

Nomination for role of Deputy Chair

Revd Julie Coates

Revd Julie Coates is a minister of 23 years' experience who currently serves as Superintendent of the Trinity Circuit. She began her ministry in the Burton-upon-Trent Circuit where she served for 11 years and then served in the Ashton-under-Lyne Circuit for 9 years, 5 of which were as Superintendent.

Julie brings experience of serving in Circuit roles such as Local Preachers' Tutor, in District roles such as a Positive Working Together Group and the Probationers' Committee and in Connexional roles such as the Methodist Schools Ethos Development Group. She has also served as a District Ecumenical Officer.

She takes training and development seriously and has, in recent years attended courses which focus on supervision, bullying and harassment, church conflict, Godly Play and Deep Talk. She is an experienced chaplain and school governor.

Julie would bring her evident skills of leadership, administration, listening and enabling to the role. Her positive, prayerful and collaborative approach would be welcome qualities within the District team.

Revd. Gill Newton
September 2022

Resolution:

The District Leading Team recommends to the District Synod, that Revd Julie Coates be appointed Deputy Chair of the Sheffield Methodist District for a period of 3 years from 10th September, 2022