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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS & BUSINESS CONSULTANTS

## Independent Accountants' Review Report

Board of Directors The Crossing Chesterfield, Missouri

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of The Crossing (the Church), a not-for-profit organization, which comprise the statement of financial position as of August 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of the Church's management. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

## Management's Responsibility For The Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error.

## Accountants' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to conduct the review engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require us to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance as a basis for reporting whether we are aware of any material modifications that should be made to the financial statements for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We believe that the results of our procedures provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion.

#### **Emphasis Of Matter**

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, as of September 1, 2022, The Crossing adopted Accounting Standards Codification Topic 842, *Leases*. Our conclusion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### Accountants' Conclusion

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Based on our reviews, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

January 5, 2024

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

#### Assets

		Augu	st 3	31,
		2023		2022
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 1)	\$	4,842,114	\$	6,159,125
Prepaid expenses		30,998		31,531
Inventory		27,985		32,620
Cash equivalents restricted for donor designations (Note 1)		3,670,197		4,382,150
Total Current Assets		8,571,294		10,605,426
Finance Lease Right-Of-Use Assets, Net (Note 6)		275,393		
Other Assets		516,162		241,436
Land, Buildings And Equipment, Net (Note 3)		33,663,860	·	34,008,214
	\$	43,026,709	\$	44,855,076
Liabilities And Net Assets				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	229,216	\$	198,759
Deferred revenue		6,510		4,984
Current portion of long-term debt (Note 5)		1,004,009		964,941
Current portion of finance lease liabilities (Note 6)		42,876		
Total Current Liabilities		1,282,611		1,168,684
Long-Term Liabilities				
Long-term debt				0 2 40 0 20
Principal amount (Note 5)		5,529,907		6,548,876
Less: Unamortized debt issuance costs (Note 1)		6,936		9,313
Long-term debt less unamortized debt issuance costs		5,522,971 236,285		6,539,563
Finance lease liabilities (Note 6)		5,759,256		6,539,563
Total Long-Term Liabilities		5,755,250		0,000,000
Net Assets				
Without Donor Restrictions:		08 000 515		00 400 044
Investment in land, buildings and equipment		27,090,515		26,422,244
Operations		5,224,130		6,342,435
Total Without Donor Restrictions		32,314,645		32,764,679
With Donor Restrictions (Note 4)		3,670,197		4,382,150
Total Net Assets	·····	35,984,842		37,146,829
Total Liabilities And Net Assets	\$	43,026,709	\$	44,855,076

# STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For The Years Ended August 31, 2023 And 2022

		2023			2022	
	Without	With		Without	With	
	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total
Support And Revenue Contributions Program fees	\$ 14,678,720 225,077	\$ 1,021,812	\$ 15,700,532 225,077	\$ 14,788,377 227,939	\$ 1,291,004	\$ 16,079,381 227,939
Bookstores sales (net of cost of sales of \$37,463 and \$139,943 for 2023 and 2022, respectively)	16,151	1	16,151	(40,693)	I	(40,693)
Investment income Net assets released from restrictions (Note 4)	53,275 1.733.765	(1,733,765)	53,275	9,720	(580,684)	9,720
Total Support And Revenue	16,706,988	(711,953)	15,995,035	15,566,027	710,320	16,276,347
Expenses Program Services: Ministry	9,677,397		9,677,397	8,776,654	l	8,776,654
Total Program Services	12,370,055		12,370,055	10,616,901		10,616,901
Supporting Services:						
Management and general Fundraising and development	4,857,860 73,459		4,857,860 $73,459$	4,565,177 $65,740$		4,565,177 $65,740$
Total Supporting Services	4,931,319		4,931,319	4,630,917		4,630,917
Total Expenses	17,301,374		17,301,374	15,247,818		15,247,818
Excess (Deficit) Of Support And Revenue Over Expenses Before Nonoperating Activity	(594,386)	(711,953)	(1,306,339)	318,209	710,320	1,028,529
Nonoperating Income Other income	144,352		144,352	39,607		39,607
Increase (Decrease) In Net Assets	(450,034)	(711,953)	(1,161,987)	357,816	710,320	1,068,136
Net Assets - Beginning Of Year	32,764,679	4,382,150	37,146,829	32,406,863	3,671,830	36,078,693
Net Assets - End Of Year	\$ 32,314,645	\$ 3,670,197	\$ 35,984,842	\$ 32,764,679	\$ 4,382,150	\$ 37,146,829

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# STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES For The Year Ended August 31, 2023

	211	TOTAL DOLLARDS	3	ไท่ก	eann iae Suri Inddine	3	
		Community Inreach &	Total Program	Management And	Fundraising And	Total Supporting	
	Ministry	Outreach	Services	General	Development	Services	Total
Salaries And Benefits \$	3,802,757	\$ 267,637	\$ 4,070,394	\$ 3,410,773	\$ 73,459	\$ 3,484,232	\$ 7,554,626
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Other Expenses	10.403	1	10.403	15 262	!	15.262	25,665
Continuos and conventions	80.203	25 496	105 699	4.744		4.744	110,443
Drives and events	34,985	349,597	384,582	2,160	1	2,160	386,742
Equipment rentals	214,905		214,905				214,905
Grants, benevolence and donations		2,042,411	2,042,411	397,672		397,672	2,440,083
Insurance	}			104,325	1	104,325	104,325
Interest	260,419		260,419	27,549	1	27,549	287,968
Occupancy	1,155,065		1,155,065	102,178		102,178	1,257,243
Office administration	26,068	127	26,195	113,304	1	113,304	139,499
Other expenses	2,123	374	2,497	28,228	1	28,228	30,725
Outsourced services	396,191	1,359	397,550	76,531	ļ	76,531	474,081
Processing fees	249		249	201,137		201,137	201,386
Professional fees	5,999		5,999	76,401	1	76,401	82,400
Rent		1		18,800	1	18,800	18,800
Services/events/classes	1,279,292	811	1,280,103	7,765	aupama	7,765	1,287,868
Subscriptions and memberships	65,149	4,106	69,255	130,113	1	130,113	199,368
Supplies and repairs	77,300	1	77,300	100,073	1	100,073	177,373
Training and development	117,877	740	118,617	40,845	***************************************	40,845	159,462
Total Other Expenses	3,726,228	2,425,021	6,151,249	1,447,087		1,447,087	7,598,336
Depreciation And Amortization	2,148,412		2,148,412		1		2,148,412
	\$ 9,677,397	\$ 2,692,658	\$ 12,370,055	\$ 4,857,860	\$ 73,459	\$ 4,931,319	\$ 17,301,374

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# STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES For The Year Ended August 31, 2022

	Pr	Program Services	S	Su	Supporting Services	es	
ı		Community Inreach &	Total	Management And	Fundraising And	Total Supporting	
	Ministry	Outreach	Services	General	Development	Services	Total
Salaries And Benefits	\$ 3,527,885	\$ 248,291	\$ 3,776,176	\$ 3,432,380	\$ 65,740	\$ 3,498,120	\$ 7,274,296
Other Expenses							
Communications	7,398	anguana	7,398	2,783		2,783	10,181
Conferences and conventions	27,602	31,003	58,605	2,423	ł	2,423	61,028
Drives and events	8,392	357,711	366,103	1			366,103
Equipment rentals	151,323		151,323				151,323
Grants, benevolence and donations		1,192,693	1,192,693			1	1,192,693
Insurance		i	1	108,597		108,597	108,597
Interest	299,661		299,661	23,701		23,701	323,362
Occupancy	1,009,117		1,009,117	89,508	1	80,508	1,098,625
Office administration	21,329	261	21,590	151,251		151,251	172,841
Other expenses	2,797	1,215	4,012	2,238	1	2,238	6,250
Outsourced services	296,035		296,035	213,744		213,744	509,779
Processing fees	2,261	1	2,261	187,675		187,675	189,936
Professional fees	5,526	ļ	5,526	71,028		71,028	76,554
Rent		1	1	17,896	1	17,896	17,896
Services/events/classes	1,135,022	2,024	1,137,046	6,162		6,162	1,143,208
Subscriptions and memberships	51,217	5,829	57,046	126,126	1	126,126	183,172
Supplies and repairs	62,167	-	62,167	89,458		89,458	151,625
Training and development	114,081	1,220	115,301	40,207		40,207	155,508
Total Other Expenses	3,193,928	1,591,956	4,785,884	1,132,797		1,132,797	5,918,681
Depreciation And Amortization	2,054,841		2,054,841				2,054,841
	\$ 8,776,654	\$ 1,840,247	\$ 10,616,901	\$ 4,565,177	\$ 65,740	\$ 4,630,917	\$ 15,247,818

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# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

		For The	Yea	rs
		Ended Aug	gust	
		2023		2022
Cash Flows From Operating Activities	ф	/1 101 00 <b>2</b> )	ф	1 000 100
Change in net assets	\$	(1,161,987)	\$	1,068,136
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash				
from operating activities:		0 1 40 410		0.054.041
Depreciation and amortization		2,148,412		2,054,841
Amortization of debt issuance costs reported		0.055		0.070
as interest expense		2,377		2,378
Gain on sale of equipment		(47,850)		(16,953)
Amounts received to be used for capital projects		(758, 272)		(961,661)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		¥00		0.105
Prepaid expenses		533		6,135
Inventory		4,635		78,895
Other assets		(274,726)		79,072
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		65,558		63,093
Deferred revenue	·	1,526		1,103
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Operating Activities		(19,794)		2,375,039
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Cash Flows From Investing Activities		(1,807,062)		(631,197)
Purchases of land, buildings and equipment		47,850		98,790
Proceeds from sale of property  Net Cash Used In Investing Activities		(1,759,212)		(532,407)
Net Cash Used in investing Activities		(1,100,212)		(002,10./
Cash Flows From Financing Activities				
Proceeds from borrowings under notes payable				2,097,187
Principal payments on long-term debt		(979,901)		(3,015,986)
Contributions received for capital projects		758,272		961,661
Payments on finance lease liabilities		(28,329)		
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Financing Activities		(249,958)		42,862
Net Increase (Decrease) In Cash And Cash Equivalents		(2,028,964)		1,885,494
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Cash And Cash Equivalents - Beginning Of Year		10,541,275		8,655,781
Cash And Cash Equivalents - End Of Year	\$	8,512,311	\$	10,541,275
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Supplemental Disclosure Of Cash Flow Information	\$	285,591	\$	320,984
Interest paid	Ψ	200,001	Ψ,	020,001
Noncash transactions:		46,365		81,466
Fixed assets in accounts payable		10,000		02,100
Cash And Cash Equivalents - End Of Year Consist Of				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,842,114	\$	6,159,125
Cash equivalents restricted for capital projects		3,670,197		4,382,150
	. \$	8,512,311	\$	10,541,275
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## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS August 31, 2023 And 2022

# 1. Summary Of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Accounting Basis**

The Crossing (the Church)'s financial statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred.

#### **Basis Of Presentation**

Financial statement presentation follows the requirements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board for not-for-profit organizations by presenting assets and liabilities within similar groups and classifying them in a way that provides relevant information about the interrelationships, liquidity, and financial flexibility. As a result, the Church is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to the following classes of net assets:

Net assets without donor restrictions - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions and may be expended for any purpose in performing the primary objectives of the Church. These net assets may be used at the discretion of management and the Board of Directors.

Net assets with donor restrictions - Net assets subject to stipulations imposed by donors and grantors. Donor restrictions will be met by actions of the Church or by the passage of time.

#### **Estimates And Assumptions**

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### **Nonoperating Activity**

Nonoperating income and nonoperating expenses include other income and expenses that are not typically recurring items.

#### Cash And Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents and cash equivalents restricted for capital projects include all monies in banks and highly liquid investments with maturity dates of less than three months. From time to time, these accounts may exceed Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) insurance limits. Funds held in excess of the FDIC limit at August 31, 2023 totaled approximately \$4,819,000. Total cash held represents the amount of cash physically deposited in the banks at August 31, 2023 without regard to deposits in transit or outstanding checks. The Church has not experienced any losses on these accounts and does not feel it is subject to significant credit risk related to these accounts.

# Cash Equivalents Restricted For Donor Designations

Contributions received that are restricted by donors have been segregated from cash and cash equivalents and shown in this category.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories represent primarily items held for resale by the bookstore and café. Inventory is stated at the lower of cost or net realizable value, with cost determined on the first-in, first-out method (FIFO).

# Land, Buildings And Equipment

Land, buildings and equipment in excess of \$5,000 are capitalized at cost, or if donated, at the fair market value on the date of the gift. Buildings and improvements, equipment and furniture and fixtures are depreciated using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets ranging from 5 to 30 years. Leasehold improvements are amortized over 15 years.

#### **Debt Issuance Costs**

During 2019, the Church incurred costs of \$16,645 in connection with obtaining a loan, which are classified as a direct deduction from the carrying amount of the related long-term debt. The costs incurred in 2019 will be amortized on a straight-line basis over the related loan period. Amortization expense of debt issuance costs included in interest expense amounted to \$2,377 and \$2,378 for the years ended August 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

	 2023	 2022
Debt issuance costs Less: Accumulated amortization	\$ 16,645 9,709	\$ 16,645 7,332
	\$ 6,936	\$ 9,313

#### Leases

On September 1, 2022, the Church utilized the modified retrospective approach to adopt the provisions of Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) Topic 842, Leases, which includes a number of optional practical expedients that entities may elect to apply. The Church as elected certain practical expedients, including the package of practical expedients to not reassess prior conclusions related to contracts containing leases, lease classification and initial direct costs. The initial adoption of ASC 842 did not result in a cumulative adjustment to net assets. Results for 2023 are presented under ASC 842, while the prior period financial statements have not been adjusted and continue to be presented under ASC 840, the accounting standard in effect at that time.

The Church maintains leases of office equipment and parking lot space. Lease right-of-use (ROU) assets and lease liabilities are recognized based on the present value of the future minimum lease payments over the lease term at commencement date. The ROU assets represent the lease liability, plus any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, less any lease incentives received. The Church's leases generally have terms of five years. The Church does not record ROU assets or lease liabilities for leases with an initial expected lease term of 12 months or less.

The lease terms utilized in determining ROU assets and lease liabilities include the noncancellable portion of the underlying leases along with renewal periods, only if it is reasonably certain that the option will be exercised. When determining if a renewal option is reasonably certain of being exercised, the factors considered, include but are not limited to, the cost of moving to another location, the cost of disruption of operations, the purpose or location of the leased asset and the terms associated with extending the lease.

As most leases do not provide an implicit discount rate, the Church has made an election available to private companies that allows the use of the risk-free rate at the lease commencement date to determine the present value of the lease payments.

The Church does not separate non-lease components of a contract from the lease components to which they relate for all classes of lease assets.

#### Support With And Without Donor Restrictions

Disclosures about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from revenue streams that are not within the scope of *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)* are as follows:

Contributions, including unconditional promises to give, are classified as support with donor restrictions if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

If the Church receives contributions, which are conditioned upon certain performance requirements and/or the incurrence of allowable qualifying expenses, amounts received would be recognized as contribution revenue when the Church has met the performance requirements and/or incurred expenditures in compliance with specific contract or grant provisions. Any amounts received prior to meeting these conditions would be reported as refundable advances in the statement of financial position. The Church did not have any conditional contributions as of August 31, 2023 or 2022.

#### **Deferred Revenue**

Payments received in the current year for an event to be held in the following year are recorded as deferred revenue in the current year and are recognized as revenue in the following year.

#### **Contributed Services**

The Church receives a substantial amount of services donated by its members in carrying out the Church's ministry. No amounts have been reflected in the financial statements for those services since they do not meet the criteria for recognition.

#### **Advertising Costs**

During 2023 and 2022, the Church's advertising costs were expensed as incurred and totaled \$3,541 and \$968, respectively.

# Description Of Program Services And Supporting Activities

The following program services and supporting activities are included in the accompanying financial statements:

#### **Program Services**

Includes adult and youth ministry; membership and community inreach and outreach; communication and music/worship expenses of the Church; and overall building operations.

# **Management And General Activities**

Includes the functions necessary to maintain an equitable employment program; ensure an adequate working environment; provide coordination and articulation of the Church's program strategy; secure proper administrative functioning of the Board; and manage the financial and budgetary responsibility of the Church.

## **Fundraising And Development**

Provides the structure necessary to encourage and secure financial support from individuals, organizations, corporations, and public agencies.

# **Functional Expense Allocation**

The statement of functional expenses presents expenses by function and natural classification. Expenses directly attributable to a specific functional area of the Church are reported as specific to that functional area. Expenses that benefit multiple functional or program areas have been allocated across programs and other supporting services based on time studies and square footage. The expenses that are allocated include the following:

Natural Category	Method
Salaries and benefits Interest Occupancy Rent Supplies & repairs Depreciation	Time study Direct and square footage Direct and square footage Square footage Direct and square footage Square footage

#### Tax Status

The United States Treasury Department has advised that the Church constitutes a qualified not-for-profit organization and is, therefore, exempt from federal income taxes on related, exempt income under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

#### **Subsequent Events**

Management has evaluated subsequent events through the date of the accompanying review report, which is the date the financial statements were available for issue.

# 2. Nature Of Organization

The Church was organized on September 7, 1990. The Church is a not-for-profit organization with locations in Chesterfield, Fenton, Mehlville and O'Fallon, Missouri, and is dedicated to spreading the Gospel through establishing, developing and promoting all aspects of church ministry within the St. Louis metropolitan area. The Church is supported primarily through contributions from the church attendees. Weekly attendance approximates 5,800 across all locations.

# 3. Land, Buildings And Equipment

Land, buildings and equipment consists of the following:

 2023		2022
\$ 4,029,281	\$	4,029,281
45,789,892		45,355,904
 5,130,190		3,955,043
 54,949,363		53,340,228
 21,285,503		19,332,014
\$ 33,663,860	\$	34,008,214
\$	\$ 4,029,281 45,789,892 5,130,190 54,949,363 21,285,503	\$ 4,029,281 \$ 45,789,892 5,130,190 54,949,363 21,285,503

Depreciation and amortization charged to expense amounted to \$2,148,412 and \$2,054,841 in 2023 and 2022, respectively.

The Church reviews its investment in property and equipment for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of such property and equipment may not be recoverable. If the property and equipment are considered to be impaired, the impairment to be recognized is measured at the amount by which the carrying amount exceeds the fair value of such property and equipment. There was no impairment loss recognized for the years ended August 31, 2023 or 2022.

#### 4. Net Assets With Donor Restrictions

At August 31, 2023 and 2022, net assets with donor restrictions consist of:

	2023	2022
Big Picture Campaign Outreach Bibles	\$ 3,666,194 3,755 248	\$ 4,359,336 22,330 484
	\$ 3,670,197	\$ 4,382,150

During fiscal years 2023 and 2022, net assets were released from restrictions as follows:

	 2023	 2022
Big Picture Campaign	\$ 1,133,198	\$ 
Outreach	543,681	580,684
Bibles	236	
Red Tail Cadets	56,650	 
	\$ 1,733,765	\$ 580,684

# 5. Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt consists of the following:

ing-term debt consists of the following.	 2023	 2022
Mortgage payable with monthly principal and interest payments of \$73,259. Unpaid principal and interest is due in February 2027. The mortgage is secured by real property in Chesterfield, Missouri.	\$ 2,406,095	\$ 3,168,980
Mortgage payable with monthly principal and interest payments of \$15,219. Unpaid principal and interest is due on July 31, 2026. The loan is secured by real property in Chesterfield and Fenton, Missouri.	2,176,288	2,283,307
Mortgage payable with monthly principal and interest payments of \$14,972. Unpaid principal and interest is due April 22, 2027. The loan is secured by real property in St. Charles County, Missouri.	1,951,533	2,061,530
Less: Current portion of long-term debt	6,533,916 1,004,009	7,513,817 964,941
<u> </u>	\$ 5,529,907	\$ 6,548,876

Long-term debt matures as follows:

Year	Amount	;
0004	\$ 1,004,009	1
2024		
2025	1,045,040	)
2026	2,886,096	3
2027	1,598,771	L
	\$ 6,533,916	<u>;</u>

Interest expense totaled \$277,849 and \$320,984 and for the years ended August 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

Long-term debt agreements contain certain administrative covenants. The Church was in compliance with all covenants as of the date of this report. In September 2023, the Church repaid the mortgage payable of \$2,406,095 to the bank.

#### 6. Leases

The Church has a financing lease for parking lot space in Fenton, Missouri that expires in May 2027. The lease includes an option to renew for three additional five year terms or terminate the lease that can be exercised at the Church's discretion. The Church believes it is reasonably certain to exercise the options and the entire option period is included in the lease term. The Church also has two finance leases for copiers that expire in February 2026 and January 2028.

The components of lease expense for the year ended August 31, 2023 are as follows:

Finance Lease Costs	Classification		
Amortization of ROU assets:	Office administration	\$ 24	,594
	Rent	7	,503
Interest	Interest	7	,742
		\$ 39	,839

Cash flow and other information related to these leases are:

Cash Flow Information:	
Cash paid for finance leases included in operating activities	\$ 7,742
Cash paid for finance leases included in financing activities	28,329
ROU assets obtained in exchange for new finance lease obligations	187,172
Other Information:	
Weighted-average remaining term - finance leases	7.9 years
Weighted-average discount rate - finance leases	4.03%

The reconciliation of the undiscounted cash flows for each of the next five years and total remaining years of the lease liabilities recorded on the balance sheet is as follows:

	Finance
Year	 Leases
2024	\$ 53,318
2025	53,318
2026	51,856
2027	50,618
2028	27,149
Thereafter	 91,125
Total minimum obligations	327,384
Less: Amount representing interest	48,223
Present value of minimum lease payments	279,161
Less: Current portion	 42,876
	\$ 236,285

The future minimum lease commitments under the terms of the lease were as follows at August 31, 2022:

,	Fenton	Equ	iipment	
Year	 Lease		Leases	Total
Manufacture (1971)				
2023	\$ 9,000	\$	34,896	\$ 43,896
2024	9,000		41,393	50,393
2025	9,000		41,393	50,393
2026	9,000		41,393	50,393
2027	6,750		41,393	48,143
Thereafter	-		13,798	13,798
	\$ 42,750	\$	214,266	\$ 257,016

Rent expense for all leases amounted to \$72,745 for the year ended August 31, 2022.

#### 7. Retirement Plan

The Church maintains a retirement plan in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 401(k). The plan covers eligible employees and provides for tax deferred contributions. Employee contributions are discretionary and are subject to the maximum amounts allowed by law. Employer contributions are made from time to time in such amounts as determined by the Church. The Church made contributions to the plan totaling \$314,784 and \$284,147 for the years ended August 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

# 8. Commitments And Contingencies

The Church is involved in various legal matters that, in the opinion of management, will not have a material effect on the Church's financial position or changes in net assets.

# 9. Liquidity And Available Resources

As of August 31, 2023 and 2022, assets available within one year of the statement of financial position date for general expenditures are as follows:

	2023	2022
Cash and cash equivalents Cash equivalents restricted for capital projects Other assets	\$ 4,842,114 3,670,197 516,162	\$ 6,159,125 4,382,150 241,436
Total financial assets	9,028,473	10,782,711
Less amounts not intended to be used within one year or with restrictions:  Net assets with donor restrictions  Other assets	$3,670,197 \ 516,162$	4,382,150 241,436
Total financial assets not intended to be used within one year	4,186,359	4,623,586
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year	\$ 4,842,114	\$ 6,159,125

The Church regularly monitors liquidity required to meet its operating needs. The Church's sources of liquidity at its disposal include cash and cash equivalents.

For purposes of analyzing resources available to meet general expenditures over a 12-month period, the Church considers all expenditures related to its ongoing programs as well as the conduct of services undertaken to support those programs to be general expenditures.

In addition to financial assets available to meet general expenditures over the next 12 months, the Church anticipates collecting sufficient revenue to cover general expenditures not covered by donor-restricted resources.