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due.

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			Designated fund	Restricted fund	2015	2014	General fund	fund	Restricted fund
1	Appeals, donations and legacies	£ 104.619	£	49,482	£ 154,101	£ 154,930	£ 101,294	£	53,636
	Appeals and donations British region - APF and legacies	760.904	_	49.462	760,904	833.345	833,345	-	33,030
	Legacies	349,304	- -	_	349,304	10.212	10,212		-
	eguete.	1,214.827	-	49,482	1,264,309	998,487	944,851	-	53,636
2	Investment income and interest receivab	le	 						
	Income from investments	606,342	270,800	18,806	895,948	945,524	667,218	277,793	513
	Bank and other interest	5,000	-	-	5,000	28,698	28,698	-	-
	Rents (net of costs)	67.392	270,800	18.806	67,392 968,340	1,037,317	63,095 759,011	277.793	513
•		678.734	270,800	18.800	908,340	1,037,317	739,011	211,193	
3	Raising funds								
	Fundraising Fundraising other	8,173	_	_	8,173	5,481	5,481	_	_
	rundraising offici	8.173		<u>-</u>	8,173	5,481	5,481		
4	Pastoral activities		·		5,5	· _			
	Upkeep of Communities								
	Premises	113.610	-	-	113,610	84,646	84,646	=	-
	Community and personal	200.120		<u> </u>	200,120	277,148	277,148	<u> </u>	
		313,730	-		313,730	361,794	361,794		
	Formation and training				T. 550	40.000	40.750		
	Mission experience programme	71.572	410.460	42 002	71,572	68.759	68,759	441.450	42 002
	Initial formation African and Asian formation	17,987	419,469	43,883	481,339	518,981	33,639	441,459	43,883
	and recruitment	46.148	_	_	46,148	44,880	44,880	_	_
	Ongoing formation	78.132	-	-	78,132	107,838	107,838	_	-
	Oligonia formation	213,839	419,469	43,883	677,191	740,458	255,116	441,459	43,883
5	Pastoral activities					·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		-
	Management and administration								
	Staff	80,034	-	-	80,034	75,471	75,471	-	-
	Central administrative costs	44,018	-	-	44,018	20,453	20,453	-	-
	Professional fees	13.928	-	-	13,928	17,610	17,610	-	-
	Exchange losses	5 100	-	-	£ 100	2,175	2,175	•	-
	Depreciation	5,199 143,179			5,199 143,179	8,580	8,580 124,289		
6	Governance costs	143,179	<u>-</u>		143,179	124,209	124,207		
Ů	Audit fee	7.500	-	-	7,500	7,500	7,500	_	_
	Accounting and advice	3,960	-	-	3,960	3,100	3,100	-	-
	_	11.460			11,460	10,600	10,600		
						-			
7	Staff costs							2015	2014
	Staff agety during the year ways an fellower							£	£
	Staff costs during the year were as follows: Wages and salaries							77,929	95,900
	Social security costs							8,782	7,759
	Pension costs							•	-
								86.711	103,659
	No employee earned more than £60,000 per	annum (includi	ng benefits) during	the year or in the p	orevious year.				-
	The average number of employees, analy	sed by function	was:						
	Administrative and fundraising	_						2	2
	Domestic, nursing and catering		*					1	2
	Total							3	4
8	Tangible fixed assets					Touch old land	Motor	Furniture	
						Freehold land and buildings	vehicles	and equipment	Total
						£	£	£	£
	Cost						*	*	~
	At 1 January 2015					5,492,011	40,578	20.837	5,553,426
	Additions					-	-	-	-
	Disposals						-		
	At 31 December 2015					5,492,011	40,578	20,837	5,553,426
	Depreciation								
	At 1 January 2015					•	37,245	16.256	53,501
	Charge for the year					-	1,999	3,200	5,199
	On disposals								
	At 31 December 2015						39,244	19,456	58,700
	Net book value								
	At 31 December 2015					5,492,011	1,334	1,381	5.494,726
	At 31 December 2014					5,492,011	3,333	4,581	5.499,925
								A	2011
								2015	2014

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	£	£
9 Investments		
Market value at 1 January 2015	25,217.125	23.513,045
Additions at cost	3,986,007	4,335,755
Sale proceeds from disposals	(3,849.467)	(3.747,266)
Net gain (loss) in year	63.327_	1.115,591
Market value at 31 December 2015	25,416,992	25,217,125
Cash held by investment managers for re-investment	660.224	613,658
Bonds and deposits	4,027.225	5.247,450
	30,104,441	31,078,233
Investment property		1.380,000
	31,484.441	32.458,233
Cost of listed investments at 31 December 2015	21,785,173	21.074,270

Tangaza College

The charity has contributed £136,260 to become a corporate member of Tangaza College (Catholic University of East Africa) an institution used by the order for the training and education of candidates for the priesthood.

10	Debtors	2015	2014
		£	£
	Taxation recoverable	6,073	7,276
	Sundry debtors	213.811	107,203
	Legacies	282.882	59,805
		502,766	174,284
11	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2015	2014
		£	£
	Sundry and expense creditors	32,429	35,289
	Accruals	31.349	14,842
	Held for Missions and Missionaries	1,516.377	1.244,113
	Mass stipends	10,441	17,916
		1,590,596	1,312,160

12 Designated funds

The income fund of the Charity includes the following designated funds, which have been set aside out of unrestricted funds by the Trustees for specific purposes:

	Λι 1 January 2015	Transfers	Incoming resources	Utilised/ realised	At 31 December 2015
	£		£	£	£
Capital	5.492,011	-	-		5.492,011
Maintenance	228,306	-	-	-	228,306
African/Asisan Candidates	3.826,367	419,469	104,675	(445,456)	3.905,055
New Regions	6.521,994	-	166,124	(127,723)	6.560,395
Mission	411,929	302,421	352,402	(1,066,752)	
	16,480,607	721.890	623,201	(1,639,931)	16.185,767

13 Restricted fund

				At 31
	At 1 January			December
	2015	Income	Expenditure	2015
	3	£	£	£
Fent travel	27,735	5,599	(3,500)	29,834
Ward Memorial	26,911	-	-	26,911
Burse	-	43,883	(43,883)	-
New Members Retirement	404,794	19,471	(1,831)	422,434
Capital works	14,438	5,562	(20,000)	-
	473,878	74,515	(69,214)	479,179

The Fent tavel fund represents money received for the purchase of transport in Mission areas.

The Ward Memorial Fund represents money left to the Society for non-administrative projects.

The Burse Fund represents money received from the United States to fund student education.

The New Members Retirement fund represents monies received for the provision of funding for members joining the Society in what were Mission areas.

The capital works fund represents money received to fund capital projects in the mission areas.

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14 Analysis of net assets between funds

•	General fund £	Designated fund £	Restricted fund	2015 £	2014 £	fund £	fund £	fund £
Fund balances at 31 December 2015 are represented by: Fixed assets								
Tangible assets	2,715	5,492,011		5,494,726	5,499,925	7,914	5,492,011	-
Investments	22,313,528	8,759,136	411,777	31,484,441	32,458,233	23,163,704	8,893,741	400,788
Tangaza College	136.270	_	-	136,270	136,270	136,270	•	
	22,452.513	14.251,147	411.777	37.115,437	38,094,428	23,307,888	14,385.752	400,788
Current assets Balances between funds	502,762 (627.123)	1,307,497 627,123	67,402	1,877,661	1,667,586 -	472,561 (972,920)	1,121,935 972,920	73,090
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	(1,590,596)	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	(1,590,596)	(1,312,160)	(1,312,160)	-	
	20,737.556	16.185,767	479.179	37.402,502	38,449,854	21,495,369	16,480.607	473,878

15 Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (British Region)

During the year the Charity for St Joseph's Missionary Society (British Region) paid over £960,904 (2014 £833,345) for the Generalate's mission activities and received a subsidy towards retirement costs of £150.000.