

DIGITAL LEADER

We are seeking to appoint a part-time Digital Leader, to provide leadership and coordination for The Haven, a pioneering digital community based in West Yorkshire.

Are you motivated by:

- Creative and inspiring worship and community?
- The potential for growing digital mission and ministry?
- The inclusive mission and justice-seeking values of the Methodist Church?

If your answers are 'yes, yes and yes', we'd love to hear from you!

The Haven is an established Methodist worshipping community that emerged out of Methley Methodist Church during the Covid pandemic in 2020 and has continued to explore what it means to be church online. We meet regularly for worship, socialising and singing on Zoom, and maintain a WhatsApp chat.

Those involved in The Haven have recognised that there is an opportunity to build on what we have and move into the next phase of our journey. We are looking for a collaborative, pioneering and inclusive leader to guide us on this journey. You will be the Pastor for the existing online congregation (working alongside the ordained and lay leaders in the Circuit), and the Digital Pioneer working as part of the Methodist Church's Digital New Places for New People strategy (methodist.org.uk/nppn).

For a full list of responsibilities, we encourage you to request an application pack. The appointment will be subject to a satisfactory enhanced disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service, and an occupational requirement exists for the post-holder to be a practising Christian.

NEXT STEPS & MAIN TERMS

Hours of work:	6.5 hours per week, with core hours of 10:30 am to 12 noon on the 1 st , 3 rd , 4 th and 5 th Sundays of each month and 5:45 pm to 7:15 pm on the 2 nd Sunday of each month. The remaining 5 hours can be worked flexibly, usually Monday to Friday, in agreement with your Line Manager and may occasionally include working on an evening or Saturday. Actual days, start and finish times will be variable in accordance with the needs of the Employer. You will not be expected to work on more than three days in a calendar week.
Contract:	One-year Fixed Term Contract with the potential of extension, subject to review and funding.
Rate of pay:	£16.50 per hour, with the option to enrol in the Circuit's workplace pension scheme.
Location:	Based from your home address (although an office base can be made available in the Circuit if required).
Next steps:	For more information and an application pack, please contact Tim Baker, Circuit Mission and Operations Officer, via tbaker@aireandcaldercircuit.org.uk
Closing date:	Wednesday, 14 th October 2026 at 12 noon
Interview date:	Thursday, 22 nd October 2026 (late afternoon / evening)
Start date:	As soon as possible, ideally by January 2027 at the latest

To learn more about our Circuit and the work that we do, please visit:

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