Methodist Council Appointments, October 2017

(Underlined names indicate new committee members. Reasoned statements as received are set out at the end of the committee listings.)

PART I: COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE COUNCIL FOR 2016-17

(1) All We Can (Methodist Relief and Development Fund) Trustees (SO245)

Ms Louise Brooke-Smith (Chair), Dr Richard Vautrey (Vice Chair), Mrs Caroline Blower (Honorary Treasurer), Miss Diola Bijlhout, Miss Claire Boxall, Ms Jane Briginshaw, Ms Ria Delves, Dr Andrew Dye, Ms Christy-Anna Errington, Mrs Carolyn Lawrence, Mr Kit Lewis, Mr Robert Mahoney, the Revd David Nixon.

(2) Authorisations Committee (SO 011)

The Revds Andrew J Lunn (Chair), <u>Gareth L Hill</u>, Samuel E McBratney, Janet E Preston, Andrew M Roberts, Philip J Taylor, Sally Thornton; Deacon Andrew Carter.

(3) Candidates' Appeals Committee (SO 326A)

The Revds R Graham Carter (Chair), Christopher J Cheeseman, David S Cruise, Sylvester O Deigh, Dr David Dickinson, Sheila Foreman, Doreen C Hare, Margaret P Jones, Anthony F McClelland, Vindra Maraj Ogden, Colin A Smith, Philip S Turner, Nicola Vidamour; Deacons Kathleen Barrett, Allyson Henry, Gwenllian R Knighton, Jane S Middleton, G Peter Ogle, Andrew C Packer;

Mr Terry Ayres, Mrs Stella Bristow, Mr David Hulse, Mrs Ann P Leck.

(4) Cliff College Committee (SO 341(1))

- i) The Revd Rachel Deigh (Chair)
- ii) Mr Stephen Holliday (Vice Chair)
- iii) The Revd J Alastair Sharp (nominated by the Network Committee)
- iv) The Revd Ashley Cooper (Principal)
- v) <u>Mr Ashley France</u>, Mr Matthew Lee, Mrs Joan Ryan, *2 vacancies TBC*Non voting observers: <u>Mr Andy Beard</u> (Student President), Ms Jude Levermore (Head of Discipleship and Ministries Cluster), Mr John Newton (Financial Registrar), Mr <u>Paul Taylor</u> (Operations Director), Dr <u>Justin Thacker</u> (Academic Director).

(5) Connexional Allowances Committee (SO 212(4))

The Revds Paul D Critchley, Stuart Gunson, Stephen J Lindridge; Deacon Jenny Jones; Ms Janet Arthur, Mr John A Bell (Chair), Mrs Suzie Long, Mr John Monkhouse, Mr Brian Oakley.

(The same persons also act as the committee for each of the following: Aspinall Robinson Trust, Deaconesses Benevolent Fund, Fund for the Support of Presbyters and Deacons, Methodist Medical Benevolent Fund, Methodist Ministers' Children's Fund (Trinity Hall Trust), Methodist Ministers' Children's Relief Association).

(6) Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Committee (SO 336)

- (i) The Revd Stephen J Poxon
- (ii) Mr Doug Swanney
- (iii) Mr Tim Annan
- (iv) vacant
- (v) The Revds Peter E Barber, Olufemi R W Cole-Njie, Delyth Liddell, Jarel Robinson-Brown; Dr Val Turner.

(7) Finance Sub-Committee of the Strategy and Resources Committee

The Revd Timothy A Swindell (Chair), Mr Ted Awty, Mr Roger Davies, Mr E M Ian Farquhar, Ms Sue Haworth, Mr Malcolm Pearson, the Revd Stephen J Radford.

(8) Global Relationships Strategic Oversight Committee

Members: Dr Daleep S Mukarji (Chair), the Revd Timothy A Swindell (Connexional Treasurer), the Revd Dr Andrew D Wood (SRC member), Mrs <u>Carolyn Lawrence</u> (All We Can), the Revd Dr <u>Laurence Graham</u> (Methodist Church in Ireland), the Revd Catherine Gale, Ms Jenny Borden.

Ex-officio (participant observers): the Revd Neil A Stubbens (Connexional Ecumenical Officer), Mr David J Friswell (World Church Relationships Team Leader), Mr Doug Swanney (Connexional Secretary), Mr Martin Ashford (Head of Mission and Advocacy).

(9) Grading and Remuneration Sub-Committee of the Strategy and Resources Committee Ms Janet Arthur (Chair), The Revd Sue Keegan von Allmen, Mrs Sue Jakeman, Mr Keith Webster. With three independent job grade evaluators appointed to serve in a voluntary capacity as job evaluation panel members for Methodist Council Connexional Team posts: Dr Helen Carter, the Revd David Goodall, Ms Jane Wadsworth.

(10) Joint Advisory Committee on the Ethics of Investment

The Revd Dr Stephen D Wigley (Chair), the Revd Dr Sheryl M Anderson, Dr Brian Gennery, Ms Alison Jackson, Ms Rachel J Lampard, Mr Chris Moorhouse.

(11) Law and Polity Committee (SO 338)

- (i) The Secretary of the Conference: The Revd Canon Gareth J Powell
- (ii) The Secretary of the Committee: Mrs Louise C Wilkins
- (iii) Mr Simon Birks, Mr David Booth, the Revd James A Booth, the Revd James A Cruddas, Mr Graham Danbury, the Revd Jennifer M Dyer, Dr Robert Gaitskell QC, Mr David L Gibson, the Revd Dr Andrew Goodhead, Mr John C Hicks QC, Mrs Susan R Howdle, Mr D Lynn John, Mrs Nwabueze Nwokolo, Miss Elizabeth Ovey, Mr Richard Price, the Revd Julian M Pursehouse, The Revd Keith A Reed, Professor Diane Rowland, The Revd Colin A Smith, The Revd James N Tebbutt, Mr David S Walton.

(12) Listed Buildings Advisory Committee (SO 332)

The Revd Anthony J Parkinson (Chair), Dr Peter Forsaith (Deputy Chair), Mr Peter Iles, Mr Jeremy Lake, Mrs Scilla Latham, Mr Martin Lougher, Mr John Prichard, Professor Roy Swanston, the Revd Richard J Teal, Dr Christopher Wakeling, Ms Helen Whittaker, the Revd Steven J Wild.

(13) London Committee (SO 363)

Chair: The Revd Michaela A Youngson

Two representatives of the Beds, Essex, Herts District: The Revd David M Chapman; Mr Bob Butcher

Two representatives of the London District: The Revd David J Gillman; a vacancy
Two representatives of the South-East District: The Revd John Hellyer, Mr Colin Pearson
One representative of those circuits in Northampton/East Anglia Districts previously in the
London North-East and London North-West Districts: The Revd Dr Michael P Wilson
Treasurer: Mr Michael Allan

Finance Officer (non-member, in attendance) and Secretary: Mr Chris Linford (to December 2017).

(14) Medical Committee (SO 212(5))

<u>Dr Ajay George</u> (Chair), Dr Sarah Ashley, Dr Andrew Doddrell, Dr Ruth Girvan, Dr Carole Jackson, Deacon Karen McBride, Dr Diana Newson, Dr Mark Prentice, the Revd Richard J Teal, Dr Ninian Thomson, Dr Clive Timehin, Dr Richard M Vautrey, Dr E Janet Wigley, the Revd Michaela A Youngson

In attendance: Ms Linda Robotham (Convener).

(15) Methodist Heritage Committee (SO 337)

- (i) Mrs Sarah Friswell
- (ii) Mrs Jennifer M Carpenter, The Revd Ward Jones, the Revd Michael J Parrott, Ms Kate Poole
- (iii) Mrs Alison Butler, Mr Jon Purcell (ex officio)
- (iv) Mr Doug Swanney
- (v) Dr Geoffrey J Dickinson, Dr Peter Forsaith, the Revd Dr David J Hart, the Revd Malcolm D Hickox, the Revd Dr Tim R Woolley.

(16) Methodist Schools Committee

Chair of the committee – to be confirmed

Representatives from Methodist Independent Schools Trust (MIST) – the Revd Dr John C A Barrett, Mr Keith Norman

Representatives from Methodist Academies and Schools Trust (MAST) – Mr <u>Alan Davies</u> JP, the Revd Paul Martin

Representatives from the Wesley Trust – Mr David E Kershaw, a vacancy

(17) Methodist/United Reformed Church Inter Faith Relations Reference Group

The Revd David W Musgrave – Co-Chair, the Revd Barbara C Glasson, Dr Elizabeth Harris, the Revd Cassandra M Howes.

(18) Ministerial Candidates and Probationers Oversight Committee (SO 321)

- (1)(i) no more than three representatives of oversight committees of training institutions; The Revd Sonia M Hicks, Deacon Myrtle Poxon, Mrs Anthea Turner
- (ii) eleven representatives of district Candidates Committees and district Probationers Committees, with not less than two from each type of committee within that total; The Revds J Trevor Dixon, Michael R Parsons, Peter E Powers, Caroline A Weaver; Deacon Tracey Hume; Mrs Rosemary Harrison, Mr David Ingham (Deputy Chair), Miss Marion Mear, Mr David Robson, *a vacancy*
- (iii) one district Chair; The Revd Gillian M Newton (Chair)
- (v) two of the Team members responsible for presbyteral candidates, initial presbyteral training and presbyteral probationers; The Revds Dr Jonathan R Hustler, D Paul Wood (vi) one representative of Synod Cymru when the business requires it;
- (viii) further deacons where necessary to ensure that the committee includes at least two;
- (ix) the secretary of the Stationing Advisory Committee when the business requires it;
- (x) the Warden or deputy Warden of the Methodist Diaconal Order for all business other than the discussion of individual cases. Deacon Karen McBride (Warden of the MDO).

(19) Network Committee: Discipleship & Ministries Learning Network (SO 32A3)

The Revd J Alastair Sharp (chair), Ms Sharon Lam, the Revd Dr Calvin T Samuel, Mr Richard Wills, Mr Ian White, the Revd Graham Thompson, Ms Jude Levermore (non-voting).

(20) One Mission Forum (SO 1001(2)(b))

Dr B Jill Barber (Chair); Mr John D Spencer (Secretary.

District Representatives

The Revds Peter Clark, Jonathan Gichaara, Enid Gordon, Rodney Hill, Leslie Jones, Leslie Judd, Dr Wendy Kilworth-Mason, <u>Deborah Kirk</u>, <u>Jill Marsh</u>, Billy Slatter, Ian Souter, Jennifer A Spouge, <u>Edward Sakwe</u>, <u>Dr Caroline Wickens</u>, Richard W Wilde; Deacon <u>Julie Morton</u>. Mrs <u>Anne Browse</u>, Mrs Jenny Collins, Mr Alex Crosse, Dr Anne Dyer, Ms <u>Jane Gaffney</u>, Mrs Yvonne Gough, Ms Sue Marshall-Jennings; Mrs Anne E Offler; Mrs Pat Peddie; Mr Colin Ride; Mrs Elaine Robinson; Mrs <u>Jo Simpson</u>, Ms <u>Beti Wyn Holmes</u>.

Methodist Church in Ireland: The Revds Laurence Graham, Dr Heather Morris, Peter Murray; Mr Tim Dunwoody.

Connexional Secretary Mr Doug Swanney
Head of Mission and Advocacy Cluster
World Church Relationships Leader Mr David Friswell

Ghana Fellowship
Tonga Fellowship
Tiji Fellowship
The Revd Singa Vonipola
The Revd Jimione Kaci
Nigeria Fellowship
The Revd Deji Okegbile
Zimbabwe Fellowship
The Revd Cleopas Sibanda

Methodists for World Mission Dr Peter Fox

Methodist Women in Britain

World Methodist Council

Grants Stream

Fresh Ways of Being Church

Principal of Cliff College

Mrs Janice Clark

Mrs Helen Woodall

The Revd Hannah Bucke

The Revd Ashley Cooper

Youth President Mr Michael Pryke
All We Can Mr Tim Baker

Chairs' Representative The Revd <u>Steven J Wild.</u>

(21) Oxford Institute of Methodist Theological Studies Committee (OIMTS)(SO 335A)

The Revds Dr Martin Wellings (Chair), Dr Claire R Potter (Secretary), Colin A Smith (Treasurer). Consultant: The Revd Dr Stephen F Skuce.

(22) Prayer Handbook Resource Group

Chair: The Revd Prebendary C Norman R Wallwork

Editor: Mrs Rebecca Law

World Church Relationships Leader: Mr David Friswell

Director of Publishing and Communications: Mr Andy Jackson

Marketing Executive: Ms Sanya Strachan Content Editor and Writer: Mr Ken Kingston

Learning and Development Officer: The Revd Inderjit S Bhogal Member with World Church experience: The Revd Jennifer Potter Member with World Church experience: The Revd G Howard Mellor.

(23) Presbyteral and Diaconal Reinstatements Panel (SO 761(4))

Members of the Ministerial Candidates' Selection Committee (appointed by the Conference) and the Revds John N Bates, Dr Jonathan R Hustler; Mrs Louise C Wilkins.

(24) Property Development Committee

Chair: The Revd Dr Stuart J Burgess

- (i) A connexional treasurer: Mr Ted Awty
- (ii) The Secretary of the Conference (who may delegate the task under SO 116E) The Revd Canon Gareth J Powell
- (iii) Up to eleven other persons which shall include:
 - (a) three District Property Secretaries Mr Cliff Lewer (Nottingham and Derby), Mr David Quick (Leeds), Mr David Stabler (Newcastle)
 - (b) a representative of the Board of the Trustees of Methodist Church Purposes The Revd Dr Keith Davies
 - (c) persons (who may include those listed in (a)) with expertise in at least the following areas: mission and evangelisation, surveying, property management, conservation architecture, funding of property developments, legal issues, planning: Mr Guy Brogden, Mrs Anne Goodman, the Revd Nichola G Jones, Mr James Middleton, the Revd Jennifer R Pathmarajah, Ms Alethea Siow, Mr Jerome Smith, Dr Roy Swanson, the Revd Martin H Turner.

(25) Safeguarding Committee (SO 232)

- (i) The Revds Janet I Atkins, Henry Lewis; Mr Peter Ackerley, Mrs Sarah Chadwick, Ms Sarah Crouchley, Mr Keith Drinkwater, Mrs Barbara Hutchinson, Ms Hilary Murden, Ms Constantia Penny, Ms Monica Ricketts, Ms Gina Tagoe
- (ii) The Revds William R Morrey, Alison F Tomlin (Chair); Deacon Eunice Attwood.

(26) Scrutiny Group

To consider presbyteral and diaconal extensions which are the responsibility of the Council: The Revds Catherine Gale, Dr Jennifer A Hurd, <u>David Shirtliff</u>;

Mr Timothy J Baker, Mr Jack Delbridge, Prof David Matthews, Dr Daleep Mukarji, Mrs Anita Nicholson, Mrs Idy Osibodu.

(27) Stationing Advisory Committee (SO 323)

The Revd Dr Jennifer A Hurd (Chair), Mrs Patricia M Bates, Mrs Alyson Ellis, the Revd Dr Jonathan R Hustler, Mr Ken Jackson, Mrs <u>Pam Lavender</u>, Mrs Ann P Leck, Deacon Karen McBride, the Revd Ian D Pruden, the Revd Nutan Suray, Mr David Tilley, the Revd Ian Yates.

(28) World Methodist Committee (SO 335)

(i) Chair: Mr Doug Swanney Secretary: Mrs Janice Clark

Assistant Secretary: Revd Dr Reynaldo Leao-Neto

Exchange Secretary: Mr David J Friswell

(ii) Other British Members of the World Methodist Council:

The Revds Suva L Catford, Dr David M Chapman, Ashley R Cooper, David Jebb, Samuel E McBratney, Dr Timothy S Macquiban, Canon Gareth J Powell, Dr Andrew D Wood;

Ms Roxanne Bainbridge (Youth Representative), Ms Christine Elliott, Mrs Carolyn Lawrence, Ms Kate Laws.

PART II: TRUSTEES, GOVERNORS, MANAGEMENT BODIES

(29) Connexional Manse Trustees

The Revd Paul Davis (Chair), Mr Reg Everest, Mr Cliff Lewer, Mrs Hilary Porter, Mr David Stabler.

(30) Connexional Trustees for the Central Hall, Oldham Street, Manchester

The Revd David R Westhead, Ms Anne Goodman, Mr Nick Moore, Mr Ian White.

(31) Methodist Church Collection of Modern Christian Art - Trustees

Dr John Gibbs (Chair and Treasurer); The Revd <u>Ruth M Gee</u>, Ms <u>Rebecca Gibbs</u>, The Revd Graham R Kent (Secretary), Mr Paul Bayley, Ms Meryl Doney, Ms Sarah Middleton, Professor Ann Sumner, Mr Bob Williams (Secretary, Friends Group) with Dr Peter Forsaith - Custodian (Research Fellow, Oxford Centre for Methodism and Church History) in attendance.

(32) Methodist Church House Management Committee

Prof Roy Swanston (Chair), Mr Maurice Aspey, The Revd Alan J Combes, Mr Michael Crane, Mr Barry Natton, Mr David A Quick;

Mr Richard Farmery (Adviser), Mr Laurentiu Mateias (Secretary).

(33) Queen Victoria Seamen's Rest Trustees

The Revds Nigel Cowgill, Cameron Kirkwood, Colonel (Rtd) Derek Bristow; Mrs <u>Theodora Ogwezi</u>, Mr Ian Pattison, Ms Geraldine Pearce, Mr Philip Sheppard, Mr Terence Simco (Chair), Mrs Mathilda Small-Byam, Miss Jean Thomas, Mr Barry Vaughan, Mr Roy Wadeson.

(34) Southlands Liaison Group (who are also Trustees of the Southlands Methodist Trust except for the Chaplain and the senior member of the academic staff)

Chair: The Revd Margaret P Jones

Head of Southlands College (ex officio): Dr Christopher W B Stephens

Chaplain of Southlands College (ex officio): The Revd Nicola Morrison (Liaison Group only)

A Senior Member of Academic Staff based in Southlands College nominated by the

University: Dr Lourdes Melcion (Liaison Group only)

Representative of Richmond & Hounslow Circuit: Mr John Logan

Representative of District/Connexion: The Revd Michaela A Youngson (a Chair of the London District)

Representative of the Connexional Team (ex officio): Ms Jude Levermore

Student College President (ex officio): Ms Shaalin Patel (Liaison Group only)

The Revd Dr Joanne H Cox-Darling, Dr Clive Norris, Mr Richard Reeves, The Revd Dr Colin A Smith.

PART III: REPRESENTATIVES TO OTHER BODIES

(35) Churches Ministerial Counselling Service Steering Group

Ms Linda Robotham, Deacon Sarah Bruce.

(36) Free Churches Group

The Revds Nigel Cowgill, Neil A Stubbens.

(37) Leys School Governors

The Revds Julian M Pursehouse, Alison E Walker; Mrs Judith Bell, Mrs Patricia Graves.

(38) Prison Chaplaincy – Free Churches Oversight

The Revd Robert Wilson

(39) South East Institute for Theological Education (SEITE) Governing Body (Methodist Church Representative)

This position is vacant, recruitment underway

(40) Methodist Representative to the United Reformed Church Mission Council (2015-18)

Ms Rachel Lampard

PART IV: ADDITIONAL NOMINATIONS

(41) Connexional Grants Committee (CGC) (SO 213B)

The Connexional Grants Committee wishes to nominate the following new members: Dr Simon H Bruce (Property), Mrs Tracey Collins (Property), Mr Stephen H Cooper (CGC), Miss Sue A Hine (MELD), the Revd Patrick G Kandeh (Mission and Ministry), the Revd Allan Loudon (Chaplaincy), Mr Brian Park (Mission and Ministry), Mr William Swires (World Church) and Mr Anthony M Taylor (CGC)

Reasoned Statements

(The number in brackets refers to the committee number in the list.)

Mr Tim Baker (20) - All We Can representative to the One Mission Forum.

Dr B Jill Barber (20) – New Chair of the One Mission Forum from Spring 2017. She was appointed as a Past Vice-President of the Conference (SO 1001(2)(b)(i) with experience of the global mission of the Church.

The Revd Dr John C A Barrett (16) – Appointed by the Conference to be Chair of Trustees, MIST.

Mr Andy Beard (4) - Student President, Cliff College.

Mrs Anne Browse (20) - Plymouth and Exeter District representative to the One Mission Forum.

Deacon Sarah Bruce (35) - A Deacon in the Wolverhampton Circuit and a trained counsellor, bringing a wealth of experience to the group.

Mr Simon Bruce (41) — Experience of property projects from a local church perspective, previous experience as an international marketing and projects manager.

Ms Tracey Collins (41) – Experience as a trustee of several organisations, expertise in applying good governance, quality assurance and value for money.

The Revd Ashley Cooper (4) - Principal of Cliff College.

Mr Stephen Cooper (41) – Synod Secretary of the Liverpool District, employed as a Circuit Manager. Experience of the Council and the Conference.

Mr Alan Davies JP (16) - Chair of Trustees, MAST and the Wesley Trust. A Methodist with a career in education as school leader, including involvement in academies.

Mr Ashley France (4) - Property manager for Baildon Methodist Church and the Bradford North Circuit, member of a district consent panel and the Central Finance Board.

Ms Jane Gaffney (20) - Northampton District representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd Ruth Gee (31) - Past President of the Conference

Dr Ajay George (14) – Continuing member of the Medical Committee, who is now nominated as chair of the Committee.

Ms Rebecca Gibbs (31) - A trustee of the Gibbs Trust and a granddaughter of John Morel Gibbs, who was the inspiration behind the Methodist Modern Art Collection.

The Revd Dr Laurence Graham (8) - President of the Methodist Church in Ireland and involved in the Connexional Grants Committee World Church Sub-committee and the Methodist Missionary Society in Ireland.

Ms Sue Haworth (7) - A chartered accountant and former member of the Central Finance Board Council.

The Revd Gareth Hill (2) - Minister, Winchester Eastleigh and Romsey Circuit. Experience of Fresh Expressions and pioneer ministry. Fresh Expressions board member.

Ms Sue Hine (41) - Based in the North West Durham Circuit, experience of Senior Management in the Public Sector working closely with communities across all sectors.

Ms Beti Wyn Holmes (20) - District representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd Patrick Kandeh (41) – Presbyter in the Battersea and Wandle Valley Circuit, he brings gifts and graces as an articulate communicator, a team builder and a good preacher, with excellent interpersonal skills.

Mr David Kershaw (16) - Trustee of the Wesley Trust. A Methodist with long involvement as head of secondary schools, and chief executive of a multi-academy trust in Coventry.

The Revd Deborah Kirk (20) – Plymouth and Exeter District representative to the One Mission Forum.

Mrs Pam Lavender (27) – Chair of the Stationing Committee.

Mrs Rebecca Law (22) - A highly experienced editor who has worked for SPCK Christian Publishing, Pavilion Publishing, Continuum, Butterworths Tolley and Square Mile Communications.

Mrs Carolyn Lawrence (20) – Trustee of All We Can, Member of the Methodist Council.

The Revd Allan Loudon (41) – A supernumerary minister, having previously served as circuit minister and superintendent, keen to encourage change and explore new ways of being church in the community. Currently serving as District Policy Committee Secretary.

The Revd Jill Marsh (20) - Northampton District representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd Paul Martin (16) - Trustee of MAST. Chair of the Bolton and Rochdale District. Governor in Methodist and community primary schools. MAST Deputy Chair.

The Revd Howard Mellor (22) - Has served in four widely differing circuits: Deptford and Greenwich, Croydon, Winchester and Hong Kong. For twenty-one years he worked at Cliff College in two posts as Director of Evangelism and Principal.

Deacon Julie Morton (20) - Wolverhampton and Shrewsbury District representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd David Nixon (1) - Currently a Methodist minister in Dublin and the Convenor of the World Development and Relief Committee of the Methodist Church in Ireland. Formerly a Mission Partner in Zambia.

Mr Keith Norman (16) - Trustee of MIST. Retired Deputy Headteacher. Current worship leader at local Methodist Church. MIST Deputy Chair.

Mrs Theodora Ogwezi (33) – Has worked as an accountant since the late 1990s, with experience in both the charity, and commerce and industry sectors.

Mr Brian Park (41) - Served on the Methodist Council as a lay representative for the Darlington District from September 2015 to August 2017. District Treasurer since 2011.

Ms Shaalin Patel (34) - Southlands Student College President.

The Revd Jennifer Potter (22) - Served as a Lay Missionary Teacher in Zambia for four years and as a teacher and church worker in Botswana for 21 years. Formerly International Affairs Secretary in the Connexional Team. Currently a minister at Wesley's Chapel.

Mr Michael Pryke (20) - Youth President.

Mr Jon Purcell (15) - The new Liaison Officer for Methodist Archives. A trained information professional with 38 years of involvement in the strategic management of archives and special collections.

Mr Richard Reeves (34) - Retired company secretary with financial management experience. Chair of local church management and finance committees and a property steward. Past treasurer of Central Hall Westminster and past vice-chair of the Central Finance Board.

The Revd David Shirtliff (26) – Member of the Methodist Council.

Mrs Jo Simpson (20) - Plymouth and Exeter District representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd Edward Sakwe (20) - Wolverhampton and Shrewsbury District representative to the One Mission Forum.

Mr William Swires (41) - Previous experience of serving on the Mission in Britain grants team from 2008 to 2014, he has an understanding of assessing and evaluating grant requests in line with Methodist principles.

Mr Antony Taylor (41) - A qualified accountant (ACMA, CGMA) who has worked as a Finance Director, HR and IT Director. He has been responsible with a multi-disciplined team for the preparation and promotion and review of numerous grant and capital funding applications.

Mr Paul Taylor (4) - Operations Director, Cliff College.

The Revd Richard Teal (12) - District Chair, Cumbria District.

Dr Justin Thacker (4) - Academic Director, Cliff College.

The Revd Dr Caroline Wickens (20) - Manchester and Stockport District representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd Steven Wild (20) - Chairs' Representative to the One Mission Forum.

The Revd Dr Michael Wilson (13) - A supernumerary in the Cambridge Circuit and has served a previous term on the London Committee.

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