

Lay Preachers' Update for 2023-4
For Methodist congregations and those with a Methodist component

We use this information for the Yearbook and to send email communications.

Accredited Lay Preachers are expected to meet the criteria for being **AAU**

- **Accredited** (do we have your certificate number and date of accreditation, unless sent previously?)
- **Active** (have you led 3 or more services this year?)
- **Up-skilled** (have you undertaken at least 8 hours on-going training in the past year?)

Please also send a return if you are a Lay Preacher-in-training

Do we have **your latest email address**, please?
 (or that of your Parish, if you don't use email).

If your Parish is sending returns for all its Lay Preachers, please make sure you have supplied them with your updated details.

Please email the completed form (or cut and paste the relevant information) to: methlpn@gmail.com

or post to: Viv Whimster, 49 Rimu Street, Gate Pa, Tauranga 3112, by the end of September 2024.

Thank you!

Viv Whimster and Ngaire Southon, Lay Preachers Network Convenors (Methodist Church of NZ, Te Hāhi Weteriana o Aotearoa)

Given name	Family name	Number of services July 2023 – June 2024	AAU (Yes / No) (R if retired as a Lay Preacher)	Date of issue of Certificate & number (if possible)	Denomination of training process: e.g. Methodist (M); Presbyterian (P)	Home/own email

Synod	Parish	Name of Presbyter/ Enabler	Parish Email:	Mailing address (own or parish)

please continue on page 2 if your Parish has more Lay Preachers

