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## YEAR IN REVIEW

APOCALYPTIC  
EIGHTEENTH  
CENTURY

EXPANDING  
PARTNERSHIPS

SURPRISING  
BIBLE  
DONATION

# American Congregational Association Statement of Activities

From April 1, 2023 through March 31, 2024

## OPERATING REVENUES

Contributions and Grants	\$260,349
In-Kind Contributions	2,806
Endowment Assets appropriated for operations	1,410,000
Other Income	8,958
Net Assets released from restrictions	0
<b>Total Revenue and other support</b>	<b>1,682,113</b>

## OPERATING EXPENDITURES

Occupancy	593,374
Employee Compensation and Related	716,152
Professional Fees	241,590
Depreciation	114,803
Program Costs	73,648
Program: Digitization	16,863
Books, binding and periodicals	20,846
Insurance	35,143
Office	32,369
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>1,844,788</b>

<b>CHANGE IN NET ASSETS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>(162,675)</b>
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## NON-OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Investment gains (losses), net	4,290,614
Endowment Assets appropriated for operations	(1,410,000)
<b>Total Non-Operating Activities</b>	<b>2,880,614</b>

<b>NET ASSETS, BEGINNING</b>	<b>27,492,747</b>
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<b>NET ASSETS, ENDING</b>	<b>30,210,686</b>
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<b>CHANGE IN NET ASSETS</b>	<b>2,717,939</b>
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