

METHODIST CONFERENCE 2022 – Telford

Nomination of District Representatives

In electing representatives, we should bear in mind the composition of the membership of the District as a whole, with regard to age, gender and ethnic origin.

This year we need to elect **four people**.


We need **one** ordained minister who will be elected for one year.


We need **three** lay people, one of whom will be elected for three years and two will be elected for one year.


Voting will be via an online form which will be completed by 5pm on Friday 10 September. The link will be sent to all voting members of Synod who have registered to attend on Saturday, either via Zoom or in person at Greenhill.

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You will be asked to vote for **ONE** Presbyterian/Deacon


Name	Age	Ethnic Origin	Previous Conferences	Responsibilities
Revd Sean Adair Derbyshire North East 25/2 	45-65	White	2005-2008 and 2016. Each time as a District representative.	Superintendent Minister and Deputy Chair of the Sheffield District.
Passionately committed to being a part of the Connexional Church and, as a former theological educator and experienced minister, eager to be involved in addressing the challenges before us.				


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Revd Lisa Quarmby Sheffield 25/1 	45-65	White	Leeds 1995 (representative), Wolverhampton 2002 (ordination)	Presbyter
Working in a multi-ethnic, multicultural city with considerable deprivation, I am keen to take part in national discussions that affect local church practice in communities				

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Deacon Jackie Wright Sheffield 25/1 	45-65	White	none	Deacon in the Sheffield City Centre
This would be an ideal opportunity, after what the world and church has been through, to experience the wider workings of the Methodist Church today				

Lay Nominees

NB These all automatically qualify as there were no other nominations.
Synod will be invited to delegate authority to the District Leading Team to find another suitable representative

Name	Age	Ethnic Origin	Previous Conferences	Responsibilities
Dr Jenny Bywaters Sheffield 25/1 	Over 65	White	none	Church Steward and representative to Circuit Meeting Local Preacher Member of the Circuit Justice and Peace Group Independent examiner of church accounts for Bents Green and Banner Cross churches.
1 st Class Degree in Theology from Oxford University. Mission Partner in Sri Lanka (2009) Ecumenical Accompanier (WCC human rights monitor) in Occupied Palestinian Territories (2013). Willing to serve for 3 years				

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John Tranter Derbyshire North East 25/2 	Over 65	White	2009 – Wolverhampton	Church worship leader/District Archivist