



**NORTH WEST ENGLAND
METHODIST DISTRICT**

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Mission Areas

Cumbria

Lancashire

Liverpool Plus

Greater Manchester Plus

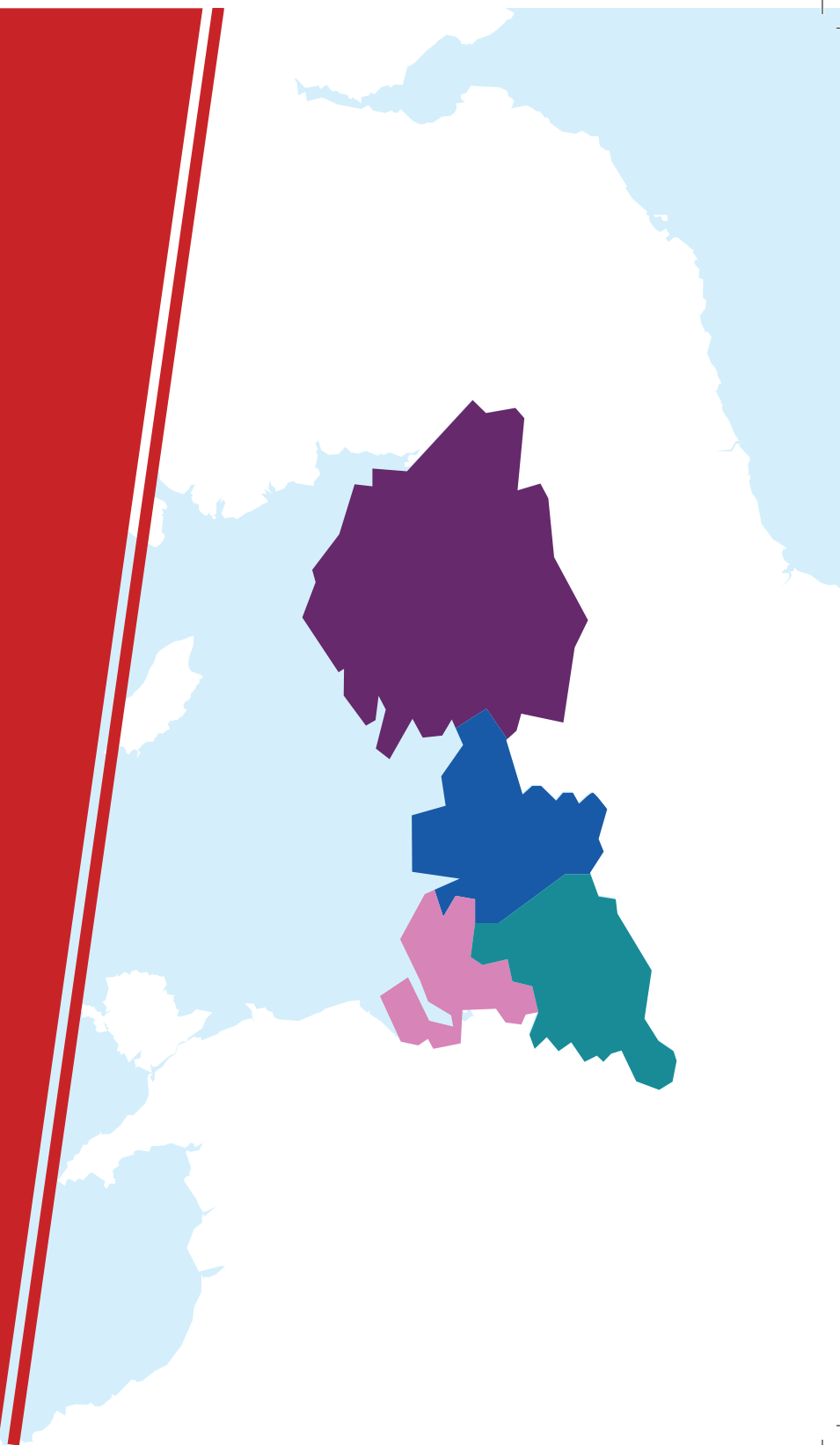
Hubs

Mission & Leadership

Ministry & Vocations

Administration
& Compliance

Supporting you, your church and your circuit to develop and engage in mission.



DISTRICT HUBS *Our Hubs support and help circuits to engage in mission.*

Ministry & Vocations

Led by:

Rev Phil Gough

*District Secretary for
Ministry and Vocations*

Responsibilities:

*Candidates for Ministry
Chaplaincy
Children and Youth
Ministry Development
Justice, Dignity & Solidarity and
Equality, Diversity & Inclusion
Lay Authorisations
Lay Worker support
Learning and Development
Local Preaching
& Worship Leading
Partner relationships
Probationers and U5s/U10s
Reflective Supervision
Sabbaticals*

Mission & Leadership

Led by:

Rev Dr James Tebbutt

District Chair

Responsibilities:

*Communication
Eco & Environment
Ecumenical relationships
Education
sector liaison
Global Relations
Inter/Multi-Faith
Mission development
Mission in Rural & Urban areas
New Places for New
People & Pioneering
Public issues &
Social Responsibility
Stationing
Superintendents*

Administration & Compliance

Led by:

Ms Heather Fergusson

*District Secretary for
Administration & Compliance*

Responsibilities:

*Admin support
Finance
Grants
Lay Employment
Other governance and
compliance: archives,
disability access advice,
GDPR, health and safety, etc
Property
Reconciliation
& Complaints
Safeguarding*



MISSION AREAS

To help contextual mission and relationships, the North West England District is divided in four Mission Areas:

Cumbria

Lancashire

Liverpool Plus

Greater Manchester Plus

These Mission Areas hold no governance responsibilities, but enable contextual support and implementation.

Each Mission Area will be led by a Mission Area Lead (MAL), a Presbyterian who will also have the role of Deputy Chair. Because of its population, Greater Manchester Plus will have two MALs. These are half time posts, with the other half of their time spent in a Circuit appointment.

Responsibilities of Mission Area Leads:

- Facilitate mission
- Deputise for the District Chair
- Encourage and nurture connections
- Partner with ecumenical, faith, and civic leaders