**Marriage and Relationship Discussions: A conversation to facilitate good discussion**

 **Divorce: Should marriage be defined as a “life-long union”?**

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| *The Methodist Church, in line with scripture and traditional teaching, believes that ‘marriage is a gift of God and that it is God’s intention that a marriage should be a life-long union in body, mind and spirit of one man and one woman*’ **Should the Methodist understanding of Christian marriage be revisited?** We expect there to be a range of views. We are feeding back the full range of these view to the connexional working group. There are no ‘right’ or ‘wrong’ responses.  |
| The Methodist Quadrilateral : A four-fold approach to theological understanding based on Scripture; Reason; Tradition and Experience |
| Scripture : | Reason : | Tradition : | Experience : |
| **Divorce** *(continue writing comments over page if space needed)* |