

**Adswold Methodist Church**

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between July and October 1895.

**Bethesda Methodist Church**

Address: Bethesda, Manchester Road, Heaton Norris, Lancashire.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1965 and 1967.

The foundation stone was laid on 14<sup>th</sup> June 1890 for the new Primitive Methodist Church. The church did not have a graveyard.



(Picture Source: genuki.com)

**Brinnington Methodist Church**

Address: Northumberland Road, Brinnington, Stockport.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1965 and 1975.

### **Davenport Methodist Church**

Address: Garners Lane, Davenport, SK3 8QS.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1952 and the present day.



### **Dialstone Lane Methodist Church**

Address: 161 Dialstone Lane, Stockport, SK2 7LQ.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between August 1946 and August 1951, and again from September 2019, when the Stockport and Hazel Grove circuits merged.



### **Edgeley Methodist Church (now Edgeley Community Church)**

Address: Edgeley Road, Stockport, SK3 9NB.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1952 and the present. This church is sometimes also referred to as Edgeley Road Methodist Church.

Services were temporarily held in the hall of St Matthew's CofE Church whilst the building was re-built in the early 1970s.



**Edgeley Park Methodist Church**

Address: Petersburg Road, Edgeley, Stockport.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1907 and 1974.

**Hazel Grove Methodist Church**

Address: Wesley Street, Hazel Grove, Stockport, SK7 4JQ.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between September 2019 and the present.

The church was founded around 1786.



**Heaton Mersey Methodist Church**

**Address:** 49 Cavendish Road, Heaton Mersey, Stockport, SK4 3DP.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1965 and the present.

An “iron chapel” was built in 1905, which was later replaced with a stone building.



### **Heaton Moor United Church**

Address: Stanley Road, Heaton Moor, SK4 4HL.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1965 and the present.



### **Handforth Methodist Church**

**Address:** Wilmslow Road, Handforth  
SK9 3LF?

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between May 1860 and October 1908. Handforth now falls within the Bramhall and Wythenshawe Circuit.

### **Hempshaw Lane Methodist Mission Church**

Address: Hempshaw Lane, Bramhall, Stockport.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1952 and 1995.

The mission began around 1890, and finished in 1995.



(Picture Source: ebay.com)

### **Hillcrest Road Methodist Meeting**

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between October 1952 and 1958. The meeting may have taken place at Hillcrest Grammar School. The school closed in 2014.



(Picture Source: [davenportstation.co.uk](http://davenportstation.co.uk))

### **Jubilee Methodist Church**

Address: Cote Green Lane, Marple Bridge, Stockport, SK6 5DZ.  
Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between September 2020 and the present.

The church was founded in 1833 as Compstall Primitive Methodist Chapel. It was rebuilt in 1867 and extended to two storeys in 1893, at which time it was re-named Jubilee.



### **Levenshulme Methodist Church (Alma Park)**

Address: Alma Park, 824 Stockport Rd, Levenshulme, Manchester, M19 3AW.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1929 and July 1937. It is now part of the Manchester Circuit.  
The church was built in 1863, with the foundation stone laid in April 1864.



**Little Moor (Park Parade)**

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between August 1861 and April 1862.

**Marple Methodist Church**

Address: Church Lane, Marple, Stockport, SK6 7AY.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between September 2020 and the present.

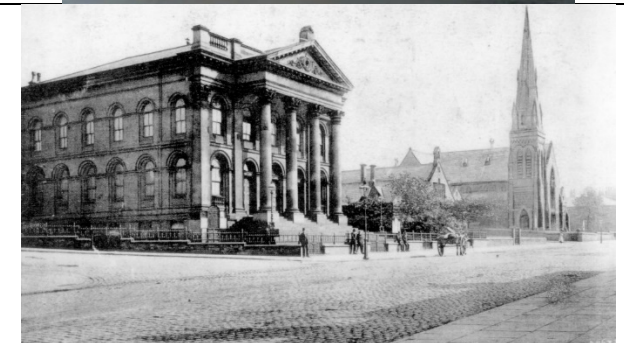


**Mount Tabor Methodist Church**

Address: Mount Tabor Chapel, Wellington Road/Greek Street, Stockport.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between May 1860 and 1955.

The church was built around 1797, and was the principle church of the Stockport (South) Circuit until the merger of 1964. It closed finally in 1969.



(Picture Source: [stockportheritagetrust.co.uk](http://stockportheritagetrust.co.uk))

**North Park**

May have been a public meeting, rather than a church.  
Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April and July 1952.

### **Portwood Methodist Chapel**

Address: Great Portwood Street/Tame Street, Portwood,  
Stockport.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between May 1860  
and July 1929. The church closed at some point after 1938.

### **St Johns/Cheadle Heath Methodist Church**

Address: St John, Stockport Road/Myrtle Street, Cheadle  
Heath, SK3 0HZ.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between May 1880  
and 2021.

The original church was founded around 1855. The  
Edwardian brick building and spire were built in 1905. The  
church closed in 2021.



### **Reddish Green/Christ Church**

**Address:** Reddish Green Methodist, Broadstone Rd/Lillian  
Grove, Reddish, SK5 6EQ.

It was founded before 1891, and joined with the Reddish  
United Reformed Church in March 1978. The church closed in  
2021.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1965 and  
2021.

## Romiley (Primitive) Methodist Church

Address: Stockport Road, Romiley.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1952 and 1961, and again from September 2020 to the present.

The original church was founded 1811. This building closed around 1932 after the merger with the Wesleyan Methodists. New church was on the site of the current Romiley Methodist Church.



## The Ridge Methodist Church

Address: The Ridge, Marple/Hawk Green, Stockport, SK6 7ER.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between September 2020 and the present.

There has been a church on the site since the early 19<sup>th</sup> century. The present building was extended in 2005.



## Tiviot Dale Methodist Church



Address: Wesleyan Methodist church, Tiviot Dale, Off Great Edgerton Street, Heaton Norris, Lancashire, SK1 1TA.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1965 and the present.



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<p>The church was founded before 1793, and was known as ‘the Methodist cathedral of the northern England’. The church was re-built in the mid 20<sup>th</sup> century.</p>	
<p><b><u>Trinity (Zion) Methodist Chapel</u></b></p> <p>Address: Trinity Chapel, Wellington Road South, Stockport. Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1929 and 1968.</p> <p>It was founded in 1899 as Trinity Wesleyan Methodist Church and closed in 1968.</p>	
<p><b><u>Trinity Methodist Church</u></b></p> <p>Address: 351 Bramhall Lane, Stockport, SK3 8TB. Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between 1971 and 2021.</p> <p>The church was founded in 1971, after the merger of three other Methodist churches, and closed in 2021.</p>	
<p><b><u>Windlehurst Methodist Church</u></b></p> <p>Address: Windlehurst Road, High Lane, Stockport, SK6 8AF. Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between September 2020 and the present.</p>	

### **Woodley Methodist Church**

Address: Chapel Street, Woodley, Stockport, SK6 1NF.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between September 2020 and the present.

The church was founded in 1968, and re-built in 1998.



### **Woodsmoor Methodist Church**

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit between April 1952 and 1971, when the church closed.

### **Workhouse**

Address: Shaw Heath, Stockport.

Methodist services in the Workhouse Chapel on Sundays and Thursdays.

Appears as part of the Stockport Circuit in the following ways:

Stockport Workhouse (May 1860- October 1908).

Shaw Heath Institution (April 1929- October 1949).

Shaw Heath Hospital (February 1950- August 1951).



**Crewe:** Listed in United Stockport Circuit (May 1880- October 1907).

### **Sunday Schools:**

- Mount Tabor Sunday School: located in the church building. (May 1860- 1955).

- Portwood School: located in the church building. (May 1860-
- Heaton Lane School: May 1860-
- Heaviley Sunday School: London Square, Heaviley. Opened in 1784.

### **Key Event in Stockport Circuit**

1809: the first Methodist circuit is established in Stockport.

1909: centenary celebrations for the Stockport South (Mount Tabor) Circuit.

1952: a major reorganisation of churches and circuits south of the river. 5 churches become part of the Stockport Circuit for the first time.

1964: the two Methodist circuits in Stockport (north and south of the River Mersey) merged together. The Tiviot Dale and Mount Tabor circuits become the Stockport Circuit, incorporating 14 churches and 7 ministers.

1971: the new Trinity Methodist opens on Bramhall Lane. It emerged from the closure and merger of three other churches: Mount Tabor, Trinity (Zion) and Woodsmoor.

2019: the United Stockport and Hazel Grove circuits merged.

2020: the United Stockport and Romiley circuits merged.

## Other Significant Methodist Churches in Stockport (Never in Stockport Circuit)

### Brunswick Methodist Chapel

Address: Brunswick Chapel, Great Portwood Street/Tame Street,  
Portwood, Stockport.



(Picture Source: findagrave.com)

### Ebenezer Primitive Methodist Chapel

Address: Duke Street/Wellington Road South, Stockport



(Picture Source: myprimitivemethodists.org.uk)

### Edgeley (Castle Street) Methodist Church

Address: Castle Street, Edgeley.  
This church had a graveyard, and closed around 1969.