

## **OUTREACH DEVELOPMENT WORKER**

North Kirklees and Morley Methodist Circuit are seeking to appoint an Outreach Development Worker to work at Batley Central Methodist Church on a fixed term contract for 3 years. The successful candidate will work in partnership with the church and local community to develop an outreach programme and recruit volunteers to support the services that are developed. They will support the Church Leadership Team and congregation to deliver the church's mission.

This is a new post and the ideal applicant will be experienced in community-based work including recruiting and working with volunteers and will be able to work alone and as part of a team.

## Main Responsibilities:

- Develop specific services to benefit the community.
- Liaise with existing community groups and local charitable organisations to identify opportunities for the church premises to be used for the greater benefit of the community.
- Develop and engage in appropriate partnerships between the church, other local services, and the community to align with the mission of the church.
- Recruit and work with volunteers to support the work.
- Support the Church Leadership Team and congregation to deliver the church's mission.
- Create social media posts on platforms such as Facebook and Instagram that are relevant to the mission project and services provided.
- Establish relationships with existing users of the church buildings and help the church develop and strengthen those relationships.

A satisfactory enhanced disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service will be required.

## **NEXT STEPS & MAIN TERMS**

Hours of work:	16 hours per week, worked flexibly in agreement with the Line Manager, which will include some evening and weekend work. Actual days, start and finish times will be variable in accordance with the needs of the Employer. The days of the week on which you may be required to work are Monday to Sunday. You will not be expected to work on more than 4 days in a calendar week.
Contract:	3 Years Fixed Term Contract
Rate of pay:	£14.45 per hour, with enrolment in the Circuit's workplace pension scheme.
Location:	Based at Batley Central Methodist Church, 90 Commercial Street, Batley, WF17 5DS.
Next steps:	For more information and an application pack, please contact Victoria Pratt via <a href="mailto:nkandm.hr@gmail.com">nkandm.hr@gmail.com</a> or 01924 442535.

Closing date:	Friday, 26 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 at 12 noon
Interview date:	Week Commencing 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2025
Start date:	ASAP

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