

The Methodist CouncilAPPOINTMENTS - METHODIST COUNCIL
SEPTEMBER 2010

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

Italics indicate where we have not been able to update the committee lists as yet – where further updates are received, these will be tabled at the Council meeting.

PART I: COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE COUNCIL FOR 2010-2011**(1) Connexional Allowances Committee (SO 212(4)):**

The Revds Diane Daymond, Graham Thompson, Deacon Ian Murray, Mr John Bell (Acting Chair), Mrs Carole Booth, Dr Roy Swanston (Convener: Mr Philip Bedford-Smith)

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

(2) Medical Committee (SO 212(5))

The Revds William H Anderson, Dr Brenda M Mosedale, Richard J Teal; Professor Peter Howdle; Ms Sarah Cave, Dr Ajay George, Dr Anita Holdcroft, Dr Carole Jackson, Dr Diana Newson, Dr Ninian Thompson, Dr Clive Timehin, Dr Richard Vautrey, Dr Janet Wigley, Deacon Sue Culver.

Non members: Mr Nigel Wrighton (Advisor), Mr Tony Tidey (Convenor)

(3) Ministerial and Diaconal Reinstatements Panel (SO 761(4))**(4) Ministerial Candidates and Probationers Oversight Committee (SO 321)**

Representatives of oversight committees of theological colleges and other training institutions: The Revd Trevor Dixon, Dr Brian Delf

Representatives of district Candidates Committees and district Probationers Committees: The Revds Julie Bradshaw, Caroline Weaver, Danny Wheadon, the Revd Dr Andrew Wood, Miss Averil George

District Chair: The Revd Dr Andrew Wood

Persons who are not ministers: Mr Russell Buley, Mrs Jane Farley, Mr David Ingham

Connexional Team members: Mr Siôn Rhys Evans, Mr Doug Swanney

One representative of Cymru District (when business requires it): The Revd John P Barnett

Further deacons where necessary: Deacon Sue Culver

(5) Stationing Advisory Committee (SO 323)

Revds Vernon Marsh (Chair), Julie Bradshaw, John A Cooke, Peter Molcher, Ian Yates; Mrs Alyson Ellis, Mr Ken Jackson, Dr Tom Jones, Mrs Ann Leck, Deacon Karen McBride, Mr Andrew Owen, Mr Siôn Rhys Evans, Mr Archie Rowe, Mr Doug Swanney, Mr David Tilley

(6) Methodist Diaconal Order Committee

Replaced by Shadow Ministries Committee Resource Group

(7) Diaconal Candidates and Probationers Oversight Committee (SO 326)

The Revds William H Anderson, Jennifer Impey, Donald A Pickard, Deacons Eunice Attwood, Margaret Cox (Convenor), Sue Culver, Claire Gill, Gwenllian Knighton, Tony Martin, Marian Sharp; Mrs Rosemary Harrison, Felicity Budu Manuel, Marion Mear

(7a) Candidates' Appeals Committee (SO326A)

The Revd's Ian White (Chair), Christopher Cheeseman, David S Cruise, Derek H A Davidson, Malcolm Rothwell, Ivan Selman, Ian (*Retired Presbyters*); The Revd's Tony McClelland, Sylvester O Deigh, Dr Dave Dickinson, Doreen Hare, Andrew Hollins, Vindra Maraj Ogden Colin A Smith, Philip Turner, Nicola Vidamour (*Serving Presbyters*); Deacons Kate Barrett, Gwynneth Bamford, Andrew Carter, Al Henry, Gwenllian Knighton, Margaret Matta, Karen McBride, Jane Middleton, Peter Ogle; Dr Stewart Barr, Mrs Stella Bristow, Mr David Dalziel (Convenor), Mr David Hulse, Mrs Ann Leck, Mrs Helen Martyn, Mr David E Morgan, Miss Ann Pardoe, Mrs Joyce Powell,

(8) Property Committee
deleted

(9) Listed Buildings Advisory Committee (SO 332)
The Revd Anthony Parkinson (Chair), Ms Elaine Blackett-Ord, Dr Peter Forsaith, Dr June Hargreaves, Mr Ian Hume, Mr Jeremy Lake, Dr Richard Newman, Mr John Prichard, Dr Christopher Wakeling, Ms Helen Whittaker, The Revd Steven Wild

(10) World Church Committee
deleted

(11) Committee for Local Ecumenical Development (SO 334)
deleted

(12) World Methodist Committee (SO 335)
Chair: to be appointed
Exchange Secretary: Karen Jobson
Secretary: Mrs Anne Vautrey
Assistant Secretary: Ms Yvonne Neblett
Treasurer: Ms Ruby Beech
Other British Members of the Executive Committee of the World Methodist Council: The Revds John C A Barrett (Chair), J W Wesley Blakey, R Graham Carter, Reynaldo Leao-Neto, Peter Sulston, Jennifer Ann Sweet; Mr Luke Curran, Mrs Dawn Edwards, Ms Chris Elliott (ex-officio) Mr Martin Harker, Mrs Ann Leck, Mrs Kathleen Pearson, Mrs Rosemary Wass, Ms Rosemary Wells,

(13) Racial Justice Committee (SO 336)
suspended

(14) Archives and History Committee (SO 337)
replaced by Methodist Heritage Committee

Methodist Heritage Committee (SOs 212(11) and 936

Chair: The Revd the Lord Griffiths of Burry Port,

SW sites and Trustee representative of the New Room: Mr Gary Best

SE sites and Trustee representative of Wesley's Chapel: The Revd Jennifer Potter

NE sites and Trustee representative of the Old Rectory Epworth: The Revd David Leese

NW sites and Trustee representative of Englesea Brook Chapel and Museum of Primitive Methodism: Mr John Bell

The Revds, Dr Stephen Hatcher, Dr Tim Macquiban, Dr Mark Wakelin, Dr Martin Wellings; Mr Keith Cheetham, Dr Deborah Gaitskell,

(15) Law and Polity Committee (SO 338)
The Secretary of the Conference: The Revd Dr Martyn D Atkins
The Convenor of the Committee: The Revd David Gamble
The Secretary of the Committee: The Revd Gareth Powell

The Revds James A Booth, Jennifer M Dyer, Kenneth G Howcroft, Keith A Reed, Colin A Smith, Kenneth E Street, James N Tebbutt; Mr Simon Birks, Mr David Booth, Mr James Cruddas, Mr Graham Danbury, Dr Robert Gaitskell, Mr David L Gibson, Mr John C Hicks, Mrs Susan R Howdle, Mr Howel E James, Mr D Lynn John, Mrs Nwabueze Nwokolo, Miss Elizabeth Ovey, Mr G Alan Pimlott, Mr John H Player, Mr Richard Price, Mr John Walters, Mr David S Walton, Mr Timothy B Warren.

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

Chair/Management: Mr Charles Freebury
Vice Chair/Publicity/Supporters: Mr John Moorley
Academic Advisor: Revd Prof James Grayson
Financial Management: Mr Neil Fell
Mission/Connexional Representative: TBA
Governance/Connexional Representative: Mr John Bell
Financial Service (Commercial/management): Mr Trevor Moore
Staff – Pastoral/Supporter base: Mrs Margaret Parker
Staff – Human Resources management: Mr Peter Symes
Estates Management: (Vacant)
Principal: Revd Dr Chris Blake
Business Operations Manager: Mr Rick Fillingham

(17) Forces Board (SO 355)

The Revds Scott Brown, Earnie Grimshaw, Robert L Jones (convener), Ray Pentland, Jean Quick, Kevin Savage, Jonathan Woodhouse, Mr Colin Breed MP, Lieut Colonel Jeremy Drage, Mr Peter Green Miss Shirley Hewitt, Major (retd) David Rogerson, Mr Doug Swanney, Lt Cdr (retd) Matthew Thomas

(18) London Committee (SO 363)

Chair: Revd Dr Stuart Jordan
Two representatives of the Beds, Essex, Herts District: The Revd Anne E Brown; Mr Brian Webber
Two representatives of the London District: The Revd David Gillman; Mr Robert Barker
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 Michael Wilson
Treasurer: Mr Gordon Slater
Finance Officer (non-member, in attendance) & Secretary: Mr Chris Linford

(19) Methodist Relief and Development Fund Trustees (SO 245)

The Revds Sonia Hicks, Graham Thompson, Kathleen Loughlin, Eric Mustapha, Ms Claire Boxall, Mr John Cammack, Mr Bala Gnanapragasam, Mr John Hindson, Ms Claire Holder, Professor David Matthews, Mr Max Teare

(20) Y Gymanfa

deleted

(21) Day Schools Committee (SO 342)

replaced by 'Maintained Schools' Stakeholders Forum'

Maintained Schools' Stakeholders Forum

Chair: Dr Lois Loudon
District Chair: The Revd Liz Smith (Leeds)
Section 48 Inspector: Mr Neville Norcross
Foundation Governor: Mr John Richardson
District Representative to the Stakeholders Forum (SE): Mrs Christine Rogers
Headteacher Nutgrove Methodist Aided Community Primary School: Mr Ian Rimmer

- (22) **MHA/Methodist Church Forum**
deleted
- (23) **Connexional Local Preachers' Committee**
deleted
- (24) **Lay Employees' Advisory Committee**
deleted
- (25) **Wesley Guild Executive Committee**
deleted
- (26) **Training Strategies and Resources Executive**
replaced by Shadow Ministries Committee Resource Group
- (27) **Ordained Ministries Committee**
replaced by Shadow Ministries Committee Resource Group
- (27a) **Shadow Ministries Committee Resource Group**
The Revds James Booth, Anne Brown, Jenny Impey, Vernon Marsh, Stephen Poxon, Andrew Wood, Deacon Susan Culver, Mr John Bell, Mr Ken Jackson, Mr Siôn Rhys Evans, Mr Doug Swanney, Mr John Whitehead
- (28) **Creative Arts in Methodism**
deleted
- (29) **Committee for Interfaith Relations**
replaced by Shadow Ministries Committee Resource Group
- (30) **The Prayer Handbook Resource Group (ex-Prayer Handbook Committee)**
Chair: The Revd Norman Wallwork
Head of CCEA: Ms Claire Herbert
Spirituality & Discipleship Officer: The Revd Jenny Ellis,
WCR Team Leader: Mr Mike King,
Editor: Ms Primivera Quantril
(NB: other members of the Team may attend, or support/engage, in an advisory capacity from time to time)
- (31) **Scrutiny Group (Senior Members of the Connexional Team)**
Appointed by the Council to consider ministerial and diaconal extensions which are its direct responsibility:
Ms Kathy Burrell, The Revd Alan Ashton and The Revd Ermal Kirby
- (32) **Advisory Committee on the Ethics of Investment**
The Revd John D Howard (Chair), Dr David Clough, Dr Brian Gennery, Ms Alison Jackson, Ms Rachel Lampard, Mr Chris Moorhouse (six members appointed by the Central Finance Board)
- (33) **Safeguarding Advisory Panel (SO 232(1))**
The Revd Ian T White (Convener)
(i) The Revds Jan Atkins, Phil Lockett; Peter Ackerley, Tim Carter, Sarah Chadwick, Hilary Murden, Ann Taylor, Chris Wood, Dilys Wood,
(ii) The Revds Michael Townsend, Frances Young; Deacon Margaret L Cox, Ms Ruby Beech, Professor Peter Howdle, Dr Judith M May-Parker
- (34) **Interface (ex-Forum for Culture & Ideas, ex-Apologetics Group)**
Now Faith and Order Resource Group

- (35) **Business and Economic Affairs Advisory Group**
The Revds John Hellyer, Andrew Letby, Rose Leto, Gerald Moule; Mr John Bell (Chair), Ms Helen Constigne, Mr Paul Morrison, Mr Paul Nowak (TUC Rep), Mr Bill Seddon, Mr Peter White, Mr David Wrighton
- (36) **Committee for Gender Justice**
deleted
- (37) **Authorisations Committee**
The Revds Keith Burrow (Secretary), David Perry (Chair), John Williams; Mrs Geraldine Morgan, Deacon Jane Rice, two vacancies

PART II: TRUSTEES, GOVERNORS, MANAGEMENT BODIES

- (38) **Connexional Manse Trustees**
Mr Harvey Allen, Mr John Bailey, Mr David Duxbury, The Revd Dr Stuart Jordan, Mr Peter Mills, Mrs Hilary Porter, Mr Andrew Thorneley (Chair)
- (39) **North Bank Estate Trustees**
The Revds David Gamble (Chair), Dr Stuart Jordan, Colin Smith, Tim Swindell; Ms Louise Jones, Ms Alice Parker; Mr David Newton, Mr Peter Reynolds (Vice-chair)
- (40) **Connexional Trustees for the Central Hall, Oldham Street, Manchester**
The Revd David Westhead, Mr Ronald W G Lucas (Chair), Ms Anne Hughes-Holmes, Mr Nick Moore, Mr Philip Morrey, Mr G Alan Pimlott (Convenor)
- (41) **Southlands College, Foundation Governors**
replaced by Southlands Liaison Group

Southlands Liaison Group (who are also Trustees of the Southlands Methodist Trust)

Chair: *The Revd Dr David Deeks*

Head of Southlands College: *Professor Yvonne Guerrier*

Chaplain of Southlands College: *The Revd David Innes*

A Senior Member of Academic Staff based in Southlands College nominated by the University: Dr Paul Smith

Representative of Richmond & Hounslow Circuit: *John Logan.*

Representative of District/Connexion: The Revd Jenny Impey (a Chair of the London District)
Stephen Ludlow

Dean Sutton

Nigel Fairhurst

Elizabeth Ovey

- (42) **Methodist International Centre Management Committee**
Currently appointing new Trustees– details to come to the January 2011 Council
- (43) **Queen Victoria Seamen's Rest Trustees**
The Revds Stuart Jordan, Michael Long, Mrs Mathilda Byam, Mr Peter George, Mr Ian Pattison, Ms Geraldine Pearce, Mr Philip Sheppard, Mr Terence Simco (Chair), Miss Jean Thomas, Mr Barry Vaughan, Mr Roy Waddeson
- (44) **Methodist Church Collection of Modern Christian Art - Trustees**
The Revd Graham Kent (Secretary), Paul Bayley, Geoff Cornell, Ms Miriam Davies, Ms Meryl Doney, Dr John Gibbs (Chair), Ms Sarah Middleton, Professor Ann Sumner, Mr Bob Williams with Dr Peter Forsaith (Custodian) in attendance

- (45) **Management Committee for Methodist Church House**
The Revd Geoff Cornell (Chair); Mr John Hutchings, Mr Brian Mansfield, Mr Nick Moore; Maureen Ndagire, Mr Reg Everest (Secretary)

PART III: REPRESENTATIVES TO OTHER BODIES

- (46) **Churches Together in Britain and Ireland - Finance Committee Representative**
deleted
- (47) **United College of the Ascension Governing Body Representatives**
deleted
- Selly Oak Centre for Mission Studies (SOCMS) Advisory Council**
The Revds Adrian Burdon, Andrew Baker; Mr Michael King
- (48) **Prison Chaplaincy - Ecumenical Oversight**
The Revd Alan Ogier
- (49) **Leys School Governors**
The Revds Timothy Macquiban, Graham Thompson
- (50) **Representative to the Church of England General Synod 2010-13**
The Revd Dr Roger Walton
- (51) **Churches' Rural Group**
deleted
- (52) **Board of Management for Methodist Independent Schools**
The Revds Graham Thompson, Mark Wakelin, Peter Whittaker; Dr Peter Briggs (Chair)
Dr Lois Loudon, Mr Brian Drury, Miss Margaret Faulkner
- (53) **Steering Group of the Churches Ministerial Counselling Service**
Mr Tony Tidey, Ms Joy Scholes

Reasoned Statements

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

Dr Diana Newson (2)	<i>is a GP with appropriate expertise and a member of the local Methodist Church.</i>
Dr Ninian Thompson (2)	<i>is a GP with appropriate expertise and a member of the local Methodist Church.</i>
Dr Clive Timehin (2)	is a consultant psychiatrist and a local preacher.
The Revd Vindra Maraj Ogden (7a)	will be one of the few Committee members who during her candidature had experience of appearing before an appeal panel and had to go through the painful journey of reassessing her call. Subsequently she has been a Presbyterian in a changing Bedfordshire Circuit. Here she has ministered to struggling Churches which have made her think and pray about the leadership needed by Methodist Churches.
The Revd Nicola Vidamour (7a)	now has pastoral charge of two multi-cultural Churches in the Newham Circuit following appointments as a Mission Partner in Russia and the Guildford Circuit. She is a former member of the Faith and Order Committee and is currently a member of the Overseas Service Panel and the London District Candidates Committee
The Revd Christopher Cheeseman (7a)	is a Presbyterian who has served for 32 years and is now semi retired in the Lancashire District serving as a Spiritual Counsellor in a Hospice. In his ministry he served in a variety of roles including that of Deputy Chair. Prior to entering the ministry he was a trained Youth and Community Worker and has past service as an Education Adviser. He is also a trained Counsellor.
The Revd Andrew Hollins (7a)	has served as a Presbyterian for 16 years including 11 years of Superintendency. He has just been appointed as the Superintendent in a group of uniting Circuits in Bedfordshire and has past service in a number of District roles including Ministerial Synod Secretary and District Ecumenical Officer. Has experience of scientific work in the NHS and the water industry.
Mr David Hulse (7a)	has early experience in voluntary work with children and young people alongside his chosen profession as a teacher. He concluded his years as a teacher as the Head of a High School in Preston. He is presently a member of the Methodist Council, has served for ten years as a District Treasurer as well as being a member of the North West Training Forum, and the District Candidates Committee.
Deacon Gwenllian Knighton (7a)	Before joining the Diaconal Order Gwenllian taught modern languages in two Authorities. As a Deacon she has served in inner-city and rural appointments in Wales as well serving as a Training and Development Officer in the North Wales and Cymru Districts. She has also been a member of the Faith and Order Resource Group and the Diaconal Candidates Probationers Oversight Committee.
Deacon Al Henry (7a)	has had a series of interesting experiences in Church work and commerce before leaving St. Lucia in the Caribbean. On coming to England he trained at Cliff College and Queens

		College prior to serving as a Deacon in Birmingham and Manchester prior to his present appointment in South Leeds. His present work involves six Churches, Community and Ecumenical Relationships, teaching and preaching.
Deacon Gwynneth Bamford	(7a)	is now serving in her third District after ten years service in the Order. She has had experience of serving on the Connexional Selection Committees and in District Probationers and Candidates Committees. Her ministry has included, alongside her work within the Circuits, chaplaincies ranging from Shopping Centres to Hospices and Connexional Offices to work with ex offenders where she has developed groups to develop basic numeracy and literacy skills.
Deacon Peter Ogle	(7a)	Following twenty years work in the NCH Peter has completed seventeen years as a Deacon. He has held appointments in the East Anglia District and two in the York and Hull District where he is presently serving in Hull. During his ministry he has been a member of District Ministries Committees, the District Policy Committee and the Connexional Diaconal Selection Committee.
Mark Wakelin	(14)	Team Secretary for Internal Relationships
Martin Wellings	(14)	President of the World Methodist Historical Society and Secretary of the World Methodist Historical Society British Section; ex Chair of Archives and History Committee
Richard Price	(15)	
Revd Professor James Grayson	(16)	is a Methodist Minister and Professor of Korean Studies at the University of Sheffield.
Ruby Beech	(33)	ex Vice-President of the Conference, former member of the Connexional Team and has some relevant experience in Human Resources.
Chris Wood	(33)	is a professional in the field of Probation and is also Director of Social Work for the West London Mission.
Dilys Wood	(33)	is a professional in the field of Probation and has recently retired as a Probation Officer.
Maureen Ndagire	(45)	Is the Director of Financial Operations in the Connexional Team
David Gamble	(39)	
Mr Peter George	(43)	is a Member of Newbury Methodist Church; extensive business experience in the transport and shipping industry
Mr Roy Waddeson	(43)	is a former Merchant Navy apprentice; solicitor specialising in HR issues.
Miss Margaret Faulkner	(52)	is the former Chair of Governors at Farringtons School and Chair of the Board of Management's Finance Committee

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