

9. List of Incumbents and Methodist Ministers:

Incumbents	Methodist Ministers
1st Chapel of St Matthew	
1363 John-de-Bretton	
1364 John-de-Colereslay	
1368 Thomas-del-Cross	
1411 John Piper also know as Dom Johannes Pip, as by deed	
1506 John Bottomley	
1517 John Brooksbank	
1540 Thomas Ovington	
<i>1547 Rastrick Belfry Chapel closed as a Free chapel. Later used as a barn and became decayed.</i>	
2nd Chapel of St Matthew	
1630 (or thereabouts) Roger Attey	
1649 John Waterhouse	
1652 Feb 26 John Kaye, Pastor of Rastrick	
1655 Mitchell	
1656 Jones	
1658 Ashley	
1661 Feb Robinson (ejected)	
1664 Feb Matthew Shirt	
1666 Feb John Baskerville	
1674 Feb Peter Bell	
1676 Feb Dennis Hayford	
1688 June Hanson	
1689 March 5 Thomas Walker	
1694 and 1703 Robert Laycock	
1713 Feb Edward Waring	
1719 Feb John Metcalfe	
1748 Feb George Braithwaite	
3rd Chapel of St Matthew	
1799 March 12 Thomas Burton, M.A.	
1837 Thomas Hayne	
	Cottage Chapel in New Hey Road
	1859 Sammy Hoyle
	1862. Joshua Dodgson
	New Chapel at Oaks Green

	1865. William Garrett
1869 Francis William Musson	1869 James Caudwell
	1870 O. Beckerlegge
1871 Francis Musson	1871 George Robinson
1872 Robert Gill Irving (who became the first Vicar)	
	1874 John Taylor
	1877 Crowtrees Lane Chapel
	1878 William Dawson
	1879 Henry Codling
	1882 John Hirst
	1885 A.E. Coupe
	1890 William Downing
	1892 Thomas F. Webber
	1895 A. Briddon
	1896 J.F. Hughes
	1899 John William Davies
1902 Michael Ward Kinlock	
1904 William Mason B.A., L.Th.	1904 Thomas Letcher
	1906 J.E. Portman
	1911 J.E. Wolstenholme
	1918 J. Tagg
	1921 J. Chinn
	1926 E. Sheppard
	1934 S.J. Adie
1937 Harry Gordon Davies	
	1938 E. Sheppard
	1944 H. Strawson
1946 John Francis Pratt	
	1947 W.H. Bone
1949 Hugh Birch	
	1950 R.J.Hughes
	1953 C.O. Laycock
	1957 Gordon J.R. Jenkins
1960 Ian Carroll Knox	
	1962 John Wren
	1966 Frank Smith
	November 1969 Methodists move to St Matthew's Church

	1974 David Earl
1977 Roy Adrian Clements	
	1982 Adrian A. Russell
1984 David N. Calvin-Thomas	
	1987 R. Edward Gordon
1988 Barry Firth	
	1991 LEP Constituted
	1993 Alan Baxter
1996 Terry Swinhoe	
	2001 Christine Jewitt
	2006 Stephanie J. Jenner
2007 Matthew Pollard	
	2010 Stephen Barnett
	2013 Ian L. Coverdale
2014 Marion E. Russell	2014 Mark Cheetham
	2018 Marion E. Russell (authorised to serve)
2021 Michelle Diane Petch	2021 Michelle Diane Petch (authorised to serve)
	2026 Local Ecumenical Partnership dissolved, St Matthew's (formerly Crowtrees) Methodist Church ceases to meet.

