

Dear All,

I am very grateful for the opportunity to serve as the youth president for the upcoming year. I eagerly await opportunities to visit and work with you and your district. I also grow more and more excited for the season ahead. November is soon approaching and this is particularly exciting for the young people of your church because 3Generate 2019 is on its way – another action-packed and inspiring weekend for hearing the voice of children and young people across the Methodist Church.

Experiencing 3Gen for myself last year, I can testify to the fun and growth it brings to young people. An opportunity to fellowship with their peers and make life-long friends. I also equally acknowledge that it is only possible due to hundreds of selflessly committed volunteers.

This year we need about 250 volunteers to run the event smoothly so I would like to encourage you to spread the word. 3Generate has roles for all ages, abilities and skills.

The event is taking place from 7pm on Friday 22 November until 2pm on Sunday 24 November. We need most volunteers to arrive by lunchtime on Friday 22 November.

Saturday 28 September is the Team Building Day for all volunteers and staff (returning and new) to meet each other in preparation for 3Generate. This day will happen at Cliff College in Derbyshire and further details will be sent in September but we can confirm that we will have BSL signers at both the Team Building Day and at 3Generate.

[Volunteer teams](#) consist of 3 main categories:

- **Venue/programme teams** who work within each of the venues to help children and young people engage with the 3Generate programme.
- **Care teams** who are focussed on supporting participants and sometimes their leaders.
- **Operational teams** include customer service roles such as reception and also practical roles such as the set-up and take-down volunteers.

To secure your preferred role, [apply now!](#)

Thank you very much.

Thelma.