

Carolyn Lawrence

Carolyn has a background in primary education and was an educational mission partner in Guyana with the Methodist Church in the Caribbean and Americas.

Since returning to the UK, she has worked in a voluntary capacity within the Methodist Church as a preacher and leader. More recently she has worked with the Global Relationships team of the Methodist Church helping to engage people with our worldwide network of Partner Churches.

She is also part of the 'World Federation of Methodist and Uniting Church Women', serving as the Area Officer for Great Britain. Carolyn grew up in a non-Christian home but became part of the

Methodist Church through the Girl Guides and gave her life to Jesus at the age of 15.

She then spent three years in an Assemblies of God Pentecostal Church where she was baptised, received the baptism of the Holy Spirit and got married. Carolyn and her husband Mark felt called back to serve in the Methodist Church where they have worshipped now for the past 36 years.

Carolyn has a heart for sharing the love of Jesus through preaching, teaching, pastoral care and social action. Wherever people are on their spiritual journey, she enjoys helping them to grow in their faith and she encourages them to become 'disciple-making disciples'. She and her husband have two grown-up married daughters, three grandchildren and two cats.