

Skipton and Grassington Methodist Circuit [27/18]

Circuit Mission

Skipton and Grassington Methodist Circuit exists to:

1. provide opportunities for worship through the local churches and Circuit
2. represent the gospel of Jesus Christ and the life of the kingdom through interaction with the communities in which the Circuit is set
3. nurture Christian understanding and lifestyle by providing opportunities for study and prayer
4. provide support and oversight for member churches, including with regard to their Safeguarding responsibilities
5. provide care and support for the Circuit's staff
6. enable and encourage Christian discipleship by
 - identifying people's gifts and encouraging their use across the Circuit
 - equipping and supporting the ministry of the local churches
 - initiating, contributing to and supporting local and wider mission and outreach initiatives
 - contributing expertise in supporting the policy and work of the wider Church through the District and Connexion
 - supporting the calling of those involved in leading worship
7. engender a Circuit identity as a source of support, initiative and decision making
8. encourage and enable working ecumenically whenever practical.