
SPRING GARDEN BAPTIST CHURCH
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2022

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members
Spring Garden Baptist Church
NORTH YORK
Ontario

Qualified Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Spring Garden Baptist Church which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2022 and the statement of operations, statement of changes in fund balances, and statement of cash flows for the year then ended and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matters described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the entity as at December 31, 2022 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many not-for-profit organizations, Spring Garden Baptist Church derives part of its revenues from the general public in the form of contributions, the completeness of which are not susceptible to complete audit verification. Accordingly, verification of revenue from this source was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of Spring Garden Baptist Church. Therefore, we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to contributions revenue, the excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses, and cash flow from operations for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, current assets as at December 31, 2022 and 2021 and fund balances as at the beginning and end of the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.

The audit opinion on the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2021 was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this limitation in scope.

Furthermore, Spring Garden Baptist Church carries a building in its capital assets that has not been amortized and it is the policy of Spring Garden Baptist Church to expense purchases that would otherwise be recorded as capital assets and amortized on the basis of their estimated useful life. These policies are departures from the Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations which requires the capitalization of long-lived assets and appropriate amortization of the capital assets over their estimated useful life. Since it is not practicable to determine the adjustment necessary to properly record and amortize capital assets, the effect of this deviation from Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations has not been quantified.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the entity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other 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 qualified opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the entity'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 entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the entity's financial reporting process.

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 Canadian generally accepted auditing standards 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.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.


NORTON McMULLEN LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

MARKHAM, Canada
May 9, 2023

SPRING GARDEN BAPTIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at December 31,

2022

2021

ASSETS

Current

Cash (Note 2)	\$ 215,106	\$ 269,748
Cash - restricted (Note 2)	100,831	53,955
Short-term investments - restricted (Note 3)	245,000	276,451
Prepaid expenses	6,600	6,248
HST recoverable	6,712	7,432
	<u>\$ 574,249</u>	<u>\$ 613,834</u>

Capital Assets (Note 4)

	<u>3,123,244</u>	<u>3,123,244</u>
	<u>\$ 3,697,493</u>	<u>\$ 3,737,078</u>

LIABILITIES

Current

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 14,291	\$ 12,296
Government remittances payable	5,131	5,813
Deferred revenue	5,700	4,100
Deferred contributions (Note 5)	-	58,506
	<u>\$ 25,122</u>	<u>\$ 80,715</u>

FUND BALANCES

Unrestricted - General	\$ 3,326,540	\$ 3,325,957
Restricted	345,831	330,406
	<u>\$ 3,672,371</u>	<u>\$ 3,656,363</u>
	<u>\$ 3,697,493</u>	<u>\$ 3,737,078</u>

Approved by the Board:

_____ Director

_____ Director

See accompanying notes

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

For the year ended December 31, 2022

	Balance Beginning	Revenues	Expenses	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses	Inter-Fund Transfers (Note 6)	Balance Ending
UNRESTRICTED						
General Fund	\$ 3,325,957	\$ 651,330	\$ 664,614	\$ (13,284)	\$ 13,867	\$ 3,326,540
RESTRICTED						
Caring & Sharing Fund	\$ 13,130	\$ 14,771	\$ 13,665	\$ 1,106	\$ -	\$ 14,236
Facilities Security Fund	-	10,000	-	10,000	-	10,000
Delong Missions Fund	624	5	629	(624)	-	-
Binkley Memorial Fund	6,636	100	-	100	-	6,736
Syrian Refugee Fund	13,206	19,210	1,500	17,710	-	30,916
Discipleship Fund	4,000	1,000	-	1,000	-	5,000
Reserve Fund	292,810	-	-	-	(13,867)	278,943
	<u>\$ 330,406</u>	<u>\$ 45,086</u>	<u>\$ 15,794</u>	<u>\$ 29,292</u>	<u>\$ (13,867)</u>	<u>\$ 345,831</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>\$ 3,656,363</u>	<u>\$ 696,416</u>	<u>\$ 680,408</u>	<u>\$ 16,008</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,672,371</u>
PRIOR YEAR TOTAL	<u>\$ 3,739,984</u>	<u>\$ 623,171</u>	<u>\$ 706,792</u>	<u>\$ (83,621)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,656,363</u>

See accompanying notes

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STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the year ended December 31,

	General Fund	Restricted Funds	2022 TOTAL	2021 TOTAL
REVENUES				
Contributions	\$ 512,508	\$ 34,980	\$ 547,488	\$ 488,295
Rental	79,699	-	79,699	64,232
Summer student grant	51,471	-	51,471	61,077
Government grant	-	10,000	10,000	-
Missions	7,640	-	7,640	13,099
Investment and sundry	12	106	118	(3,532)
	<u>\$ 651,330</u>	<u>\$ 45,086</u>	<u>\$ 696,416</u>	<u>\$ 623,171</u>
EXPENSES				
Salaries and benefits	\$ 450,392	\$ -	\$ 450,392	\$ 433,211
Church facilities	80,237	-	80,237	69,935
Missions	58,003	14,166	72,169	106,515
Church ministries	43,585	1,500	45,085	67,760
Property taxes and maintenance	13,114	-	13,114	12,817
Telephone and equipment	7,619	-	7,619	6,899
Professional fees	6,548	-	6,548	6,236
Bank charges and fees	2,396	128	2,524	2,168
Stationary and office supplies	1,220	-	1,220	1,251
	<u>\$ 664,614</u>	<u>\$ 15,794</u>	<u>\$ 680,408</u>	<u>\$ 706,792</u>
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	<u>\$ (13,284)</u>	<u>\$ 29,292</u>	<u>\$ 16,008</u>	<u>\$ (83,621)</u>

See accompanying notes

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended December 31,

2022

2021

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS WERE PROVIDED BY (USED IN):

OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	\$ 16,008	\$ (83,621)
Net change in non-cash working capital balances:		
Prepaid expenses	\$ (352)	\$ 276
HST recoverable	720	1,016
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	1,995	(723)
Government remittances payable	(682)	(1,647)
Deferred revenue	1,600	2,600
Deferred contributions	<u>(58,506)</u>	<u>58,506</u>
	<u>\$ (55,225)</u>	<u>\$ 60,028</u>
	\$ (39,217)	\$ (23,593)

INVESTING ACTIVITIES

Redemption of short term investment	<u>31,451</u>	<u>43,549</u>
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INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH

	\$ (7,766)	\$ 19,956
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CASH - Beginning

	<u>323,703</u>	<u>303,747</u>
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CASH - Ending

	<u>\$ 315,937</u>	<u>\$ 323,703</u>
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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NATURE OF OPERATIONS

The Spring Garden Baptist Church's ("the Church") purpose is to be a caring community, empowered by the Holy Spirit, committed to worshipping God, reaching people for Christ and equipping believers to be relevant biblical disciples of Christ. The Church was incorporated under the Canada Corporations Act without share capital, and is a registered charity under the Income Tax Act, and as such, it is exempt from income taxes.

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations with the exception of the Church's accounting policy with respect to capital assets, and include the following significant accounting policies:

a) Fund Accounting

Resources are classified into funds according to the activities or objectives specified as follows:

The General Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the unrestricted operating activities of the Church.

The Restricted Funds report internally and externally restricted resources and consist of the following:

The Caring and Sharing Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the transactions of the Church's benevolent fund. The fund's resources are distributed to needy individuals at the discretion of the Church's Elders and Pastoral Staff.

The Delong Missions Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the transactions of the Church's missions fund. The fund's resources are used to fund missions related projects undertaken by the Church.

The Binkley Memorial Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the transactions of the Church's memorial fund. The fund's resources are distributed to provide support for short-term mission trips.

The Discipleship Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the transactions of the Church's discipleship fund. The fund's resources were received from Canadian Baptists of Ontario and Quebec and a bequest and are to be used for mentoring youth.

The Syrian Refugee Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the transactions of the Church's Syrian Refugee fund. The funds collected are for the purpose of sponsoring a Syrian refugee family and providing support once they arrive in Canada.

The Reserve Fund reports assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses for the internally restricted activities of the Church as determined by the Board.

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1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

b) Revenue Recognition

The Church follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions. Externally restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the fund corresponding to the purpose for which they were contributed. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the General Fund. Restricted contributions for which there is no fund are accounted for using the deferral method.

Rental and investment income is recognized when earned and collection is reasonably assured in the appropriate fund.

Government grants and assistance are recognized as revenue when received or receivable and collection is reasonably assured and when conditions as to its use have been met.

c) Contributed Services

The ministries of the Church are dependent on the services of many volunteers. The cost of contributed services is not recognized in these financial statements due to the difficulty in determining their fair value.

d) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions based on currently available information. Such estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the year. Actual results could differ from the estimates used.

e) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash held in bank accounts.

f) Capital Assets

The Church's land and building are recorded at cost. Amortization is not being recorded for the building. All other purchases of long-lived assets are expensed in the year of purchase. During the year \$Nil (2021 - \$Nil) of capital assets were expensed.

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1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

g) Financial Instruments

Measurement of Financial Instruments

The Church initially measures its financial assets and liabilities originated or exchanged in arm's length transactions at fair value. The Church subsequently measures all its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost except for investments in equity instruments that are quoted in an active market, which are measured at fair value. Changes in fair value are recognized in the excess of revenue over expenses in the period incurred.

Financial assets subsequently measured at amortized cost include restricted and unrestricted cash and short term investments. Financial liabilities subsequently measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

Impairment

Financial assets measured at amortized cost are tested for impairment when events or circumstances indicate possible impairment. Write-downs, if any, are recognized in the excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses and may be subsequently reversed to the extent that the net effect after the reversals is the same as if there had been no write-down. There are no impairment indicators in the current year.

2. CASH

Cash is allocated as follows:

	2022	2021
Unrestricted		
General Fund	<u>\$ 215,106</u>	<u>\$ 269,748</u>
Restricted		
Reserve	\$ 33,943	\$ 16,359
Facilities Security Fund	10,000	-
Caring and Sharing Fund	14,236	13,130
Binkley Memorial	6,736	6,636
Discipleship	5,000	4,000
Syrian Refugee	30,916	13,206
Delong Missions	-	624
	<u>\$ 100,831</u>	<u>\$ 53,955</u>
	<u>\$ 315,937</u>	<u>\$ 323,703</u>

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3. SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS

Short-term investments are internally restricted in support of the reserve fund and consist of the following:

	2022	2021
Scotiabank GIC, 2.96%, non-redeemable, maturing December 2023	\$ 165,000	\$ -
Scotiabank GIC, 3.5%, cashable, maturing December 2023	80,000	-
Scotiabank GIC, 0.34%, cashable, maturing December 2022	-	275,000
Foster & Associates, stock donation, at fair value	-	1,451
	<u>\$ 245,000</u>	<u>\$ 276,451</u>

4. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets consist of the following:

	<u>2022</u>			<u>2021</u>
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value	Net Book Value
Land and building	<u>\$ 3,123,244</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,123,244</u>	<u>\$ 3,123,244</u>

5. DEFERRED CONTRIBUTIONS

The change in deferred contributions consists of the following:

	2022	2021
Balance - Beginning	\$ 58,506	\$ -
Less: amount recognized as revenue in the year	(58,506)	-
Add: contributions received for use in the following year	-	58,506
	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 58,506</u>

6. INTER-FUND TRANSFER

During the year, the Church Board approved the transfer of \$8,000 from the Reserve Fund to the General Fund (2021 - \$98,748) in order to fund projects as approved by the Board.

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7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Risks and Concentrations

The Church is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following analysis provides a summary of the Church's exposure to and concentrations of risk at December 31, 2022:

a) **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. The Church is not exposed to significant credit risk.

b) **Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Church will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Church is exposed to this risk mainly with respect to its accounts payable and accrued liabilities. The Church manages this risk by managing its working capital and by generating sufficient cash flow from operations. There has been no change in the assessment of liquidity risk from the prior year.

c) **Market Risk**

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk, and price risk. The Church is exposed to interest rate risk as follows:.

i) **Interest Rate Risk**

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Church is exposed to interest rate risk with respect to its investments. The exposure to this risk fluctuates as the investment balance and related interest rates change from year to year.