

The Methodist News 22nd August 2024

Make sure you're following us on social media to stay up to date with everything going on across the Methodist Church. Remember to share and tag us in your posts so that we can see the amazing things going on in your local area too.

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Young people and the recent unrest



Bea Hulme, who will become the new Methodist Youth President from September 2024, has written this blog as a response to the recent disturbances from the perspective of a young Methodist.

[Read Bea's blog here](#)

Child safety



Action for Children has released advice if you are worried for a child's safety because of race, religion or ethnicity. They highlight key topics such as how to have open conversations with your child, how to report incidents, wellbeing and how to reach out to others.

[Read the advice here](#)

Bringing hope in Hull



Located in one of the most deprived areas of Hull, [Trinity Methodist Church in the Yorkshire North & East Methodist District](#) is home to a RE-uniform project providing school uniforms for local children.

[Read more here](#)

Miss Stone Centre



The Miss Stone Centre is a social outreach ministry of the United Methodist Church, our partner Church, in Macedonia. The Methodist Church in Britain has financially supported the centre. You can read more on the work that they do and how you can help support them.

[Discover more here](#)

Love is love



Ulverston in Cumbria has celebrated its first Pride festival. Revd Hayley Edmondson, minister at [Ulverston Methodist Church](#), shares this report of the first Pride to be held in the town.

[Read the report here](#)

The flourishing Methodism of Scotland



Methodism had arrived in Inverness well before John Wesley's first visit in 1764. The city, Methodism and the rose window – the gothic adornment of the Wesley Chapel on Inglis Street – have intertwined stories with the rose window soon to be seen again for the first time in 40 years.

[Discover more here](#)

Looking for a singer to take part in the Christmas Campaign

Could you be the next singer of our Christmas single as part of our **Hush the Noise** campaign?

After the success of our Christmas single release last year, 'Be Born', we are once again looking for a talented singer to be the voice of our Christmas song.

We are looking for a young adult (18-30) voice who is able to sing in the style of indie, folk and pop. If that could be you, please send in a recording of you singing your favourite indie, folk or pop track to Ben Lawrence, our Digital Content Producer.

Audition recordings must be received by noon, 30 August.

[Email Ben Lawrence here](#)

Hope & Anchor at Greenbelt Festival



Hope & Anchor are back at Greenbelt this year where they will be hosting a dry bar, and a conversational space giving you an opportunity to explore God's love. The team will also be doing [live recordings of the podcast](#), facilitating conversations and [offering space for other groups to facilitate their conversations](#).



Not to mention that all weekend they will be playing Conversations Against Mundanity, a game devised to help conversations get past the mundane and into the deep and meaningful. You can [buy your own game here](#).

[Find out more and discover the line up at the festival here](#)

3Generate 2024



3Gen is getting closer and closer! If you still haven't booked don't worry. Here's some more information about booking tickets and volunteering at the event. Click on the video above to watch a sneak peak.

[Book your tickets here](#)

4-7s

Our 4-7s area is back – and it's even bigger and better this year! The ticket deadline may have passed but we don't want anyone to miss out! We'll have LEGO pits, nature, a soft play party bus, interactive workshops and fun activities. Get in touch if you would like to find out more about bringing your child to 3Generate.

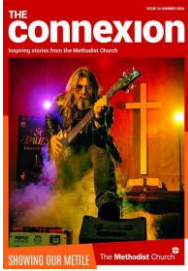
[Get in touch here](#)

Volunteers

3Generate needs more volunteers! We are especially in need of Village Hosts, Youth Support and Set-Up team (who operate on Friday 10am – 5pm and Sunday 1pm – 5pm only).

[Sign up here to join the Delivery Team](#)

The connexion magazine



When a teenager was murdered in the street, a nearby church decided to step-up its community work. Caroline reveals what happened next in *the connexion* magazine. You don't need to attend church to subscribe to future issues of the magazine (it's free!).

[Read online](#) now or subscribe to future issues of the magazine.

[Subscribe here](#)

News and Events

New Places for New People and New MPs

Join this webinar to be part of a conversation with Paul Morrison as he talks about how you can connect with your local political leaders. The webinar will be taking place on 24 September 1.30pm-3.00pm.

[Register here](#)

Church Planting Intensive

This fully funded course will be taking place from 11-13 October and is for those who are planning on planting New Places for New People (NPNPs). Bookings are already being taken but be quick as there are only 30 spaces available.

[Book your place here](#)

The Leadership Year

The Leadership Year is a great opportunity for those who are aged 18-30 and want to develop their leadership abilities and focus on what it means to be a Christian leader. This will help you find out more about yourself, gain a greater depth of understanding about leadership and discover what the next steps are for you to grow into a leading role.

[Sign up here](#)

Be a part of the Connexional Team

If you're interested in being a part of the Connexional Team or interested in volunteering with the Methodist Church, then take a look to see what roles are available. Please make sure to share if you know of anyone who may be interested.

[Take a look at our job and volunteering opportunities](#)

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