

## Urban Area Dundee North – allocation 4.5FTE

### **Congregation in this sector:**

**Dundee Craigowl**  
**Dundee Northeast**  
**Downfield Mains**

All charges and congregations in this area shall be part of a formal 'Parish Grouping', as provided for in the Presbytery Mission Plan Act 2021. In doing so, each will be expected to identify their own response to the five marks of mission.

#### **Dundee Craigowl**

Strathmartine and Chalmers Ardler have united to form Craigowl Church with a 1FTE. This fulfils the Plan.

#### **Dundee Northeast**

The congregations of Fintry, Whitfield, Douglas, Mid Craigie, and Craigiebank united to form Dundee Northeast with 1 MWS, 0.5 MWS Pioneer Ministry (for up to two years initially), 1 MDS and 2 OLMs. This fulfils the Plan.

### **Summary**

1. Union of Chalmers Ardler and Strathmartine – 1 MWS.
2. Downfield Mains – 1 MWS.
3. Fintry, Whitfield, Douglas & Midcraigie, Craigiebank – 1 MWS 0.5 MWS Pioneer Ministry (for two years from the date of appointment), 1 MDS and 2 OLMs.

### **Buildings Categorisation.**

Chalmers Ardler - A  
Douglas & Mid Craigie - B  
Strathmartine - B  
Downfield Mains - A  
Whitfield – B, approved for disposal.  
Fintry - B

Chalmers Ardler and Downfield Mains churches have been categorised 'A' as a result of location, and levels of activity.

Strathmartine Church has been categorised as 'B' and has been approved for disposal.

Whitfield Church, category 'B' has been approved for disposal.

Douglas & Mid Craigie Church and Fintry Parish Church have all been categorised as 'B'. The congregation are currently exploring the possible redevelopment of the existing sites to provide better equipped spaces for their mission purposes. This is being done in conjunction with the General Trustees and the Presbytery Buildings Officer and it is hoped that the

Congregation will be in a position to submit a costed proposal and plan in 2025 for the consideration of the Planning Committee and subsequent approval of Presbytery.

**Adjustment steps to be completed.**

1. All charges to move towards a formal Parish Grouping.
2. A review and assessment of the remaining building estate of Douglas & Mid Craigie Church and Fintry Parish Church being undertaken by the congregation to development of well-equipped spaces in the right places for the united charge. A costed proposal and plan to be submitted in 2025 for the consideration of the Planning Committee and subsequent approval of Presbytery.