## **Ecumenical Appointments**

# Methodist Representative to the Provincial Synod of the Moravian Church in Great Britain and Ireland (8 – 11 July 2016).

The Revd Peter K Bates

Reasoned statement: Supernumerary presbyter; was deeply involved in forming an LEP including a Moravian church

#### \*\*\*RESOLUTION

# 25/1. The Council appoints the Revd Peter K Bates as Methodist Representative to the Provincial Synod of the Moravian Church in Great Britain and Ireland (8 – 11 July 2016).

### Additional Methodist member of the Joint Covenant Advocacy and Monitoring Group: The Revd Caroline Wickens

Reasoned statement: Presbyter; DMLN Officer; core staff member, STETS (2005-07); jointly appointed (+CMS) mission partner at St Paul's United Theological College, Limuru, Kenya (2001-2005)

#### \*\*\*RESOLUTION

# 25/2. The Council appoints the Revd Caroline Wickens as Methodist member of the Joint Covenant Advocacy and Monitoring Group.

#### Additional Methodist member of the British Methodist-Roman Catholic Dialogue Commission: The Revd Josette A Crane

Reasoned statement: Presbyter; affiliated to The Teresian Association, an international Catholic lay group

### \*\*\*RESOLUTION

25/3. The Council appoints the Revd Josette A Crane as Methodist member of the British Methodist-Roman Catholic Dialogue Commission.

### Additional Methodist member of the Ecumenical Stakeholders' Forum:

The Revd Helen R Letley Reasoned statement: District Ecumenical Officer in the South East District

#### \*\*\*RESOLUTION

25/4. The Council appoints the Revd Helen R Letley as Methodist member of the Ecumenical Stakeholders' Forum.

### Methodist Church House (MCH) Management Committee

The MCH Management Committee has nominated a new member and requests the following appointment.

Mr Michael E Crane, FRICS, is highly experienced in the management of buildings, in particular in the area of valuation surveying, leases and rent reviews and is a Fellow of the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors. Mr Crane worked for 30 years managing the property portfolio of Lloyds Bank in the South-West of England.

#### \*\*\*RESOLUTION

25/5. The Council appoints Mr Michael E Crane to the Methodist Church House Management Committee.

## **Safeguarding Committee**

The Council is asked to appoint the Revd Vernon Marsh to the Safeguarding Committee, under SO 232(1)(ii). Mr Marsh is a supernumerary presbyter with 41 years of experience in ministry including time as a District Chair. He has a strong grasp of how the church works and a clear commitment to safeguarding.

## \*\*\*RESOLUTION

25/6. The Council appoints the Revd Vernon Marsh to the Safeguarding Committee.