

THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TREASURER (updated 3/10)

Main Point:

- the treasurer is appointed by the Church Council (10)

10 Appointment

The Church treasurer (who is appointed by the Church Council and must be a member of the Methodist Church), is a member of the Church Council and the finance committee (where one is in existence). Circuit and District treasurers are appointed in a similar way. It is appropriate to involve all Church treasurers in Church and Circuit committees on finance and property. Circuit treasurers are also often involved in finance meetings at District level. This has a beneficial effect in promoting awareness of financial responsibilities throughout the church.

Treasurers do not necessarily assume sole responsibility for the handling of all Church money. Nevertheless the treasurer is the key person who will maintain the financial accounts and complete ***the Standard Form of Accounts***.

In some instances where major projects such as building projects are undertaken another treasurer may be appointed to manage those funds.