



Methodist
Church
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The Scottish Methodist Gathering 2024:

Friday 20th – Sunday 22nd September 2024:

Gathering to grow

at The Golden Lion, Stirling

Friday	From 6pm	Registration
	7:30pm	Ceilidh with the Riverside Ceilidh Band and introductions
	9:45pm	Night Worship
	10pm	Film Club – ‘The man who planted trees’ & discussion
Saturday	9am	Morning worship
	9:30-10:30	Keynote interactive session with Deacon Eunice Attwood
	10:30	Coffee break
	10:45am	Synod for members
	11am	Bible Study with Rev. Professor David Wilkinson: Chaotic growth in the early church Acts 2.1-46 Children’s Programme
	12noon	Synod for members Workshop led by All We Can Children’s Programme
	1pm	Gathering lunch – simple lunch provided by hotel (must be pre-booked).
	2pm	Gathering in Groups An opportunity to meet for facilitated conversation around the theme, ‘Gathering to grow’ with others from all around Scotland. Register online to choose your group.
	3:00pm	Tea break
	3:30pm	Perspectives on growth: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible Study – David Wilkinson The risk of growth Acts 20.17-38 • Stories from around the district • Church at the margins – Eunice Attwood
	5:15pm	Teatime all-age worship led by the children
	5:30pm – 7:30pm	Free time for people to find their dinner/enjoy Stirling.
	7:30pm	‘Old Scots – New Scots’ Stories of growth from around the district, with a particular emphasis on diversity.
	9:00pm	Night worship
9:30pm	Film Club – Intelligent Trees plus discussion	
Sunday	8:00am	Early morning Holy Communion
	9:30am	A choice of activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Karaoke worship • Newspapers & croissants • Godly play • Workshop led by Place for Hope
	10:30am	Coffee break
	11am	Closing worship for all ages. Preacher: David Wilkinson