



Supporting Youth and Children's Workers

Every week, in churches across the region, children and young people come along to Junior Churches, Toddler Groups, Messy Churches, Youth Fellowships, After School Groups and much more. None of these would be possible without the dedication of the youth and children's workers who lead them.

We are providing a number of ways to support these leaders including;

New Scheme

In the autumn term a team of Youthwork Enablers will begin work, one in each District. They will have some time dedicated to supporting and developing those volunteers working with young people and children every week.

Messy Church Training Day Kendal Sat 19 November 9.45am-3.30pm

A day of networking and training on all things Messy Church with a key note by Jane Leadbetter from BRF Messy Church Team. This day is suitable for those already running a Messy Church and for those looking to start one

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Hot Pot Preston Sat 15 October 9.30am-4pm

Hot Pot Manchester Sat 12 November 9.30am-4pm

Hot Pot will be an opportunity to network, reflect, learn new skills, and meet colleagues from across the North West.

Throughout the day there will be a number of 'TED style' talks, workshops, a key-note speech and resources available to purchase alongside information stalls from a range of Christian Organisations.

The Mirror—this is what we see DVD

The Mirror aims to hear the voices of children talking about their experiences of church and where they encounter God. The DVD and accompanying questions are available for use. From October resources to support you in hearing children's voices in your context will also be available.

Full details of all the above are available on www.discipleshaped.org

For more information about Youth and Children's Worker support in the region contact Alison Hulse hulsea@methodistchurch.org.uk