

NET ZERO OFFICER – 32 HRS PER MONTH

5-year fixed term contract

Do you have a keen interest in environmental issues and sustainability?

Could you support churches and individuals in caring for God's creation and taking positive action to reduce their carbon footprint?

We are called to care for God's Creation and challenge injustice, so climate concerns are inherently missional and part of our discipleship.

Working flexibly and collaboratively with lay and ordained colleagues, you will lead on net zero and carbon reduction initiatives across the District. You will consider the environmental impact of buildings and schemes and support the District and Circuits as they seek to reduce their carbon footprint.

You will encourage and promote a culture of sustainability, carbon reduction and climate care across the District, having experience or qualifications in these areas.

The role is 32 hours per month, which can be worked flexibly by agreement. The role can be either home or office-based in the District Office in Benton. The salary is £5,587-£6,386 per annum depending on experience and qualifications. (£28-£32,000 FTE)

Applicants should be sympathetic to the ethos of the Methodist Church in Great Britain and share its dedication to environmental justice and sustainability. The appointment also requires an enhanced DBS Disclosure.

The closing date is Monday, 17th August 2026 and interviews will be arranged thereafter.

For further information and to request an application form please contact the District Administrator, Diane Whitfield on admin@newcastlemethodistdistrict.org. If you would like an informal conversation about what the role involves, then please contact Diane initially who will be happy to arrange this.

