**THE METHODIST CHURCH ~ YORKSHIRE NORTH & EAST DISTRICT**

**Election of representatives to the Methodist Conference of 2026**

Dates of the Conference: Thursday 25June to Friday 26 June (presbyteral session)

Saturday 27 June to Wednesday 1 July 2026 (representative

session)

Representatives elected by previous Synods for the 2025 Conference are:

Ministers: Ann Lett

Ron Hicks

Ben Clowes

Lay people: Sandra Hayward (while holding Synod Secretary position)

Heather Garbutt

**AN ELECTION WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE SYNOD ON 7 SEPTEMBER FOR**

**2 lay REPRESENTATIVE** **3 YEAR TERM**

* Any member of the Synod may nominate, and may nominate more than one person
* Two members of the Synod must support each nomination

Additional forms may be photocopied or requested from the District Office.

“*In electing such representatives members of the Synod shall have regard for the composition of the membership of the district as a whole with regard to age, sex and ethnic origin*.” (SO 417 (2))

***The nomination form can be found overleaf***

**NOMINATION FORM**

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Current appointments or offices within the church

Age group (at 1 July 2025) Under 26  26 to 44  45 to 64  65 and over 

Ethnic origin \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Additional information to support this nomination (**max 50 words**)

This nomination must be signed by 2 members of the Synod:

If signatures aren’t available, please provide an email address so we can check that they are happy to provide a reference for you.

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email ­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please return as soon as possible and **no later than 6th September** to:

admin@yorkshirenemethodist.org