# District Officers

Chair of District Revd Leslie Newton

Deputy Chair of District Revd Neville Simpson

Synod Secretary Mrs Emma Crippen

Presbyteral Synod Secretary Revd Ann Fox

Methodist Council Representative Mr Alister McClure

Treasurer Mr Malcolm Lucas

Property Secretary Mr Andrew Brown

Ecumenical Officer Revd Steve Jakeman

Interfaith Adviser Revd Rory Dalgliesh

Safeguarding Officer Mrs Katy Spencer-Madden

District Youth Leader Mrs Victoria Etherington

District Youth Administrator Mr Mark Gowlett

Grants Officer Revd Nic Bentley

Sabbaticals Officer Revd Janet Whelan

EDI Officer Mr Alister McClure

Rural Officer Revd Denise Williamson

Disability Access Adviser Mr Colin Hogg

Local Preachers’ Secretary Mrs Lydia Harrison

Local Preachers’ Tutor Revd Christine Hey

Candidates’ Secretary Revd Ron Hicks

Probationers’ Secretary Revd Ben Clowes

Under 5s Coordinator Revd Gareth Baron

HR Officer Mr Andrew Crawford

Lay Stationing Representative Mrs Beverley Duffy

Lay Synod Convenor Mrs Heather Shipman

MDR Coordinator Revd Ruth Parry

Manses Secretary Revd Linda Phillips

Archives Adviser Mrs June Anderson

Digital Communications Enabler Mr Elliot Crippen

Admin/Chair’s PA/Asst to the Treasurer Ms Siân Henderson

# District Committees

The Chair is an *ex officio* member of all committees

The Synod Secretary is an *ex officio* member of all committees except for the Candidates Committee

**District Leadership Team (Trustees)**

Revds Leslie Newton, Nic Bentley, Neville Simpson; Mrs Emma Crippen, Mr Alister McClure, Mr Andrew Brown, Mr Malcolm Lucas, Mrs Beverley Duffy, Ms Siân Henderson, Ms Naomi Prince

**District Policy Consultation**

Chair Revd Leslie Newton

Deputy Chair Revd Neville Simpson

Secretary Ms Siân Henderson

Synod Secretary Mrs Emma Crippen

Presbyteral Synod Secretary Revd Ann Fox

Circuit representatives:

Beverley (ministerial); *vacancy*

Bridlington (ministerial); Nic Bentley

Pocklington & Market Weighton (ministerial); Neville Simpson

Tadcaster (ministerial); Steve Jakeman

Thirsk & Northallerton (ministerial); Denise Williamson

Ripon & Lower Dales (lay); Diane Gaskill

North Yorks Coast (ministerial); John Hartley

South Holderness (lay); *vacancy*

York (lay); Tim Duffy

Ryedale (lay); Nigel Hardwick

Driffield-Hornsea (lay); *vacancy*

Goole & Selby (ministerial); Peter Barnett

Hull Centre & West (ministerial); Ann Rigby-Jones

Nidd Valley (ministerial); Ben Clowes

Pateley Bridge (lay); Lindy Edwards

Superintendent minister

Ecumenical Officer Revd Steve Jakeman

Treasurer Mr Malcolm Lucas

Property Secretary Mr Andrew Brown

Methodist Council representative Mr Alister McClure

Lay Stationing representative Mrs Beverley Duffy

Diaconate Deacon Sue Langdale

Local Preachers Mrs Lydia Harrison

Lay Synod Convenor Mrs Heather Shipman

*In attendance:*

Safeguarding Officer Mrs Katy Spencer-Madden

Learning Network representative Revd Graham Jones

**Chair’s Nomination Committee** (panel of 9 to be selected from the following)

Mrs Emma Crippen (Convenor), Revds David Barker, Christine Gillespie, Peter Barnett, Neville Simpson, Steve Jakeman; Mr Malcolm Bott, Mrs Beverley Duffy, Mr Rob Cooper, Mrs Kate Woolley, Mr Malcolm Stevenson, Mr Nigel Hardwick

**Safeguarding Group**

Chair:Revd Tanya Short Secretary: Ms Siân Henderson

Revds Leslie Newton, Graham Jones, Grace Cauldwell; Mrs Katy Spencer-Madden, Mrs Bridget Bennett, Mrs Anne Brown, Mr Peter Brown, Mr Elliot Crippen, Ms Meg Munn

**Circuit Support Team**

Revd Dr David Perry; Mrs Heather Shipman, Mrs Adele Borrowman

**Lay Employment Sub-Committee**

Revds Leslie Newton (Chair), Graham Morgan; Mr Andrew Crawford; Mrs Heather Memmott, Miss Lois Cross, Mrs Emma Crippen

**Probationers Committee**

Revds Leslie Newton (Chair), Ben Clowes (Secretary), Penny Worth (Tutor), Ann Fox (Presbyteral Synod Secretary), Robert Amos, Margaret Asiedu, Philip MacDonald; Deacon Judith Stoddart; Mrs Jackie Gaitley, Mr Tim Duffy, Mrs Heather Shipman, Dr Malcolm Stevenson, Mr Graham Patrick

**Regional Candidates Panel**

*Synod is asked to approve annually the members of the Candidates Panels of the Sheffield and Yorkshire West Districts, as appointed by their respective Synods, to form the Regional Candidates Panel with our own District appointments as listed below. Candidates from the Yorkshire Districts can be interviewed by a panel of 12-15 people drawn from any of the regionally-approved members.*

*Yorkshire North & East*

Revds Trevor Dixon, Helena Harbottle, Ron Hicks (Secretary), Leslie Newton (Chair), Martin Calver, Ian Pruden; Deacon Jackie Fowler; Mr Rob Cooper, Mrs Margaret Grant, Ms Siân Henderson, Mr Alister McClure, Mrs Heather Shipman, Mrs Sue Teal, Mr Graham Thomas, Mrs Kate Woolley.

**Ministerial Development Support Group**

Convenors: Revd Ruth Parry

Revds Neville Simpson, John Schofield; Mr Don Rolls

**District Property Group**

Revds Leslie Newton, Nic Bentley, Emma Morgan, Peter Sheasby; Mr Andrew Brown, Mr Colin Hogg, Mrs Angie Creswick