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Foreword

Introduction

Church Statistics 2007/8 continues to provide results from attendance and other affiliation measures collected by Church of England parishes and cathedrals since the turn of the millennium. These measures are designed to reflect modern day lifestyles and must be interpreted against the background of a growing number of government and other independent national surveys. National surveys continue to endorse the 2001 government census results that indicate a continuing majority of the English population to be Christian. In summary, 72% of the population of England indicated their religious affiliation to be Christian, 6% of other faiths, 14% of no religion and 8% did not state their religion.

In a pluralistic society, Christian denominations continue to play a significant role in the life of the nation. Approaching half of the adult population regards itself as Anglican (Opinion Research Business national poll 2007). Church Statistics 2007/8 provides more detailed geographical evidence of the continued involvement of the Church of England in the everyday lives of men, women and children at the beginning of the twenty-first century. This builds on similar information first published in Church Statistics 2002 and continues to be facilitated by the successful completion of the digitisation of the parish boundaries sponsored jointly by the Church of England dioceses and the Church Commissioners.

New attendance statistics

Following a major review of annual statistical information collection from parishes, new attendance measures were designed with dioceses during the summer of 2000. These are generally based on a four week count by parishes of their attendance levels at church worship in October. There is no single period in the year when church attendance could be said to be 'normal' or even 'average' but October is accepted across the Church of England and by our ecumenical partners as the easiest and most comparable month in which to carry out this quantitative exercise.

It would be wrong to make direct comparisons between the number counted in church services across October and the figures that churches have traditionally estimated as their "usual Sunday attendance". Examination of the attendance levels collated in this publication in 'All age church attendance 2000 to 2007' and 'Church attendance 2000 to 2007,' reveal a larger church and fairly static levels of church attendance. On average 1.2 million people attended church-based services of worship each week in 2007, slightly under one million of these on Sundays. Numbers fluctuated week by week, among adults on average doubling at points across the month while almost quadrupling among children and young people. Across a typical month in the year parish church and cathedral worship attracted 1.7 million people but only 1.4 million of these attended on Sundays. The Church is indeed a seven days a week Church, and in 2007 a third, i.e. 13 dioceses, saw increases over two years in their all age church attendance levels as shown in the map 'All age church attendance 2007'.

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www.cofe.anglican.org/info/statistics/

'Research towards fresh expressions of church' reveals that annual parochial church attendance statistics frequently do not include new forms of church or fresh expressions of church. One in three parishes are involved in fresh expressions of church among people who only occasionally otherwise attend church. Such fresh expressions involve significant numbers of adults, children and young people as explored further in the accompanying paper Research towards Fresh Expressions of Church which can be found at <http://www.cofe.anglican.org/info/statistics/churchstats2005/freshexpression0207.htm>

Easter and Christmas are festivals in the Christian year when traditionally many attend special occasions of worship in our parish churches and cathedrals. Churches and cathedrals were asked to estimate attendance levels at these festivals for the first time in 2000. The results continue to challenge, and in the case of cathedrals reflected steadily increasing numbers throughout the year. On Christmas Day/Eve 2007 2.7 million people attended church and cathedral worship, while 1.5 million attended on Easter Day. The importance of these Christian festivals in people's lives is evident in that Christmas services attracted over twice the average weekly attendance of our parish churches and cathedrals. Figures collected in previous years were directly comparable.

Occasional offices

The church has traditionally monitored electoral roll and baptism levels, but from 2000 parishes and cathedrals has been asked to estimate the number of occasions where people received direct pastoral contact through each of the occasional offices. Marriages can be performed in recognized places other than churches and cathedrals. The tables 'Total marriages in England' and 'First marriages, England and Wales' (based on local authority registrars' returns) indicate that just under a quarter of marriages were performed by Church of England ministers. Local churches had significant opportunities for mission and ministry through over 400,000 occasional offices performed by their ministers in 2007. Funerals account for approaching half of these which is a significant pastoral load for many clergy. The table 'Parochial marriages and funerals 2007' shows that 42% of deaths in England are marked with Church of England funerals. Baptisms and thanksgivings represented over a third of the occasional offices, marriages and blessings of civil marriages about one in seven. At these essentially family and community events, local churches have unique opportunities for contact among a wide constituency and national public attitude surveys show this to be valued by the Christian public.

Licensed ministers

All God's people are called to exercise their ministry in his world and in his Church. The statistics of this report relate to ministries which are nationally licensed. The total number of stipendiary clergy available for diocesan appointments continues to decline. Since the turn of the millennium there has been a net loss of 12%. This is projected to continue at a similar level with the net loss over the period 2008 to 2013 approaching 600 from a current total of 8,370. (These figures include clergy with full-time appointments and those with part-time appointments aggregated to their full-time equivalents. Europe, due to the special nature of its chaplaincies, is excluded.) These projections take into account the expected number of ordinations to stipendiary ministry. This figure stood at 321 in 2008. It is estimated to remain static at 322 in 2009 and then rise to 334 in 2010. For the years 2011 to 2013 a moving average of the previous five years ordination figures has been used. The number of people entering stipendiary ministry is not sufficient to replace those who are retiring. Detailed figures on the age structure are contained in 'Clergy age profiles and age structure' tables.

Among those licensed as unpaid ministers attached to parishes, the number of non-stipendiary ministers continued to increase to 2,712 in 2008. In addition, almost half the diocese utilise ordained local ministers. The numbers stood at 576 in 2008 compared to 311 in 2000, with a high of 610 in 2007; thus there was a 96% increase in ordained local ministers between 2000 and 2007. Dioceses benefit from a growing number of lay ministers. However across the country the number of licensed readers has decreased by almost 12% over the same period. In 2008 there were 7,653 licensed readers, fewer than the 8,057 in 2005 and 8,694 in 2000 (excluding readers with permission to officiate and active emeriti).

The number of women clergy, stipendiary and non-stipendiary, continues to rise. In 2008 there were 1,596 women in full-time stipendiary diocesan appointments compared with 1,466 in 2005 and 1,140 in 2000, generating a rise of over a third (40%) (these figures include the Diocese in Europe). Women make up about one in five (19%) of stipendiary parochial clergy. Out of every seven incumbents one is a woman (15%). The equivalent figure for clergy of incumbent status is more than one in three clergy (36%). Of a total of 359 dignitaries in 2007, 31 were women, eight more than 2005 and nineteen more than 2000. Women in non-stipendiary ministry in 2008 made up approaching a half (49%) of the total, and in ordained local ministry just over one half of the total (54%). For licensed readers the equivalent proportion 49%.

The Church also benefits from the ministry of 232 Church Army evangelists, of whom 28 are ordained; 401 professed members of religious communities, of whom 99 are ordained, and 1,213 chaplains working with mission agencies, the armed services, in hospitals, prisons, schools, higher and further education. In each of these categories of ministry there are fewer people than in 2000. At the turn of the millennium there were 257 Church Army evangelists, 729 professed members of

religious communities and 1,258 chaplains. A further 269 non-stipendiary clergy minister within dioceses but outside the formal parochial system.

Since 1994 when all categories of licensed ministry were opened to men and women, the total number of those entering licensed ministry in the Church of England (clergy ordinations and reader admissions combined) has remained at similar levels, falling only slightly, (by 5%) from 1038 to 949 in 2008. Over the same period, the total number of ordinations has risen by 42% from 405 in 1994 to 574 in 2008 while the number of reader admissions correspondingly decreased by 41% from 633 in 1994 to 375 in 2008. In particular, the number of people ordained to stipendiary ministry increased slightly from 316 in 1994 to 321 in 2008 compared with approaching a three-fold increase in non-stipendiary ordinations (89 in 1994 to 253 in 2008). In addition, it is worth noting that just over half (56%) of those ordained in 2008 entered stipendiary ministry compared to 48% in 2007 and over three quarters (78%) in 1994.

The average age of full-time stipendiary diocesan clergy is 51 years and one in five (22%) of full-time stipendiary diocesan clergy are aged 60 and over. Two-thirds (66%) are aged between 40 and 59 years, and 12% under 40. The average age of non-stipendiary diocesan clergy is 58 years while half (50%) of non-stipendiary ministers (including OLM's) and 51% licensed readers are aged 60 and over. The majority of the remaining half are in the 40 to 59 age group leaving just 4% of non-stipendiary ministers and less than 3% of readers under 40.

The total number of recommendations for training for ministry was 490 in 2008, 105 less than in 2007. The numbers of men and women recommended in 2008 were 273 and 217 respectively. Within these figures, the number recommended for ordained local ministry was 18 (10 men and 8 women), a decrease of 31 from the previous year.

Overall, there continued to be a greater number of candidates in training on theological courses (688) at the end of 2008 than were at theological colleges (639). Since the turn of the millennium the number on training courses has continued an upward trend - with an increase of 16% - and the number attending colleges has increased by 3%. Over the same time period the overall number in training for ordination (1,422 in 2000 then dropping to 1,308 in 2004) has now increased to 1411 with greatest number of candidates recommended for training being in the age range 40 to 49 years. Since 2000 the proportion of candidates recommended for training under 30 years of age has increased slightly at approximately 17%. The number of readers in training has fallen by over a quarter (28%) since 2000 from 1,315 to 953 in 2008.

Financial giving

During 2007 parish incomes rose significantly to £898 million, increasing by 8.5% compared with 2006, the largest rate of increase for ten years. Giving and donations from living donors exceeded half a billion pounds for the first time in 2007. When combined with a further £51 million of fundraising, and £45 million from legacies, total income from individuals exceeds £600 million, over two thirds of the income of parishes.

The core of parish incomes is regular, planned giving. In 2007, parishes received over £280 million from 634,000 giving 'units' (some units will represent a couple.) at an average of £8.56 per week. Most of these givers are able to give through Gift Aid, and a total of £79 million was reclaimed by parishes from HMRC. On average, before the recovery of tax, 513,000 tax-efficient givers gave £9.28 per week. The trends in giving by churchgoers are shown in accompanying tables and charts, and it is encouraging to note that this continues to rise above the level of inflation.

Income received by parishes in 2007 from legacies is a very slight increase on 2006's record levels. There is a slight decrease in the number of legacies received, but this may well be due to a change in the data collection questionnaire, which now asks for each legacy to be recorded only once, even if income is received in more than one financial year.

Income from dividends, interest and property rose by 13% to over £50 million. Whilst 2008 investment income may match this, this is expected to decline in the following years due to lower interest rates and stockmarket returns.

Outward giving from PCCs to mission organizations and other charities exceeded £50 million. The extent of this wider support for the Church's mission is not widely perceived, yet in total, this exceeds the BBC's 'Children in Need' appeal.

For the first time, the survey of parish finance separated out the level of Utility Bills paid by PCCs, and this exceeds £31 million.

Total capital expenditure rose by 5.5% at £184 million. Over a third of this, £64 million, is investment in new buildings and extensions.

Summary

Today people support their local churches, chapels and cathedrals in many different ways. A national opinion survey in October 2007 by Opinion Research Business revealed that 85% of adults had visited a local church or chapel in the previous year for a wide range of activities alongside attendance at church worship. While the quantitative information is not fully comprehensive, it does provide a healthy picture of the variety of local church life. Church attendance patterns, the role of the occasional offices, the increased diversity of ordained and lay ministries, financial giving and other measures of church support are all continuing to evolve at the turn of the millennium in ways which are beginning to capture the interest of many serious religious commentators.

We are particularly grateful to the dioceses and the parishes for continuing to embrace new aspects of the annual parochial return exercise. Their co-operation continues to remain crucial to the successful gathering of the information required for this publication, and we are encouraged that they too are finding the results useful for their own forward planning. This edition includes as much appropriate information as possible from the Diocese in Europe and from diocesan cathedrals. To view an online version of the book containing additional maps in colour please visit the Church of England web site at:

www.cofe.anglican.org/info/statistics

where statistics will be updated throughout the year.

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Definitions

In the tables relating to attendance at church services new measures of church attendance are employed:

Average Sunday attendance

= the average number of attenders at Sunday church services typically over a four week period in October.

Average weekly attendance

= the average number of attenders at church services throughout the week typically over a four week period in October.

Each of the above measures are provided separately for adults and children/young people aged under 16 years. The highest and lowest counts over the four week period are calculated as follows:

Highest Sunday/weekly attendance

= the sum of the highest Sunday (weekly) attendances over the four week period.

Lowest Sunday/weekly attendance

= the sum of the lowest Sunday (weekly) attendances over the four week period.

Attendance figures have only been included where local churches held at least one church based service (which included adult presence) during the week under examination.

In the tables relating to licensed ministers:

Stipendiary clergy and lay workers are paid by the central Church payroll.

Non-stipendiary clergy (and Ordained Local Ministers) hold diocesan licenses with a role in the parishes.

Other non-stipendiary clergy hold other roles in the Church that are not parish based. More detail is provided in note 5, of the table Chaplaincy and other ministries 2008.

Details of chaplains and other ministers working outside the parish framework can also be found in table Chaplaincy and other ministries 2008.

In the tables relating to **finance**, components of income and expenditure are defined as follows:

Income

Tax-efficient planned giving = tax-efficient planned giving including regular Gift Aid donations.

Total direct giving = planned giving plus church collections and boxes.

Other voluntary income = all other voluntary income for ordinary expenditure excluding income tax, e.g. fund-raising events, net profit on magazine/bookstall, sundry donations.

Total voluntary income = direct giving plus income tax plus other voluntary income.

Other recurring income = dividends and interest, recurring diocesan and other grants, and all other income for expenditure on ordinary purposes of the PCC, net surplus from church hall or other buildings, income from endowments or trust funds if used for ordinary purposes.

Total recurring income = total voluntary income plus other recurring income.

Expenditure

Total recurring expenditure = the total of ALL expenditure (including charitable giving) for the ordinary purposes of the PCC i.e. excluding only non-recurring items of capital expenditure and non-revenue items.

Notes

1. While many figures in this booklet have been rounded, totals, percentages and averages were calculated before rounding. Hence row and column totals will not always agree exactly with the sum of the stated amounts.
2. Membership, attendance and finance figures reported in this booklet have been collated from the annual parochial returns completed each year by parishes on behalf of Parochial Church Councils.
3. Among the 13,000 parishes of the Church of England there are around **600 Local Ecumenical Partnerships** in roughly half of which there is a congregation and a ministry shared between the Church of England and certain other churches. In such circumstances it is not always possible (or indeed desirable) to isolate the Anglican component of the congregation. The parochial statistics will therefore include a small element which may appear also in the statistics of other churches.
4. Figures for **cathedrals** and **the Diocese in Europe** are included as far as possible. Their inclusion is most frequently inappropriate in the finance tables. Rises in the financial figures for **the Diocese in Europe** are largely accounted for by the devaluation of Sterling.
5. The figures for **stipendiary clergy** (which include those outside the clergy share system) and for lay workers are based on statistics derived from the central Church payroll.
6. Details of **chaplains and other ministers** working outside the parish framework, and of **non-stipendiary clergy**, are based on statistics derived from the database used to compile Crockford's Clerical Directory. Where possible they have been cross-referenced with material produced by organising bodies.
7. **Unrestricted income** is income that may be used by the PCC for general church expenses. **Restricted income** is income which may not be used for any purpose other than as specified by the donor. (Income which a PCC designates for a specified purpose is considered to be unrestricted, since the PCC and not the donor is determining how it is to be used.)
8. **Recurring income** includes direct giving, other voluntary income and any other recurring income. **One-off income** includes insurance claims, non-recurring grants, legacies, special appeals and the sale of fixed assets.
9. **Recurring expenditure** includes donations to charities, parish share/quota, clergy expenses, church running costs, costs relating to trading, salaries and support costs. **Capital expenditure** includes major repairs, redecoration and new building work.

Summary diocesan statistics 2007/08

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)
For sources see below

Diocese ref. no.	Diocese		Population (000s) (2007)	Area (miles ²)	Population density (persons per miles ²)
1	Bath & Wells	C	900 (26)	1,614 (11)	558 (30)
2	Birmingham	C	1,429 (12)	292 (41)	4,893 (3)
3	Blackburn	Y	1,305 (14)	878 (27)	1,488 (15)
4	Bradford	Y	681 (37)	920 (26)	740 (27)
5	Bristol	C	933 (24)	474 (36)	1,969 (9)
6	Canterbury	C	865 (28)	970 (25)	892 (26)
7	Carlisle	Y	491 (41)	2,477 (4)	198 (42)
8	Chelmsford	C	2,810 (2)	1,531 (12)	1,835 (10)
9	Chester	Y	1,562 (8)	1,017 (22)	1,536 (14)
10	Chichester	C	1,537 (9)	1,459 (14)	1,053 (22)
11	Coventry	C	788 (33)	686 (30)	1,148 (19)
12	Derby	C	1,014 (21)	997 (23)	1,017 (24)
13	Durham	Y	1,461 (11)	987 (24)	1,480 (16)
14	Ely	C	683 (36)	1,507 (13)	453 (34)
15	Exeter	C	1,134 (18)	2,575 (3)	440 (35)
16	Gloucester	C	621 (39)	1,140 (20)	545 (31)
17	Guilford	C	974 (23)	538 (35)	1,811 (12)
18	Hereford	C	320 (42)	1,660 (10)	193 (43)
19	Leicester	C	933 (25)	835 (29)	1,117 (21)
20	Lichfield	C	1,998 (6)	1,744 (9)	1,145 (20)
21	Lincoln	C	1,011 (22)	2,673 (1)	378 (39)
22	Liverpool	Y	1,522 (10)	389 (39)	3,912 (5)
23	London	C	3,671 (1)	277 (42)	13,252 (1)
24	Manchester	Y	1,970 (6)	415 (37)	4,746 (4)
25	Newcastle	Y	781 (34)	2,110 (6)	370 (40)
26	Norwich	C	862 (29)	1,804 (8)	478 (33)
27	Oxford	C	2,191 (4)	2,221 (5)	988 (25)
28	Peterborough	C	837 (30)	1,149 (19)	728 (28)
29	Portsmouth	C	741 (35)	408 (38)	1,817 (11)
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	822 (32)	1,359 (17)	605 (29)
31	Rochester	C	1,238 (16)	542 (34)	2,283 (6)
32	St. Albans	C	1,731 (7)	1,116 (21)	1,551 (13)
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	C	631 (38)	1,439 (15)	439 (36)
34	Salisbury	C	888 (27)	2,046 (7)	434 (37)
35	Sheffield	Y	1,194 (17)	576 (32)	2,074 (7)
36	Sodor & Man	Y	80 (43)	221 (43)	362 (41)
37	Southwark	C	2,519 (3)	317 (40)	7,945 (2)
38	Southwell & Nottingham	Y	1,069 (20)	847 (28)	1,262 (17)
39	Turo	C	533 (40)	1,390 (16)	383 (38)
40	Wakefield	Y	1,103 (19)	557 (33)	1,979 (8)
41	Winchester	C	1,278 (15)	1,216 (18)	1,051 (23)
42	Worcester	C	824 (31)	671 (31)	1,228 (18)
43	York	Y	1,403 (13)	2,661 (2)	527 (32)
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			38,892	35,291	1,017
Totals Province of York (Y)			15,443	15,414	1,002
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			51,338	50,705	1,012

Notes :

- The right hand set of figures in each column gives the magnitude, in descending order, of the left hand figures. Thus in terms of area, Bath and Wells is the 11th largest diocese, Birmingham is the 41st.
- C and Y denote dioceses in the Provinces of Canterbury and York respectively.
- Diocesan population figures are based on the 2007 mid-year estimates. Crown copyright material is reproduced under Class Licence Number C01W0000297 with the permission of the Controller of HMSO. However as government boundaries do not match diocesan boundaries there has to be an element of estimation.

Diocese ref. no.	Number of :			Full Time stipendiary parochial clergy (men and women)	Number of stipendiary parochial clergy per :	
	Benefices	Parishes	Churches		Parish	1000 Population
1	200 (12)	466 (6)	566 (9)	194 (16)	0.42 (35)	0.34 (32)
2	136 (29)	155 (40)	193 (40)	150 (22)	0.97 (5)	0.78 (4)
3	189 (16)	226 (28)	282 (29)	162 (20)	0.72 (14)	0.57 (15)
4	102 (42)	129 (42)	164 (42)	87 (41)	0.67 (22)	0.53 (18)
5	106 (41)	162 (39)	205 (39)	110 (37)	0.68 (21)	0.54 (16)
6	155 (24)	262 (24)	329 (24)	123 (34)	0.47 (30)	0.37 (31)
7	126 (35)	264 (22)	345 (20)	133 (26)	0.50 (28)	0.39 (29)
8	329 (2)	474 (5)	608 (6)	361 (2)	0.76 (10)	0.59 (11)
9	226 (8)	277 (20)	371 (18)	227 (8)	0.82 (8)	0.61 (9)
10	295 (3)	385 (12)	513 (10)	273 (6)	0.71 (16)	0.53 (17)
11	135 (30)	198 (32)	241 (34)	102 (38)	0.52 (27)	0.42 (26)
12	160 (23)	253 (25)	332 (23)	144 (23)	0.57 (24)	0.43 (24)
13	188 (18)	230 (27)	283 (28)	171 (18)	0.74 (12)	0.60 (10)
14	197 (13)	308 (17)	334 (22)	126 (30)	0.41 (36)	0.38 (30)
15	193 (14)	495 (4)	616 (4)	208 (10)	0.42 (34)	0.34 (34)
16	121 (36)	314 (16)	396 (16)	126 (32)	0.40 (37)	0.32 (38)
17	140 (28)	184 (38)	217 (38)	165 (19)	1.01 (3)	0.76 (5)
18	116 (38)	344 (14)	424 (13)	86 (42)	0.25 (43)	0.20 (43)
19	120 (37)	237 (26)	321 (26)	125 (32)	0.53 (26)	0.39 (28)
20	274 (5)	423 (10)	578 (7)	275 (5)	0.65 (23)	0.48 (21)
21	213 (10)	507 (3)	640 (3)	154 (21)	0.30 (41)	0.24 (41)
22	172 (21)	207 (31)	258 (33)	201 (12)	0.97 (4)	0.78 (3)
23	407 (1)	396 (11)	476 (12)	471 (1)	1.19 (1)	0.99 (1)
24	220 (9)	282 (19)	345 (20)	222 (9)	0.79 (9)	0.64 (8)
25	133 (31)	175 (35)	241 (34)	121 (35)	0.69 (20)	0.50 (19)
26	183 (19)	569 (2)	642 (2)	177 (17)	0.31 (40)	0.28 (39)
27	291 (4)	623 (1)	819 (1)	351 (3)	0.56 (25)	0.43 (25)
28	142 (27)	348 (13)	383 (17)	128 (29)	0.37 (39)	0.33 (36)
29	129 (32)	144 (41)	174 (41)	101 (40)	0.70 (19)	0.58 (13)
30	113 (39)	167 (37)	264 (32)	118 (36)	0.71 (17)	0.45 (22)
31	190 (15)	216 (30)	265 (31)	200 (13)	0.93 (6)	0.75 (6)
32	208 (11)	334 (15)	406 (15)	235 (7)	0.70 (18)	0.58 (14)
33	129 (32)	446 (9)	477 (11)	130 (28)	0.29 (42)	0.27 (40)
34	161 (22)	457 (7)	576 (8)	195 (15)	0.43 (33)	0.34 (33)
35	152 (25)	174 (36)	218 (37)	144 (23)	0.83 (7)	0.66 (7)
36	28 (43)	27 (43)	45 (43)	10 (43)	0.37 (38)	0.22 (42)
37	269 (6)	293 (18)	365 (19)	320 (4)	1.09 (2)	0.88 (2)
38	173 (20)	264 (22)	310 (26)	131 (27)	0.50 (29)	0.42 (27)
39	129 (32)	222 (29)	310 (26)	102 (38)	0.46 (31)	0.33 (37)
40	152 (25)	185 (33)	239 (36)	139 (25)	0.75 (11)	0.58 (12)
41	189 (16)	268 (21)	407 (14)	197 (14)	0.74 (13)	0.48 (20)
42	110 (40)	176 (34)	282 (29)	126 (30)	0.72 (15)	0.45 (23)
43	262 (7)	456 (8)	609 (5)	205 (11)	0.45 (32)	0.34 (35)
5,427		9,639	12,095	5,454	0.57	0.46
2,236		3,063	3,974	2,071	0.88	0.52
7,863		12,702	16,069	7,525	0.59	0.47

4. Area figures are calculated from material supplied by ONS and the Church Commissioners.

5. Benefices with parishes attached as listed in the Parish Register maintained by the Research and Statistics Dept as at 31 December 2008.

6. Parishes and churches are as listed in the Parish Register maintained by the Research and Statistics Dept as at 31 December 2008. Includes 110 churches with no buildings.

7. Clergy as at 31 December 2008. Source: Church Commissioners. Does not include 311 part-timers.

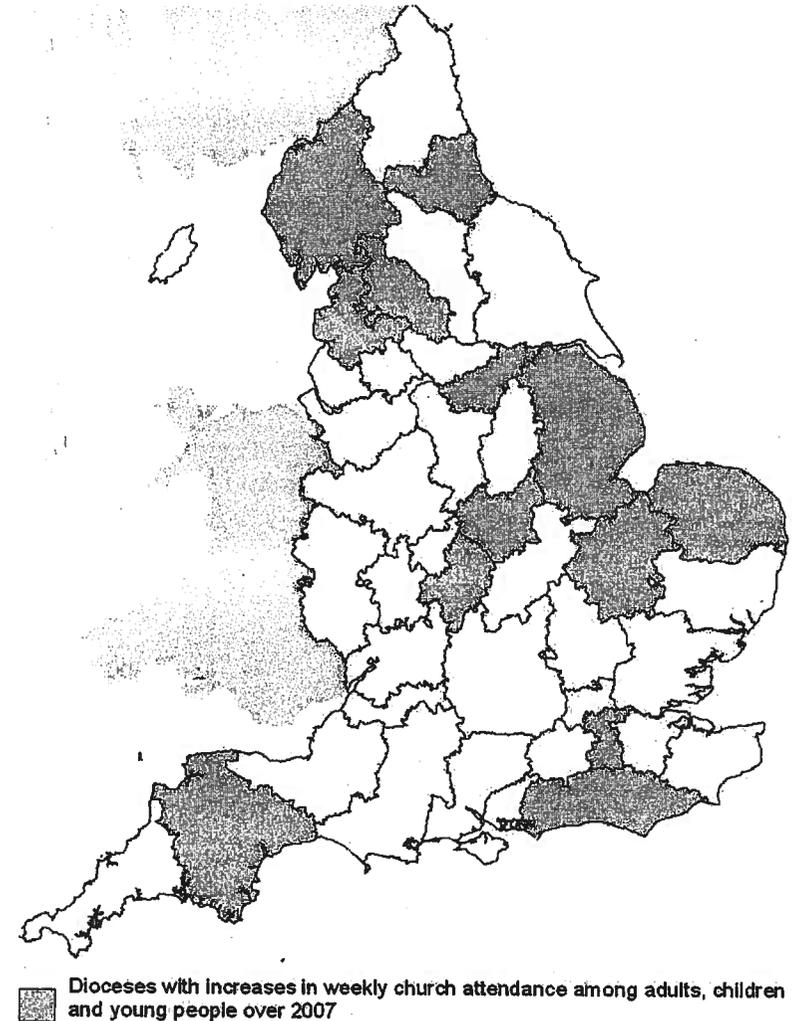
8. The Diocese in Europe is composed of 295 separate congregations.

Average weekly attendances 2007 and 2006 adults, children and young people

Ref. No.	Diocese	Total Attendances (Adults, children and young people)					
		Average Weekly		Average Sunday		Usual Sunday	
		2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006
1	Bath & Wells	28,100	28,100	24,200	24,400	22,500	22,200
2	Birmingham	20,100	20,100	17,800	17,200	15,100	16,100
3	Blackburn	34,200	32,400	28,800	27,000	23,200	23,200
4	Bradford	12,500	11,900	9,900	9,700	8,700	8,900
5	Bristol	16,600	17,600	13,400	15,700	13,200	13,500
6	Canterbury	23,200	24,300	19,800	20,300	17,500	18,000
7	Carlisle	18,400	17,100	15,100	14,500	11,800	11,500
8	Chelmsford	42,700	42,700	37,800	38,500	33,600	34,000
9	Chester	39,800	40,100	32,800	32,900	28,400	28,100
10	Chichester	48,700	46,800	40,900	38,800	37,000	36,000
11	Coventry	17,100	16,800	14,800	14,300	13,000	13,200
12	Derby	17,300	18,800	15,100	16,400	13,200	14,400
13	Durham	22,500	20,800	18,300	17,800	15,400	15,400
14	Ely	19,000	18,300	16,000	15,600	14,200	13,500
15	Exeter	28,400	27,900	24,500	24,500	23,800	23,900
16	Gloucester	22,800	22,800	19,400	19,400	18,300	16,500
17	Guildford	28,900	29,200	24,800	25,300	23,300	23,100
18	Hereford	12,900	12,800	11,200	11,100	9,400	8,500
19	Leicester	16,800	16,500	14,900	14,800	12,100	12,800
20	Lichfield	37,900	39,000	30,700	30,300	28,000	28,500
21	Lincoln	26,800	24,700	21,700	20,000	17,000	15,700
22	Liverpool	29,400	29,400	25,100	25,600	20,800	21,700
23	London	79,800	80,600	62,400	62,200	59,100	57,400
24	Manchester	34,900	34,900	29,700	29,400	31,200	25,900
25	Newcastle	14,900	15,200	12,500	12,600	10,600	11,100
26	Norwich	22,800	22,100	19,800	19,600	16,200	16,800
27	Oxford	58,200	59,000	50,600	50,800	45,300	44,800
28	Peterborough	19,600	20,800	16,700	17,500	14,800	15,400
29	Portsmouth	14,800	15,200	13,000	13,300	11,700	12,300
30	Ripon & Leeds	14,900	16,200	12,700	13,700	11,000	11,900
31	Rochester	30,200	31,100	25,800	26,300	23,900	23,800
32	St. Albans	38,900	39,400	30,900	31,000	27,400	27,400
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	19,600	20,700	17,900	19,000	15,200	16,300
34	Salisbury	32,600	34,700	27,400	28,600	24,400	24,700
35	Sheffield	20,000	19,100	16,300	15,600	14,200	13,500
36	Sodor & Man	2,700	2,800	2,300	2,300	1,800	1,800
37	Southwark	45,700	43,000	40,900	38,600	33,400	36,400
38	Southwell & Nottingham	18,600	18,700	16,000	15,800	14,100	14,000
39	Truro	13,500	14,500	11,600	12,000	10,200	10,800
40	Wakefield	18,300	18,600	15,400	16,200	13,400	13,500
41	Winchester	35,900	36,000	29,400	30,200	26,900	27,400
42	Worcester	16,300	17,800	13,400	14,200	11,800	12,300
43	York	31,100	32,600	25,600	27,300	21,100	23,700
44	Europe	12,400	12,100	11,600	11,500	11,200	10,800
Totals Province of Canterbury		835,000	854,000	708,000	722,000	631,000	646,000
Totals Province of York		325,000	310,000	272,000	261,000	237,000	224,000
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		1,160,000	1,163,000	978,000	983,000	868,000	871,000

Notes: 1. Children and young people are for the majority of dioceses defined as under the age of 16 years.
2. Figures for cathedrals are included.

Church of England All Age Church Attendance 2007



Parochial church attendance 2000 to 2007

Weekly church attendance

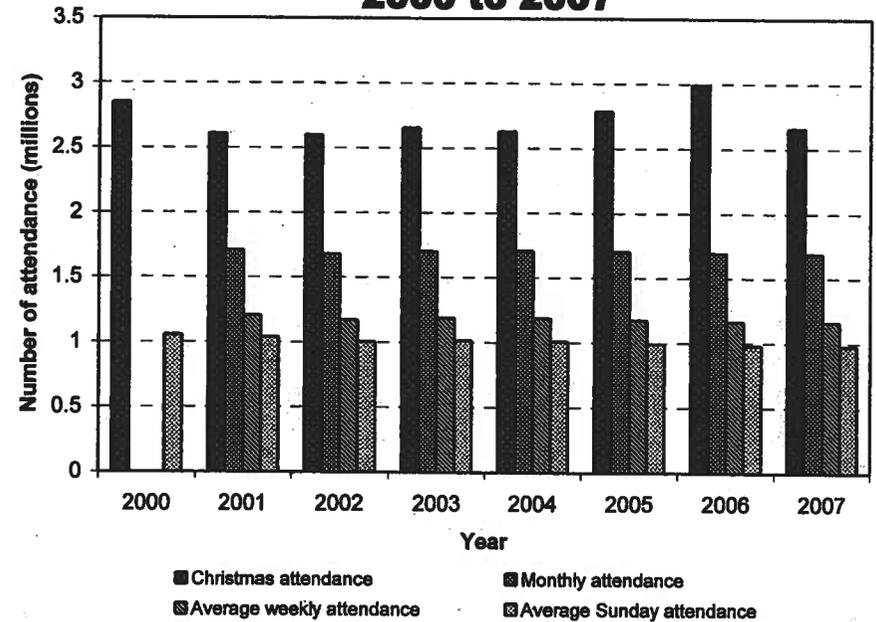
Year	Adult			Children and young people			All age		
	Highest attendance 000s	Average attendance 000s	Lowest attendance 000s	Highest attendance 000s	Average attendance 000s	Lowest attendance 000s	Highest attendance 000s	Average attendance 000s	Lowest attendance 000s
2000*	1,451	1,031	742	455	243	120	1,855	1,274	885
2001	1,332	976	727	416	229	113	1,708	1,205	862
2002	1,296	941	693	424	229	111	1,682	1,170	825
2003	1,312	957	714	430	230	110	1,704	1,187	844
2004	1,308	951	706	437	235	111	1,707	1,186	839
2005	1,302	942	696	444	232	107	1,706	1,174	823
2006	1,294	937	690	442	228	103	1,694	1,163	812
2007	1,303	940	691	424	219	99	1,690	1,160	811

Sunday church attendance

Year	Adult			Children and young people			All age		
	Highest attendance 000s	Average attendance 000s	Lowest attendance 000s	Highest attendance 000s	Average attendance 000s	Lowest attendance 000s	Highest attendance 000s	Average attendance 000s	Lowest attendance 000s
2000	1,191	878	680	300	180	103	1,464	1,058	781
2001	1,170	868	657	285	173	99	1,425	1,041	774
2002	1,143	838	623	278	167	94	1,395	1,005	733
2003	1,156	853	645	272	164	92	1,401	1,017	755
2004	1,147	846	638	272	164	91	1,394	1,010	746
2005	1,136	836	629	284	158	87	1,374	993	733
2006	1,123	828	622	282	155	84	1,361	983	722
2007	1,129	830	622	252	148	79	1,357	978	718

- Notes:
- Figures for cathedrals are included.
 - Children and young people are under 16 years of age while adults are 16 years of age or over.
 - From 2000 church attendance figures are calculated typically from a four-week count in October.
 - * In 2000 attendance at midweek weddings and funerals was included.
 - An approximation to monthly attendance can be taken from the highest weekly attendance counted over a typical month.

All age church attendance 2000 to 2007



All age church attendance 2000 to 2007

Year	Christmas attendance 000s	Monthly attendance 000s	Average weekly attendance 000s	Average Sunday attendance 000s
2000	2,851	1,058	1,274	885
2001	2,608	1,041	1,205	862
2002	2,600	1,005	1,170	825
2003	2,652	1,017	1,187	844
2004	2,629	1,010	1,186	839
2005	2,786	993	1,174	823
2006	2,994	983	1,163	812
2007	2,657	978	1,160	811

Note: 2000 weekly and monthly attendance figures are not available on a comparable basis as attendance at mid-week weddings and funerals was included in the 2000 counts.

Parochial baptisms and thanksgivings 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	Live births	Baptisms			Thanksgivings		Baptisms and Thanksgivings Total	
			Infants under one year of age	Infant baptism rates per 1,000 live births	Children aged 1 to 12 years	All other persons	Infants		Child
1	Bath & Wells	10,045	1,920	191	810	230	50	30	3,040
2	Birmingham	21,976	1,450	66	920	290	70	30	2,755
3	Blackburn	15,802	2,950	187	990	230	90	25	4,285
4	Bradford	10,302	820	80	310	60	95	45	1,330
5	Bristol	11,937	1,180	99	580	120	65	10	1,960
6	Canterbury	9,925	1,710	172	1,050	240	65	25	3,085
7	Carlisle	4,949	1,850	374	490	110	10	5	2,470
8	Chelmsford	40,905	2,910	71	1,850	540	280	120	5,700
9	Chester	18,394	3,250	177	1,360	230	175	60	5,080
10	Chichester	16,902	2,590	153	1,240	330	115	35	4,310
11	Coventry	9,888	1,230	124	650	190	85	30	2,190
12	Derby	11,693	1,600	137	620	150	115	20	2,500
13	Durham	16,978	3,820	213	1,110	220	195	65	5,210
14	Ely	8,188	1,160	142	500	150	45	40	1,900
15	Exeter	11,662	2,000	171	970	250	85	20	3,820
16	Gloucester	7,025	1,370	195	640	170	50	15	2,240
17	Guildford	12,333	1,840	149	990	220	70	30	3,155
18	Hereford	3,190	960	301	360	90	60	40	1,510
19	Leicester	11,859	990	83	480	110	35	10	1,615
20	Lichfield	25,163	3,980	158	1,830	430	240	100	6,570
21	Lincoln	10,827	3,210	296	1,050	250	20	20	4,560
22	Liverpool	17,988	3,170	176	1,320	210	115	55	4,870
23	London	59,745	2,600	44	1,990	710	95	75	5,485
24	Manchester	28,625	4,080	143	1,870	540	315	105	6,905
25	Newcastle	8,568	1,730	202	560	140	10	0	2,440
26	Norwich	8,885	1,620	182	650	150	25	10	2,465
27	Oxford	29,681	4,070	137	1,970	440	160	25	6,655
28	Peterborough	11,386	1,330	117	640	150	65	25	2,200
29	Portsmouth	8,112	1,140	141	580	130	35	10	1,890
30	Ripon & Leeds	9,515	1,220	128	570	120	55	5	1,975
31	Rochester	16,018	1,790	112	1,130	290	300	145	3,655
32	St. Albans	23,591	2,460	104	1,370	350	105	45	4,330
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	7,146	1,120	157	480	130	30	10	1,755
34	Salisbury	9,336	2,050	220	900	210	110	30	3,300
35	Sheffield	14,931	2,430	163	840	220	360	110	3,960
36	Sodor & Man	905	200	221	70	10	0	0	285
37	Southwark	41,559	2,030	49	1,620	410	115	95	4,270
38	Southwell & Nottingham	12,780	1,340	105	680	240	145	30	2,435
39	Truro	5,149	970	188	360	90	5	10	1,435
40	Wakefield	14,303	2,120	148	810	270	185	30	3,415
41	Winchester	14,566	2,650	182	1,090	270	125	20	4,145
42	Worcester	9,578	1,730	181	740	140	175	35	2,815
43	York	15,740	3,650	232	1,160	280	140	40	5,270
44	Europe		330	-	180	90	45	5	650
Totals Province of Canterbury		468,267	55,980	120	28,190	7,290	2,855	1,110	95,400
Totals Province of York		189,780	32,440	171	12,160	2,895	1,890	580	49,900
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		658,047	88,400	134	40,300	10,200	4,700	1,700	145,400
Comparable figures for 2006:									
Totals Province of Canterbury		452,514	58,020	128	27,030	6,920	2,760	1,010	95,730
Totals Province of York		185,924	32,860	177	11,140	2,400	1,760	440	48,600
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		638,438	90,880	142	38,170	9,320	4,510	1,450	144,330

Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are included.

2. Live births per diocese are estimates based on statistics obtained from the Office for National Statistics (ONS).

Confirmations 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	Services	Males	Females	Total
1	Bath and Wells	43	201	261	462
2	Birmingham	86	179	301	480
3	Blackburn	85	657	823	1480
4	Bradford	30	76	143	219
5	Bristol	81	119	189	308
6	Canterbury	38	224	346	570
7	Carlisle	61	157	279	436
8	Chelmsford	82	300	458	758
9	Chester	105	308	509	817
10	Chichester	70	467	610	1077
11	Coventry	9	144	217	361
12	Derby	28	137	223	360
13	Durham	29	144	258	402
14	Ely	34	118	145	263
15	Exeter	72	255	416	671
16	Gloucester	43	157	328	485
17	Guildford	44	354	458	812
18	Hereford	41	97	153	250
19	Leicester	20	116	174	290
20	Lichfield	119	456	718	1174
21	Lincoln	46	144	278	422
22	Liverpool	80	490	741	1231
23	London	183	801	1179	1980
24	Manchester	113	457	730	1187
25	Newcastle	61	104	169	273
26	Norwich	43	137	209	346
27	Oxford	133	751	974	1725
28	Peterborough	52	242	334	576
29	Portsmouth	17	72	145	217
30	Ripon & Leeds	55	206	336	542
31	Rochester	63	383	563	946
32	St. Albans	79	336	652	988
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	38	164	255	419
34	Salisbury	33	290	372	662
35	Sheffield	32	155	234	389
36	Sodor and Man	9	18	22	40
37	Southwark	110	526	847	1373
38	Southwell	25	208	266	474
39	Truro	39	77	110	187
40	Wakefield	34	134	215	349
41	Winchester	78	289	399	668
42	Worcester	66	114	204	318
43	York	96	295	427	722
44	Europe	35	92	115	207
Totals Province of Canterbury		1823	7722	11633	19355
Totals Province of York		816	3409	5152	8561
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		2638	11131	16785	27916
Comparable figures for 2006:					
Totals Province of Canterbury		1800	8333	12248	20581
Totals Province of York		877	3435	5364	8799
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		2677	11768	17612	29380

Note: Confirmations in the Armed Forces are not included.

Parochial church electoral rolls

		Church Electoral Rolls				
Ref. No.	Diocese	2007	2006	2002 ¹	1996 ¹	1990 ¹
1	Bath & Wells	36,000	39,500	38,000	42,700	47,300
2	Birmingham	17,500	19,100	18,200	19,300	19,900
3	Blackburn	34,700	35,800	34,300	37,400	47,000
4	Bradford	11,300	12,100	12,300	12,700	14,900
5	Bristol	15,400	17,000	16,600	19,000	22,200
6	Canterbury	20,600	22,900	21,000	21,000	21,000
7	Carlisle	20,400	21,800	21,600	24,900	25,700
8	Chelmsford	45,300	51,100	48,600	50,800	51,100
9	Chester	42,600	49,400	45,700	48,600	50,500
10	Chichester	54,100	56,700	51,800	58,200	62,700
11	Coventry	17,300	17,300	16,300	17,700	19,800
12	Derby	17,800	20,600	20,700	20,100	24,100
13	Durham	22,800	23,500	24,000	27,400	30,900
14	Ely	18,300	18,500	19,100	20,900	23,800
15	Exeter	30,800	32,100	30,500	33,900	38,000
16	Gloucester	22,100	22,500	23,600	26,300	28,400
17	Guildford	28,100	30,500	29,500	30,600	33,100
18	Hereford	17,600	18,100	18,100	18,900	20,000
19	Leicester	16,400	17,900	17,000	16,100	19,300
20	Lichfield	44,600	48,200	45,000	52,200	58,400
21	Lincoln	28,400	27,400	27,800	31,300	35,900
22	Liverpool	26,800	29,300	28,800	32,500	38,900
23	London	64,400	63,800	59,600	52,500	45,100
24	Manchester	32,600	35,700	34,500	38,000	39,300
25	Newcastle	16,000	17,000	16,700	17,500	19,500
26	Norwich	19,800	23,600	23,900	25,900	31,100
27	Oxford	52,700	57,900	54,600	60,600	58,700
28	Peterborough	18,300	19,000	18,000	19,500	21,700
29	Portsmouth	16,400	18,500	17,500	18,000	19,500
30	Ripon & Leeds	15,300	17,700	17,600	19,300	24,600
31	Rochester	28,500	31,600	29,900	31,300	34,100
32	St. Albans	36,900	42,100	39,400	43,100	50,000
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	23,300	25,200	24,100	25,300	26,900
34	Salisbury	40,700	43,600	42,500	45,900	48,200
35	Sheffield	17,400	20,600	18,600	20,700	22,600
36	Sodor & Man	2,700	2,800	2,400	2,800	3,300
37	Southwark	44,800	46,200	44,200	45,400	46,100
38	Southwell & Nottingham	18,800	19,500	18,300	18,700	20,800
39	Truro	15,700	17,500	16,900	17,600	21,900
40	Wakefield	19,800	21,600	20,300	23,200	24,900
41	Winchester	37,000	41,200	38,500	42,100	44,400
42	Worcester	19,200	20,400	20,300	22,400	21,200
43	York	33,600	37,900	35,000	38,200	41,100
44	Europe	10,300	10,800	9,300	N/A	N/A
Totals Province of Canterbury		858,400	921,000	880,300	929,000	994,000
Totals Province of York		315,000	345,000	330,000	362,000	402,000
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		1,173,400	1,266,000	1,210,000	1,290,400	1,396,000

- Notes:
1. Electoral Rolls are revised annually and new rolls are compiled every six years. Thus in 1990, 1996, 2002 and 2007 new electoral rolls were compiled.
 2. Figures for cathedrals are included from 2002 onwards.
 3. N/A These figures are not available so national electoral roll totals for 1990 and 1996 do not include the Diocese of Europe.

Parochial comparisons 1900 to 2007

Baptisms and thanksgivings

Year	Live births 000s	* Infant baptisms 000s	Inf baptism rates per 1000 live births	* Baptisms of children 1 to 12 yrs 000s	* Baptisms of other persons 000s	* Total Baptisms 000s	Thanksgivings		
							under 1 000s	1+ 000s	Total 000s
1900	868	564	650	Figures not available		575	Figures not available		
1910	831	573	690	"	"	589	"	"	"
1920	891	604	678	"	"	615	"	"	"
1930	607	424	699	"	"	434	"	"	"
1940	570	365	640	"	"	375	"	"	"
1950	657	441	671	"	"	450	"	"	"
1960	744	412	554	"	"	422	"	"	"
1970	745	347	466	"	"	355	"	"	"
1980	621	226	364	"	"	266	"	"	"
1990	670	184	275	35	9	228	"	"	"
1991	661	180	272	36	9	225	"	"	"
1992	655	170	260	37	9	216	"	"	"
1993	639	160	250	37	8	206	"	"	"
1994	632	157	248	38	8	204	"	"	"
1995	616	148	240	38	8	194	"	"	"
1996	617	141	229	39	8	188	"	"	"
1997	610	139	228	40	8	187	"	"	"
1998	610	129	211	39	8	177	"	"	"
1999	592	126	213	43	10	179	"	"	"
2000	576	114	198	38	8	161	6	1	7
2001	566	107	189	38	8	153	5	2	7
2002	569	103	181	40	8	151	5	2	7
2003	592	99	167	37	8	144	5	2	7
2004	610	97	159	38	9	144	6	2	8
2005	616	93	151	39	9	141	5	2	7
2006	638	91	143	38	9	138	5	1	6
2007	658	88	134	40	10	139	5	2	6

Figures have been rounded and as a result the total may not add-up.

Note: * The infant baptism figures for 1980 and later years are not directly comparable with those of previous years, because from 1978 the returns have specified infant baptisms as those under one year of age in order to relate more realistically to live births.

Parochial funerals and deaths in England, 2000 to 2007

Year	Parochial funerals	Number of deaths	Funerals as per cent of deaths
2000	232,600	501,300	46%
2001	228,000	496,100	46%
2002	224,800	489,100	45%
2003	227,100	503,400	45%
2004	212,500	481,500	44%
2005	207,200	481,800	43%
2006	199,300	472,700	42%
2007	194,300	472,900	41%

Note: The number of deaths are estimates based on Population Trends, Office for National Statistics

Confirmations 1900 to 2007

Year	Males 000s	Females 000s	Total 000s	Year	Males 000s	Females 000s	Total 000s
1900	73	108	181	1996	17	26	43
1910	95	132	227	1997**	16	25	41
1920	83	116	199	1998**	16	24	40
1930	84	112	197	1999**	14	23	37
1940	65	79	144	2000**	14	22	36
1950	60	82	142	2001**	13	20	33
1960	78	113	191	2002**	13	20	33
1970	45	68	113	2003**	13	19	32
1980	37	61	98	2004**	12	18	30
1990	23	37	60	2005**	12	18	30
1991	21	34	55	2006**	12	18	29
1992	22	36	57	2007**	11	17	28
1993	20	32	52				
1994	18	30	48				
1995	17	27	44				

Electoral rolls and usual Sunday attendances 1930 to 2007

Year	Church Electoral Rolls 000s	Usual Sunday attendances (all services)		
		Children & young people 000s	Adults 000s	Total 000s
1930	3,693	<i>Figures not available</i>		
1940	3,423	"	"	"
1950	2,959	"	"	"
1960	2,862	"	"	"
1968	2,636	"	"	1,606
1970	2,559	"	"	1,542
1978	1,781 #	"	"	1,243
1980	1,815	"	"	1,240
1984	1,495 #	"	"	1,182
1986	1,583	252	914	1,167
1990	1,396 #	226	917	1,143
1991	1,437	223	914	1,137
1992	1,459	220	903	1,123
1993	1,474	206	883	1,090
1994	1,479	201	880	1,081
1995	1,468	192	854	1,045
1996	1,290 #	184	832	1,016
1997**	1,325	179	817	996
1998**	1,347	174	803	977
1999**	1,357	170	799	969
2000**	1,377	N/A	N/A	N/A
2001**	1,372	157	781	938
2002**	1,210 #	151	768	919
2003**	1,235	145	757	901
2004**	1,254	143	760	903
2005**	1,269	137	743	880
2006**	1,266	133	737	871
2007**	1,173 #	132	736	868

Notes:

1. Before 1957 the minimum age for inclusion on the electoral roll was 18. From 1957-1980 the age was lowered to 17 after which it was reduced again to 16. Electoral roll figures for 1982 and previous years include some cathedral rolls. These have been excluded from the figures for later years.

2. # Since 1972 new rolls have been prepared every 6 years. Such years are marked with a # symbol.

3. N/A - figures unavailable.

4. ** Electoral roll and confirmation figures for 1997 to 2007 include the Diocese in Europe.

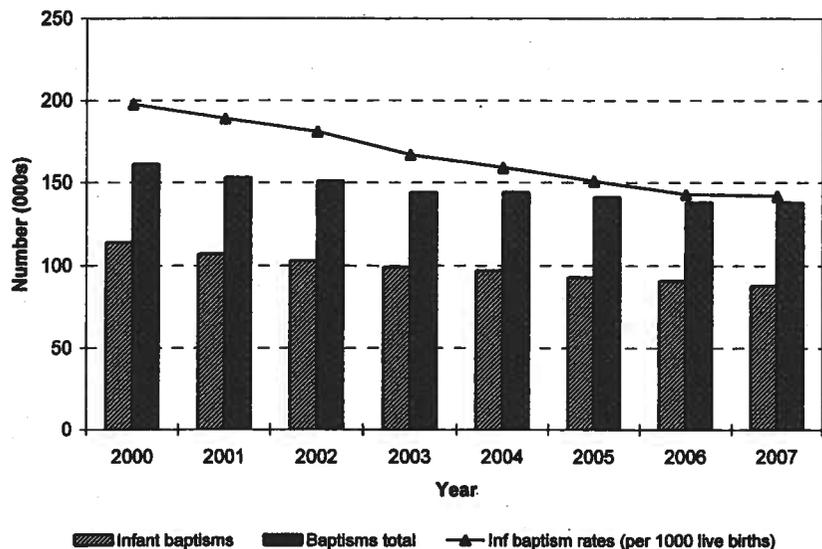
Parochial Easter and Christmas comparisons 1922 to 2007

Year	Estimated mid-year adult pop* 000s	Easter Day			Christmas Day/Eve		
		attendance 000s	communicants 000s	communicant rates per 1000 adult pop*	attendance 000s	communicants 000s	communicant rates per 1000 adult pop*
1922	25,951	<i>Figures not available</i>	2,294	88	<i>Figures not available</i>	<i>Figures not available</i>	<i>Figures not available</i>
1930	28,418	<i>Figures not available</i>	2,285	80	<i>Figures not available</i>	<i>Figures not available</i>	<i>Figures not available</i>
1940	31,418	"	2,018	64	"	"	"
1950	32,319	"	1,867	58	"	"	"
1960	33,395	"	2,159	65	"	2,074	62
1970	35,450	"	1,632	46	"	1,689	48
1980	36,924	"	1,551	42	"	1,807	49
1982	37,642	"	1,499	40	"	1,688	45
1984	38,094	"	1,486	39	"	1,742	46
1986	38,547	"	1,550	40	"	1,668	43
1988	38,861	"	1,585	41	"	1,714	44
1990	39,002	"	1,376	35	"	1,556	40
1991	38,993	"	1,310	34	"	1,590	41
1992	39,289	"	1,350	34	"	1,483	38
1993	39,414	"	1,317	33	"	1,481	38
1994	39,557	"	1,300	33	"	1,488	38
1995	39,657	"	1,285	32	"	1,393	35
1996	39,836	"	1,236	31	"	1,344	34
1997	40,013	"	1,172	29	"	1,344	34
1998	40,554	"	1,193	29	"	1,308	32
1999	39,852	"	1,180	30	"	1,225	31
2000	40,145	1,628	1,163	29	2,852	1,366	34
2001	39,475	1,593	1,135	29	2,608	1,228	31
2002	39,927	1,473	1,059	27	2,607	1,215	30
2003	40,246	1,504	1,078	27	2,653	1,200	30
2004	40,537	1,513	1,095	27	2,629	1,164	29
2005	40,913	1,418	1,019	25	2,786	1,208	30
2006	41,290	1,485	1,072	26	2,994	1,258	30
2007	41,436	1,469	1,065	26	2,657	1,110	27

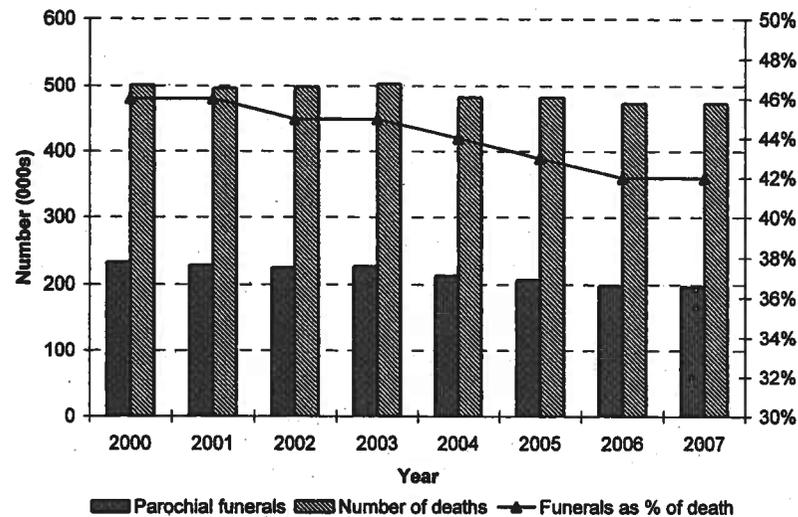
- Notes:**
1. Population figures in these tables are derived from information provided by the Office for National Statistics. Other statistics have been obtained from parochial returns and diocesan sources.
 2. Figures for cathedrals and their daughter churches are included.
 3. * Aged 15 or over up until 1998, aged 16 or over from 1999 onwards.
 4. Easter Day includes vigil services on Easter Eve.

Parochial comparisons 2000 to 2007

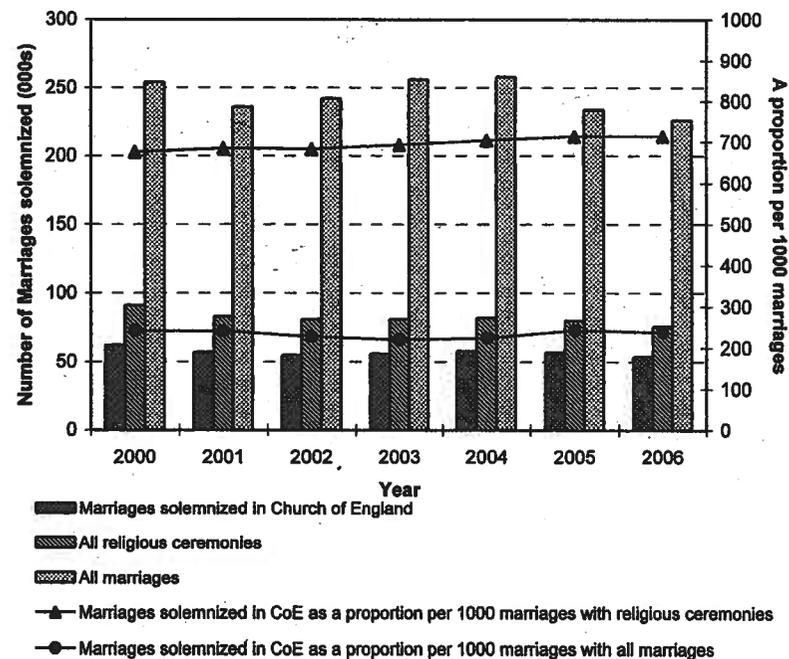
Baptisms comparisons



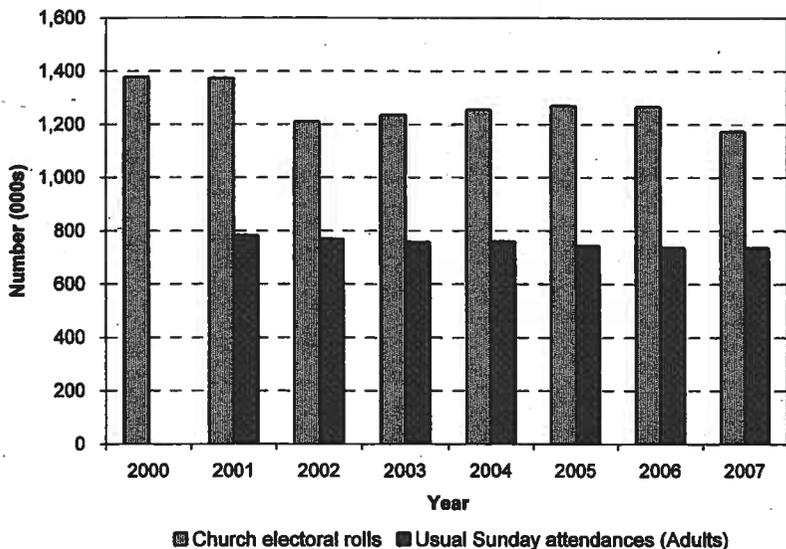
Funerals comparisons



Marriages comparisons (2000 to 2006)



Electoral rolls and usual Sunday attendances comparisons



Note: Usual Sunday attendance figure for 2000 is unavailable

Parochial marriages and funerals 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	Marriages			Funerals		Number of deaths	% with C of E funeral	
		Blessings of civil marriage	Total	Held in church	Held in crematoria /cemetaries	Total			
1	Bath & Wells	1,450	120	1,570	2,460	1,760	4,220	8,810	48%
2	Birmingham	1,090	70	1,160	1,340	4,120	5,470	12,744	43%
3	Blackburn	1,060	70	1,130	2,720	2,570	5,290	13,918	38%
4	Bradford	590	20	610	950	840	1,790	6,299	28%
5	Bristol	870	60	930	1,210	1,530	2,740	7,980	34%
6	Canterbury	1,140	100	1,240	1,290	2,720	4,010	9,033	44%
7	Carlisle	800	60	850	1,960	990	2,940	5,454	54%
8	Chelmsford	2,500	170	2,670	3,160	5,160	8,320	24,155	34%
9	Chester	1,630	90	1,720	3,780	3,050	6,830	15,887	43%
10	Chichester	1,860	180	2,050	2,440	3,770	6,210	17,396	36%
11	Coventry	1,010	90	1,100	1,800	1,210	3,020	7,333	41%
12	Derby	1,140	80	1,220	2,430	1,630	4,060	10,035	40%
13	Durham	1,210	70	1,280	3,640	2,530	6,170	15,216	41%
14	Ely	910	60	970	1,630	940	2,570	5,736	45%
15	Exeter	1,520	180	1,700	2,890	2,100	4,990	12,301	41%
16	Gloucester	1,070	60	1,130	1,960	1,230	3,180	5,988	53%
17	Guildford	1,290	80	1,370	1,350	2,100	3,450	8,028	43%
18	Hereford	870	40	910	1,450	640	2,090	3,450	61%
19	Leicester	890	70	960	1,570	1,150	2,710	7,826	35%
20	Lichfield	2,350	130	2,480	5,670	4,320	9,990	20,033	50%
21	Lincoln	1,530	100	1,620	3,090	2,320	5,420	10,835	50%
22	Liverpool	1,160	70	1,230	3,730	2,180	5,910	16,024	37%
23	London	1,700	200	1,900	1,580	3,070	4,650	22,745	20%
24	Manchester	1,660	100	1,760	3,270	4,280	7,540	19,093	39%
25	Newcastle	700	60	760	1,510	2,000	3,510	8,267	42%
26	Norwich	1,220	100	1,320	2,460	2,730	5,200	9,296	56%
27	Oxford	2,780	230	3,010	3,330	4,030	7,360	15,932	46%
28	Peterborough	1,050	80	1,130	1,530	860	2,400	7,013	34%
29	Portsmouth	900	70	970	1,160	1,670	2,830	7,290	39%
30	Ripon & Leeds	750	60	810	1,300	1,090	2,400	7,277	33%
31	Rochester	1,090	120	1,210	1,560	3,970	5,540	10,712	52%
32	St. Albans	1,670	150	1,810	2,860	3,510	6,170	14,039	44%
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	1,050	80	1,120	1,810	1,270	3,080	6,005	51%
34	Salisbury	1,590	120	1,720	2,440	1,920	4,350	9,378	48%
35	Sheffield	1,150	60	1,220	2,890	3,120	6,010	12,008	50%
36	Sodor & Man	120	20	140	240	190	430	768	56%
37	Southwark	1,520	120	1,640	1,170	3,340	4,510	17,260	26%
38	Southwell & Nottingham	1,150	100	1,250	2,400	2,100	4,500	10,290	44%
39	Truro	900	70	970	1,570	770	2,340	6,074	39%
40	Wakefield	1,070	80	1,150	2,280	2,250	4,530	10,754	42%
41	Winchester	1,810	160	1,970	2,370	2,060	4,430	11,874	37%
42	Worcester	1,100	60	1,160	2,040	2,020	4,070	8,133	50%
43	York	1,700	130	1,830	3,250	2,950	6,200	14,243	44%
44	Europe	200	340	530	250	650	900	-	-
Totals Province of Canterbury		39,870	3,500	43,350	61,670	68,570	130,280	317,430	41%
Totals Province of York		14,750	990	15,750	33,920	30,140	64,040	155,497	41%
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		54,620	4,490	59,110	95,590	98,710	194,320	472,927	41%
Comparable figures for 2006:									
Totals Province of Canterbury		39,560	3,610	43,170	63,350	72,570	135,920	318,932	43%
Totals Province of York		14,780	1,040	15,820	32,880	30,470	63,350	153,781	41%
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		54,340	4,650	58,990	96,230	103,040	199,270	472,683	42%

Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are included.

2. The number of deaths are estimates based on statistics obtained from the Office for National Statistics (ONS)

Total marriages in England 1982 to 2006

Year	Number of marriages solemnized				Marriages solemnized in Church of England as a proportion per 1,000 marriages		All Christian marriages
	Church of England ¹	All Christian	All religious ceremonies	All marriages	With religious ceremonies	All marriages	
1982	110,511	164,885	166,305	323,137	665	342	510
1985	110,121	166,846	166,330	327,241	662	337	510
1990	109,369	161,756	163,634	312,712	668	350	517
1995	79,616	119,901	119,901	268,344	664	297	447
1996	71,392	105,769	107,827	264,191	662	270	400
1997	66,792	98,274	100,631	257,963	664	259	381
1998	65,834	95,594	97,943	253,113	672	259	378
1999	63,371	92,137	94,637	249,490	670	254	369
2000	61,519	88,488	91,031	263,836	676	242	349
2001	57,085	80,954	83,315	236,203	685	242	343
2002	55,197	78,266	80,764	242,112	683	228	323
2003	56,232	78,568	81,111	255,577	693	220	307
2004	57,910	79,606	82,310	258,185	704	224	308
2005	57,130	77,420	79,964	233,827	714	244	331
2006	54,038	73,049	75,658	225,971	714	239	323

Notes: 1. Figures exclude Isle of Man (Sodor and Man Diocese) and Channel Islands (part of Winchester Diocese) together with a small number of Church of England parishes in Wales.
2. The 2007 data will be released in March 2010.

First marriages, England and Wales 1982 to 2007

Year	All marriages	All first* marriages	as a % of all marriages	Church of England / Church in Wales first marriages		All religious first marriages	
				number	as a % of all first marriages	number	as a % of all first marriages
1982	342,166	220,427	64%	112,522	51%	152,639	69%
1985	346,389	221,927	64%	110,749	50%	151,803	68%
1990	331,150	209,043	63%	106,597	51%	143,824	69%
1995	283,012	166,418	59%	74,509	45%	101,293	61%
1996	278,975	160,680	58%	66,553	41%	91,463	57%
1997	272,536	156,907	58%	62,109	40%	85,678	55%
1998	267,303	156,539	59%	61,194	39%	83,863	54%
1999	263,515	155,027	59%	58,530	38%	80,783	52%
2000	267,961	156,140	58%	56,137	36%	76,983	49%
2001	249,227	148,642	60%	52,313	35%	71,594	48%
2002	255,596	151,014	59%	49,649	33%	68,450	45%
2003	270,109	160,283	59%	49,522	31%	68,197	43%
2004	273,069	163,007	60%	49,578	30%	68,197	42%
2005	247,805	148,405	60%	50,211	34%	67,463	45%
2006	239,454	145,995	61%	47,537	33%	64,707	44%
2007**	231,446	143,437	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

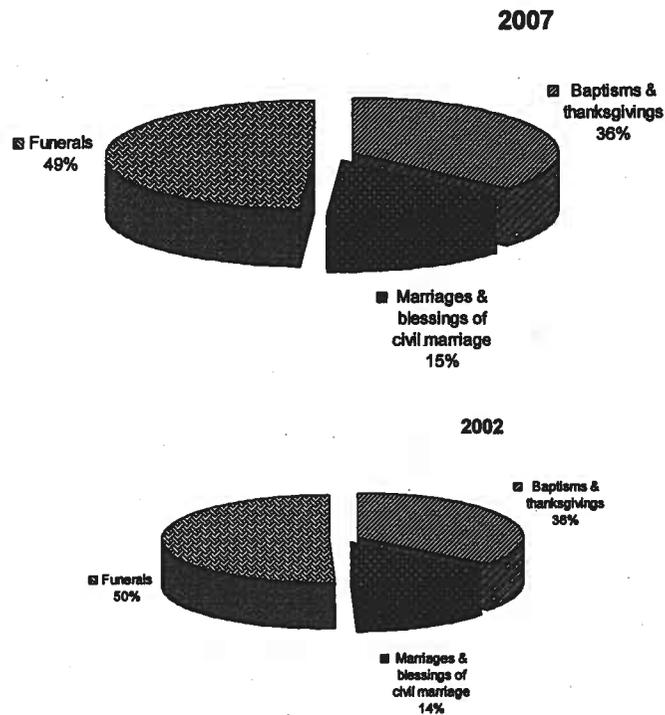
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Notes: 1. * first marriage = marriage between single people.

2. The 2006 figures shown are final figures and replace the provisional figures shown in the previous edition.

3. ** The 2007 figures are provisional and will be confirmed when statistics regarding religious ceremonies are released in March 2010.

Parochial occasional offices Five years comparison 2002-2007

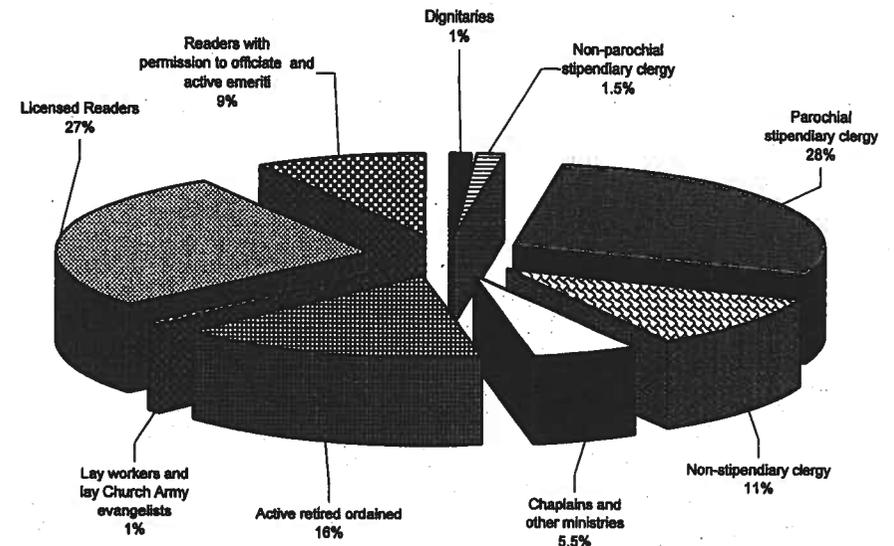


New statistics gathered on the occasional offices reveal that on average each (stipendiary) parochial cleric undertakes one occasional office every week and this is almost equally split between funerals and the remaining occasional offices. Almost 389,400 occasional offices were taken during the year 2007 by parish and cathedral ministers. Approximately half were funerals, over a third were baptisms or services of thanksgiving while about one in seven were marriages or blessings of civil marriage.

Between 2002 and 2007, there was a 12% drop in the number of occasional offices undertaken by parish and cathedral ministers which appears to be equally spread across the different offices.

In 2007, Church of England parochial funerals were conducted for 42% of all deaths in England. In addition to parochial funerals, funerals were also conducted by Church of England clergy outside the parochial system, for example by chaplains or by retired clergy without reference to the local parish.

Church of England licensed ministries 2008



Licensed stipendiary clergy	8,749	Active retired ordained	4,583
Licensed non-stipendiary clergy incl. OLM	3,288	Licensed Readers	7,653
Chaplains and other ministries	1,609	Readers with permission to officiate and active emeriti	2,537
Licensed layworkers and lay Church Army evangelists	344		

The figures for stipendiary clergy (full-time, part-time and including those outside the clergy share system) and for lay workers above are based on statistics derived from the central Church payroll. Details of chaplains and other ministers working outside the parish framework, and of non-stipendiary clergy, are based on statistics derived from the database used to compile *Crockford's Clerical Directory*. Where possible, they have been cross-referenced with material produced by organizing bodies (Church Army, the Home Office for prison chaplains, and the Hospital Chaplaincies Council for hospital chaplains).

The figure shown for active retired ordained clergy is an estimate of the number of licensed retired clergy who take an active part in ministry. It is based on the number of retired clergy known to have either permission to officiate, licence to officiate or actual appointments. Pension Board records indicate a total of 9117 retired stipendiary clergy.

Summary of diocesan licensed ministers 2008

Ref. No.	Diocese	Full-time stipendiary clergy			Part-time stipendiary clergy			Non-stipendiary clergy			
		men	women	Total	men	women	Total	men	women	Total	
1	Bath & Wells	C	168	40	208	11	5	16	38	30	68
2	Birmingham	C	123	45	168	3	4	7	20	23	43
3	Blackburn	Y	159	17	176	3	3	6	27	25	52
4	Bradford	Y	85	14	99	6	7	13	20	24	44
5	Bristol	C	103	29	132	1	4	5	22	23	45
6	Canterbury	C	113	24	137	3	3	6	26	31	57
7	Carlisle	Y	120	25	145	2	3	5	23	23	46
8	Chelmsford	C	315	72	387	5	5	10	49	52	101
9	Chester	Y	197	48	243	9	8	17	31	36	67
10	Chichester	C	273	19	292	5	2	7	57	32	89
11	Coventry	C	98	18	116	4	3	7	12	22	34
12	Derby	C	130	25	155	0	0	0	22	26	48
13	Durham	Y	151	38	189	8	3	11	22	25	47
14	Ely	C	105	37	142	5	4	9	28	29	57
15	Exeter	C	189	34	223	14	8	22	36	27	63
16	Gloucester	C	108	31	139	4	4	8	43	39	82
17	Guildford	C	145	30	175	3	9	12	34	45	79
18	Hereford	C	69	28	97	0	2	2	14	25	39
19	Leicester	C	105	37	142	4	2	6	24	22	46
20	Lichfield	C	243	55	298	4	9	13	25	35	60
21	Lincoln	C	138	35	173	2	1	3	13	22	35
22	Liverpool	Y	162	49	211	0	1	1	15	14	29
23	London	C	447	68	515	7	11	18	122	56	178
24	Manchester	Y	185	56	241	3	3	6	29	20	49
25	Newcastle	Y	106	31	137	1	1	2	13	18	31
26	Norwich	C	158	35	193	2	7	9	21	20	41
27	Oxford	C	286	89	375	6	2	8	104	88	192
28	Peterborough	C	112	29	141	2	2	4	19	19	38
29	Portsmouth	C	94	18	112	0	3	3	17	39	56
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	94	36	130	3	0	3	22	15	37
31	Rochester	C	185	29	214	4	10	14	24	36	60
32	St Albans	C	187	65	252	2	6	8	47	50	97
33	St Edms & Ipswich	C	114	27	141	3	7	10	22	25	47
34	Salisbury	C	168	44	212	0	0	0	28	33	61
35	Sheffield	Y	120	37	157	0	5	5	15	8	23
36	Sodor & Man	Y	12	1	13	0	0	0	7	1	8
37	Southwark	C	268	76	344	3	5	8	95	107	202
38	Southwell	Y	107	43	150	2	3	5	20	22	42
39	Truro	C	91	18	109	2	0	2	24	20	44
40	Wakefield	Y	113	39	152	1	2	3	19	21	40
41	Winchester	C	190	21	211	4	3	7	42	40	82
42	Worcester	C	113	30	143	0	1	1	9	19	28
43	York	Y	183	43	226	5	4	9	47	36	83
44	Europe	C	118	13	131	0	0	0	25	19	44
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			4,958	1,121	6,077	103	122	225	1,060	1,054	2,114
Totals Province of York (Y)			1,794	475	2,269	43	43	86	310	288	598
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			6,750	1,596	8,346	146	165	311	1,370	1,342	2,712

Notes:

1. The above figures include only those ministers who were working within the diocesan framework as at 31st December 2008.
2. The Archbishop of Canterbury and ordained members of his staff at Lambeth Palace are classed as extra-diocesan and are not included in these figures.

Ref. No.	Ordained local ministers			Total clergy (stipendiary, NSM and OLM)	Readers and Church Army	Total clergy, readers and Church Army			
	men	women	Total						
1	0	0	0	290	280	570			
2	0	0	0	218	178	396			
3	0	0	0	234	166	400			
4	0	0	0	156	103	259			
5	5	4	9	191	175	368			
6	13	15	28	228	117	345			
7	2	2	4	200	105	305			
8	1	0	1	499	373	872			
9	0	0	0	327	370	697			
10	0	0	0	388	182	570			
11	3	5	8	165	161	326			
12	0	0	0	203	251	454			
13	1	4	5	252	148	400			
14	0	0	0	208	147	355			
15	0	0	0	308	206	514			
16	3	6	9	238	137	375			
17	29	25	54	320	128	448			
18	4	7	11	149	84	233			
19	0	0	0	194	143	337			
20	32	30	62	433	312	745			
21	11	12	23	234	164	398			
22	12	18	30	271	307	578			
23	0	0	0	711	221	932			
24	40	40	80	376	156	532			
25	10	8	18	188	95	283			
26	22	23	45	288	190	478			
27	19	31	50	625	225	850			
28	0	0	0	183	137	320			
29	0	0	0	171	90	261			
30	0	0	0	170	103	273			
31	0	0	0	288	260	548			
32	0	1	1	358	222	580			
33	18	28	46	244	168	412			
34	23	31	54	327	109	436			
35	0	0	0	185	194	379			
36	2	0	2	23	28	51			
37	0	0	0	554	182	736			
38	0	0	0	197	303	500			
39	6	4	10	165	83	248			
40	9	16	25	220	125	345			
41	0	0	0	300	283	583			
42	0	0	0	172	124	296			
43	0	1	1	319	250	569			
44	0	0	0	175	72	247			
				189	222	411	8,827	5,404	14,231
				76	89	165	3,118	2,453	5,571
				265	311	576	11,945	7,857	19,802

3. Reader and Church Army figures do not include Readers with PTO and emeriti, or ordained Church Army evangelists.

Full-time stipendiary diocesan clergy 2008

Provinces of Canterbury and York
Compiled from information supplied by the Church Commissioners

Numbers of full-time stipendiary diocesan clergy as at 31st December 2008

Ref. No.	Diocese	Dignitaries (including beneficed)										
		Diocesan bishops		Suffragan/assistant bishops	Cathedrals				TOTAL dignitaries			
		m	w	m	Arch-deacons	Deans	Other clergy	m	w	m	w	
1	Bath & Wells	C	1	1	2	1	1	0	2	0	7	1
2	Birmingham	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	7	1
3	Blackburn	Y	1	2	2	0	1	0	2	0	8	0
4	Bradford	Y	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	1
5	Bristol	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	7	1
6	Canterbury	C	0	2	1	1	1	0	3	1	7	2
7	Carlisle	Y	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	6	0
8	Chelmsford	C	1	3	3	1	1	0	3	0	11	1
9	Chester	Y	1	2	2	0	1	0	2	0	8	0
10	Chichester	C	1	2	3	0	1	0	2	0	9	0
11	Coventry	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	0	7	0
12	Derby	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	1
13	Durham	Y	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	1	8	1
14	Ely	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	0	8	0
15	Exeter	C	1	2	3	1	1	0	2	0	9	1
16	Gloucester	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	1
17	Guildford	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	1
18	Hereford	C	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	6	0
19	Leicester	C	1	0	2	0	0	1	3	0	6	1
20	Lichfield	C	1	3	4	0	1	0	2	0	11	0
21	Lincoln	C	1	2	0	1	1	0	2	0	6	1
22	Liverpool	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	6	0
23	London	C	1	4	4	1	1	0	3	3	13	4
24	Manchester	Y	1	3	2	1	1	0	1	1	8	2
25	Newcastle	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	0	8	0
26	Norwich	C	1	2	2	0	1	0	2	0	8	0
27	Oxford	C	1	3	2	1	0	0	1	1	6	2
28	Peterborough	C	1	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	6	1
29	Portsmouth	C	1	0	2	1	1	0	2	0	6	1
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	1	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	6	1
31	Rochester	C	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	0	8	0
32	St. Albans	C	1	2	3	0	1	0	2	0	9	0
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	6	0
34	Salisbury	C	1	1	4	0	0	1	3	0	9	1
35	Sheffield	Y	0	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	6	1
36	Sodor & Man	Y	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
37	Southwark	C	1	3	5	1	1	0	2	2	12	3
38	Southwell	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	1
39	Truro	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	0	7	0
40	Wakefield	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	0	8	0
41	Winchester	C	1	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	7	0
42	Worcester	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	0	7	0
43	York	Y	1	3	3	0	1	0	3	0	11	0
44	Europe	C	1	1	5	0	1	0	1	0	9	0
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			29	46	71	10	27	2	59	12	232	24
Totals Province of York (Y)			13	18	27	2	13	0	25	5	96	7
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			42	64	98	12	40	2	84	17	328	31

Notes : 1. The above figures include only those stipendiary clergy who were working full-time within the diocesan framework as at 31st December, 2008.

2. The Archbishop of Canterbury and ordained members of his staff at Lambeth are classed as extra-diocesan and are not included in these figures.

Parochial clergy													2007 totals for comparison	
Incumbents (excluding dignitaries)		Incumbent status		Assistant curates		TOTAL parochial clergy		Non-parochial diocesan clergy		TOTAL stipendiary diocesan clergy		TOTAL stipendiary diocesan clergy		Diocese ref. no.
m	w	m	w	m	w	m	w	m	w	m	w	m	w	
98	16	38	11	24	11	168	38	5	1	168	40	170	41	1
76	13	18	8	16	19	110	40	6	4	123	45	133	43	2
102	6	29	2	15	8	148	16	5	1	159	17	181	18	3
47	4	20	3	8	5	76	12	5	1	86	14	82	15	4
52	5	24	9	10	10	86	24	10	4	103	29	104	28	5
54	5	35	8	12	9	101	22	5	0	113	24	115	25	6
55	8	34	13	20	3	109	24	5	1	120	25	117	25	7
190	22	53	29	47	20	290	71	14	0	316	72	321	70	8
130	23	30	10	22	12	182	48	7	1	197	46	205	40	9
172	2	45	7	37	10	254	19	10	0	273	19	284	18	10
55	6	22	6	9	4	88	16	5	2	98	18	97	18	11
70	7	31	13	19	4	120	24	4	0	130	25	130	28	12
88	10	33	11	17	14	136	35	7	2	151	38	154	38	13
53	13	21	12	17	10	91	35	6	2	105	37	111	32	14
86	6	68	14	22	12	176	32	4	1	189	34	198	29	15
44	12	38	9	13	9	95	30	7	0	108	31	113	25	16
100	15	13	5	23	9	138	29	3	0	145	30	144	28	17
41	10	13	11	6	5	60	26	3	2	69	28	69	28	18
48	10	32	15	10	10	90	35	9	1	105	37	104	31	19
140	11	58	18	24	24	222	53	10	2	243	55	254	47	20
72	8	36	13	14	11	122	32	10	2	138	35	148	38	21
97	16	36	17	19	16	152	49	4	0	162	49	161	47	22
271	22	44	6	99	29	414	87	20	7	447	88	444	73	23
87	12	68	25	18	12	173	49	4	5	185	56	200	49	24
62	12	20	9	10	8	92	29	6	2	106	31	109	29	25
106	19	22	3	16	11	144	33	6	2	158	35	157	38	26
154	22	73	37	46	19	273	78	7	9	286	89	284	87	27
61	12	28	10	13	4	102	26	4	2	112	29	124	28	28
63	9	9	5	12	3	84	17	4	0	94	18	93	14	29
51	10	26	11	7	13	84	34	4	1	94	36	92	34	30
128	15	19	3	26	9	173	27	4	2	185	29	185	35	31
114	16	37	32	20	16	171	64	7	1	187	65	197	61	32
70	10	25	9	9	7	104	26	4	1	114	27	114	25	33
88	10	45	18	20	14	153	42	6	1	168	44	166	42	34
89	21	7	5	12	10	108	36	6	0	120	37	126	35	35
9	1	0	0	0	0	9	1	1	0	12	1	16	1	36
168	35	44	17	36	20	248	72	8	1	268	78	270	80	37
40	9	42	16	10	14	92	39	9	3	107	43	113	38	38
35	3	43	9	6	6	84	18	0	0	91	18	91	18	39
70	11	25	14	5	14	100	39	5	0	113	39	112	39	40
115	7	36	5	25	9	178	21	7	0	190	21	185	20	41
57	14	28	8	11	8	96	30	10	0	113	30	111	33	42
109	17	31	13	25	10	166	40	7	3	183	43	191	47	43
97	6	11	6	0	0	108	12	1	1	118	13	107	12	44
2,876	361	1,007	366	642	332	4,525	1,049	199	48	4,956	1,121	5,021	1,088	
1,034	160	401	149	188	139	1,623	448	75	20	1,794	475	1,859	455	
3,910	521	1,408	505	830	471	6,148	1,497	274	68	6,750	1,596	6,880	1,543	

3. Dignitaries holding more than one dignity are included only in the higher ranking dignity.

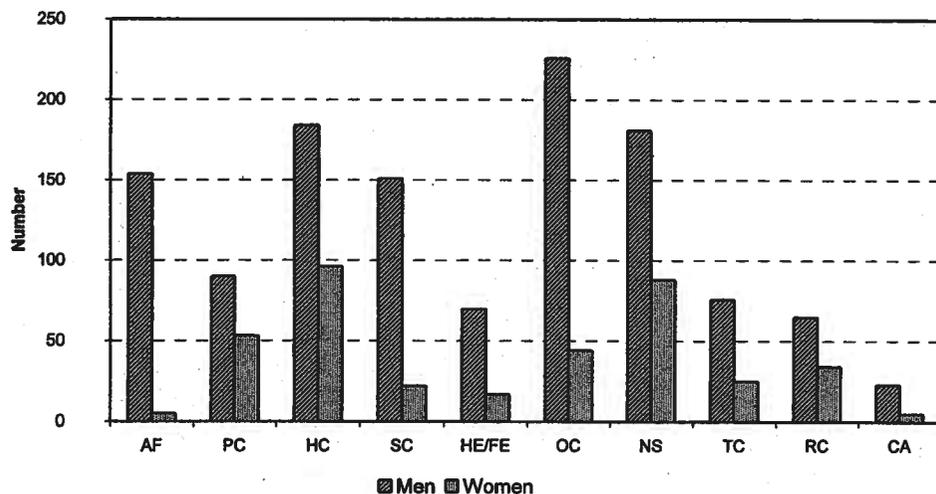
4. Incumbent status includes Team Vicars, Priests-in-Charge and Curates-in Charge of Conventional Districts.

Chaplaincy and other ministries 2008

		Men	Women	Total
AF	Royal Navy chaplains	38	0	38
AF	Army chaplains	79	2	81
AF	Royal Air Force chaplains	37	3	40
PC	Prison chaplains	90	53	143
HC	Hospital/healthcare chaplains*	184	96	280
SC	School chaplains (note 3)	151	22	173
HE/FE	Higher and Further Education chaplains (note 3)	70	17	87
OC	Other chaplains (note 4)	226	44	270
NS	Other non-stipendiary clergy (note 5)	181	88	269
TC	Ordained staff of theological and bible colleges and other Christian centres for education and research	76	25	101
RC	Ordained members of religious communities (note 6)	65	34	99
CA	Ordained Church Army evangelists	23	5	28
Total (notes 6&7)		1,220	389	1,609

* figures for April 2009

Chaplaincy and other ministries 2008



Notes

1. The table does not include chaplains and other clergy counted elsewhere in the statistics; for example chaplains who have a diocesan appointment and are on the Church Commissioners' payroll.
2. Where an individual holds more than one appointment it has been a subjective decision as to where to place an individual. This means that there is inevitably some disparity between the above figures and those for previous years.
3. Apart from chaplains, ordained members of the teaching staffs of schools and colleges are not counted here, but are included within the non-stipendiary figures.
4. 'Other chaplains' includes full and part-time ordained staff of retreat houses, conference and healing centres, shrines, almshouses, missionary societies and communities.
5. 'Other non-stipendiary clergy' includes: full and part-time ordained staff with either diocesan or non-diocesan appointments; some cathedral clergy; certain chaplains; and those who are not parish deployable but with licence to officiate or permission to officiate.
6. Of these, 94 are professed in vows and 5 are novices or associates. There are an additional 401 lay members of religious communities who are professed in vows (38 men and 363 women).
7. In addition there are 140 accredited lay workers on the Church Commissioners' payroll (including some church army evangelists), 10 deaconesses, and a further 12 full-time clergy on the staff of Church House and Lambeth Palace.

The figures for chaplains and other ministers working outside the parish framework are based on statistics derived from the database used to compile *Crockford's Clerical Directory* (with the exception of religious communities and Church Army where data is collected from source). Where possible, they have been cross-referenced with material produced by organizing bodies (Ministry of Defence for the forces chaplains; Home Office for prison chaplains; Hospital Chaplaincies Council for hospital chaplains).

Licensed Readers and Church Army 2008

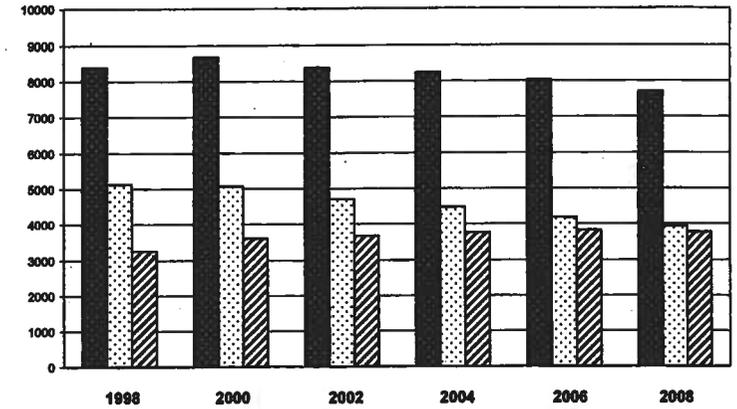
Ref. No.	Diocese	Reader admissions during year		Licensed Readers at 31 December 2008*		Readers in training at 31 December 2008*		Church Army (lay evangelists) at 31 December 2008		
		men	women	men	women	men	women	men	women	
1	Bath & Wells	C	4	7	142 (58)	134 (22)	8	8	4	0
2	Birmingham	C	7	10	83 (21)	94 (19)	7	16	1	0
3	Blackburn	Y	2	2	81 (41)	84 (17)	7	10	1	0
4	Bradford	Y	2	1	44 (21)	55 (13)	4	13	4	0
5	Bristol	C	0	0	76 (23)	99 (28)	10	16	0	0
6	Canterbury	C	0	0	47 (33)	64 (18)	5	7	5	1
7	Carlisle	Y	4	7	54 (18)	49 (16)	4	6	2	0
8	Chelmsford	C	1	9	180 (45)	188 (33)	1	23	3	2
9	Chester	Y	9	7	190 (113)	175 (12)	21	25	3	2
10	Chichester	C	8	2	110 (67)	66 (34)	13	11	6	0
11	Coventry	C	4	8	79 (29)	77 (9)	10	8	3	2
12	Derby	C	5	7	123 (36)	124 (24)	6	3	3	1
13	Durham	Y	2	1	62 (35)	83 (18)	6	16	1	2
14	Ely	C	2	4	78 (25)	68 (13)	6	14	3	0
15	Exeter	C	4	6	106 (44)	95 (38)	10	15	5	0
16	Gloucester	C	2	1	78 (39)	58 (32)	7	8	0	1
17	Guildford	C	7	4	72 (41)	48 (22)	11	7	5	3
18	Hereford	C	2	1	45 (12)	36 (9)	2	7	1	2
19	Leicester	C	4	4	70 (28)	70 (14)	0	8	2	1
20	Lichfield	C	6	11	157 (61)	145 (48)	9	28	7	3
21	Lincoln	C	3	1	83 (28)	98 (17)	7	12	3	0
22	Liverpool	Y	6	6	151 (33)	148 (21)	22	27	5	3
23	London	C	9	11	113 (24)	99 (24)	8	14	5	4
24	Manchester	Y	3	6	78 (51)	71 (23)	5	10	5	2
25	Newcastle	Y	1	4	44 (27)	48 (19)	6	10	1	2
26	Norwich	C	3	4	87 (55)	98 (39)	4	19	3	2
27	Oxford	C	3	2	119 (48)	101 (30)	5	18	3	2
28	Peterborough	C	2	4	76 (27)	57 (10)	14	21	3	1
29	Portsmouth	C	4	3	46 (19)	44 (22)	6	10	0	0
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	5	3	47 (16)	49 (24)	7	12	4	3
31	Rochester	C	4	8	129 (72)	124 (33)	11	13	5	2
32	St Albans	C	7	4	119 (45)	97 (31)	26	34	5	1
33	St Edms & Ipswich	C	1	1	88 (26)	77 (28)	6	6	2	1
34	Salisbury	C	1	2	69 (61)	39 (32)	6	7	1	0
35	Sheffield	Y	3	3	89 (14)	76 (17)	10	19	17	12
36	Sodor & Man	Y	0	0	17 (7)	11 (1)	5	1	0	0
37	Southwark	C	5	7	96 (48)	82 (27)	12	29	1	3
38	Southwell & Nottingham	Y	3	13	137 (35)	160 (28)	6	4	5	1
39	Truro	C	4	3	43 (26)	39 (13)	3	8	0	1
40	Wakefield	Y	6	6	53 (23)	68 (16)	7	10	4	0
41	Winchester	C	4	10	155 (41)	122 (13)	12	16	4	2
42	Worcester	C	2	8	51 (27)	72 (8)	5	6	1	0
43	York	Y	4	8	108 (38)	137 (16)	16	15	3	2
44	Europe	C	5	3	43 (18)	28 (7)	15	13	1	0
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			113	145	2,741 (1,127)	2,543 (697)	245	405	85	35
Totals Province of York (Y)			50	67	1,165 (472)	1,214 (241)	126	177	55	29
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			163	212	3,896 (1,599)	3,757 (938)	371	582	140	64
Comparable figures for 2007										
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			115	185	2,866 (1,057)	2,656 (682)	279	395	102	37
Totals Province of York (Y)			55	80	1,214 (459)	1,226 (184)	103	174	62	29
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			170	265	4,080 (1,516)	3,882 (866)	382	569	164	66

Notes: Readers figures in brackets refer to the additional number of Readers with Permission to Officiate and active Emeriti.
 * Figures revised since the publication of 'The Annual Report of the Central Readers Council of the Church of England 2008'.
 There are a further five Church Army evangelists who are nationally deployed.
 Ordained Church Army evangelists are counted in the 'Chaplaincy and other ministries' table.

Reader Ministry

Ten year comparisons 1998-2008

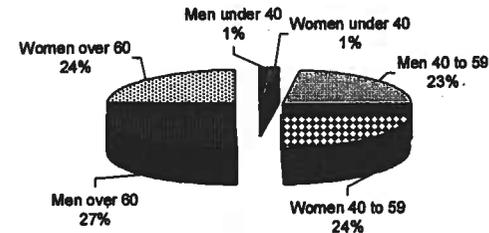
Licensed Readers by Gender



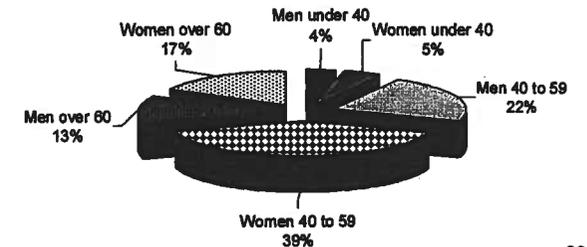
Year	Licensed Readers (100%)	Men (%)	Women (%)
1998	8390	5130 (61%)	3260 (39%)
2000	8690	5080 (58%)	3610 (42%)
2002	8380	4710 (56%)	3670 (44%)
2004	8240	4480 (54%)	3760 (46%)
2006	8010	4190 (52%)	3830 (48%)
2008	7653	3896 (51%)	3757 (49%)

The overall proportion of female Readers (49%) has increased over the last ten years, this is demonstrated clearly in the chart above. The actual number of women has increased by 16% since 1998, but there are 23% fewer men.

Licensed Readers at December 2008

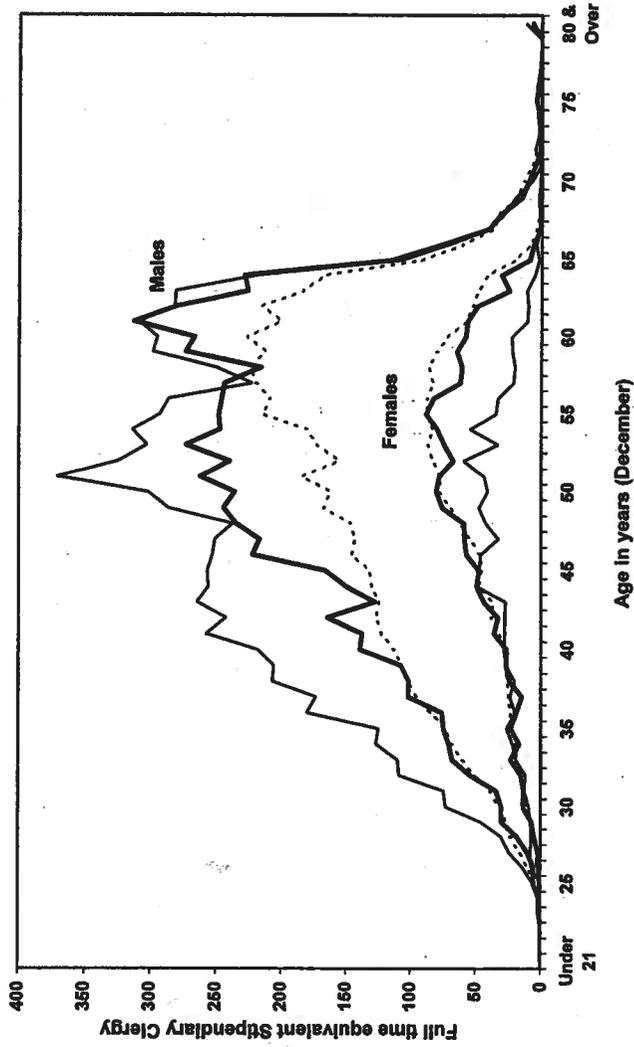


Readers in training at December 2008



Age profiles of stipendiary clergy

1998 actual, 2008 actual and 2018 as projected in 2009



Age in years (December)

— 2008 Actual 2018 Projected — 1998 Actual

Age structure of full-time clergy as at 31 December 2008

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)
Compiled from information supplied by the Church Commissioners

Age	Suffragan and Assistant Bishops			Archdeacons			Diocesan Bishops			Diocesan Bishops (including benevolence)			Deans and Provosts			Other clergy			TOTAL			
	m	w	t	m	w	t	m	w	t	m	w	t	m	w	t	m	w	t	m	w	t	
Under 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30-34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35-39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
40-44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45-49	1	4	4	1	3	0	20	2	32	3	682	163	133	111	985	274	334	1,289	49	8	1,076	285
50-54	2	15	22	5	6	1	19	5	84	11	1,049	228	75	106	1,124	334	1,438	63	21	1,251	386	
55-59	10	22	31	4	18	1	19	3	97	8	1,037	285	35	81	1,072	328	1,398	43	15	1,212	349	
Total under 60	13	41	58	11	28	2	67	15	285	28	3,214	818	795	488	4,809	1,278	5,888	219	63	5,033	1,397	
60-64	20	17	28	1	11	0	14	2	90	3	1,123	162	31	12	1,164	194	1,448	48	4	1,262	201	
65-69	8	5	7	0	2	0	2	0	24	0	240	14	4	1	244	15	288	6	0	274	15	
70 and over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	33	0	33	0	0	33	0	
TOTAL ALL AGES	41	63	83	12	39	2	83	17	319	31	5,210	1,014	830	471	6,040	1,485	7,825	273	67	8,932	1,633	

Notes: Incumbents and incumbent status includes Team Vicars, Priests-in-charge and Curates-in-charge of Conventional Districts. Assistant curates includes Parish Deacons.

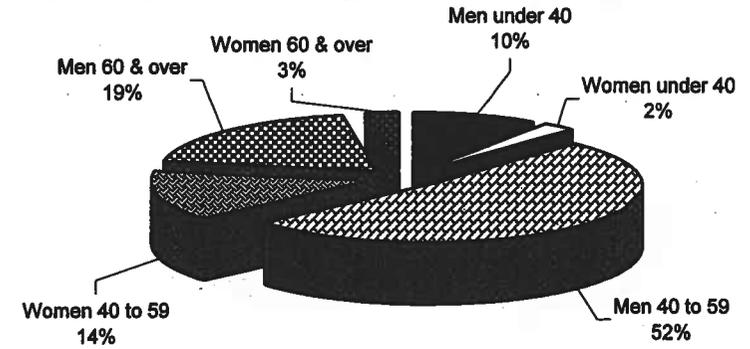
Age profile of other diocesan clergy

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)
Compiled from information supplied by the Church Commissioners as at 31 December 2008

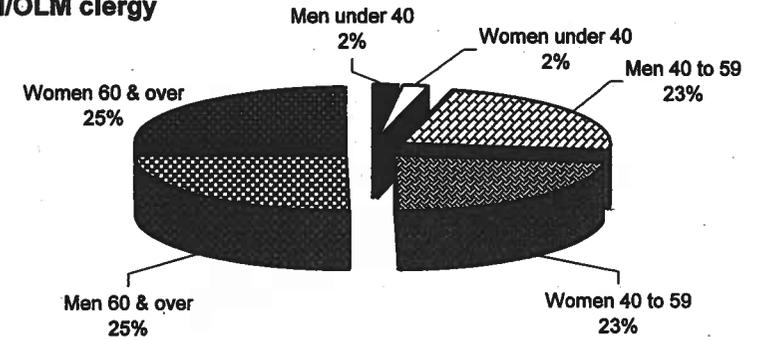
Age	Part Time		NSMs		OLMs		TOTAL	
	m	w	m	w	m	w	m	w
	Under 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-29	1	1	4	5	0	0	5	6
30-34	1	5	20	13	0	0	21	18
35-39	6	14	35	39	4	1	45	54
40-44	16	25	69	61	4	0	89	86
45-49	16	24	107	116	10	14	133	154
50-54	15	28	183	175	23	36	221	239
55-59	31	21	286	258	51	54	348	333
Total under 60	86	118	684	667	92	105	862	890
60-64	50	36	343	376	73	91	466	503
65-69	7	9	161	171	57	63	225	243
70 and over	3	2	116	53	31	26	150	81
Total 60 and over	60	47	620	600	161	180	841	827
Age unknown	-	-	41	56	12	28	63	82
TOTAL ALL AGES	146	165	1,345	1,323	265	311	1,766	1,799

Age profile of licensed ministers 2008

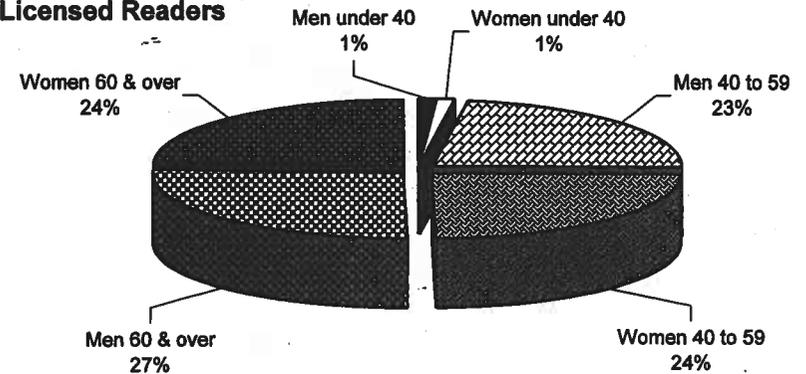
F/T stipendiary diocesan clergy



NSM/OLM clergy

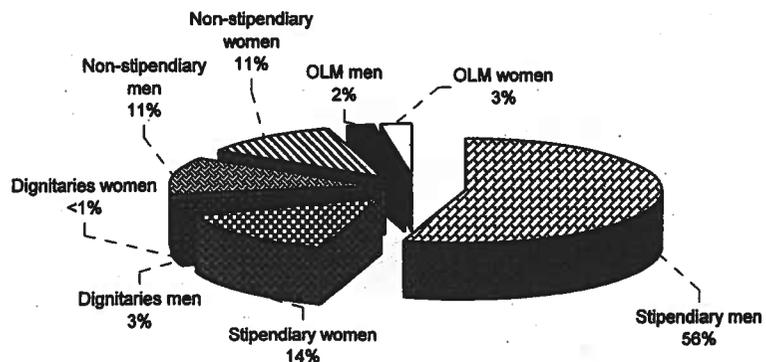


Licensed Readers

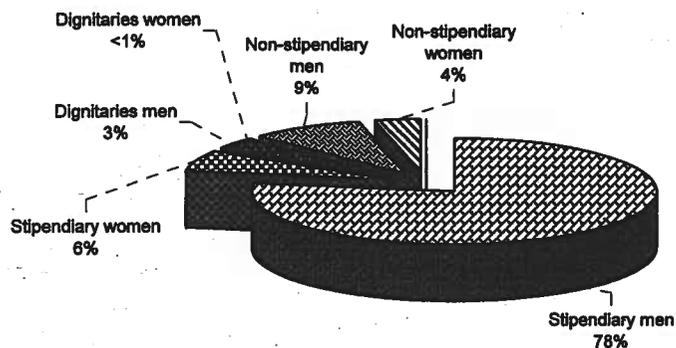


Gender of diocesan clergy 2008 & 1994

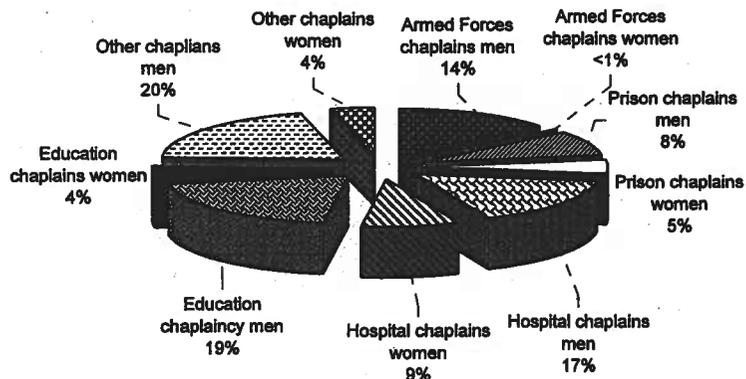
2008



1994



Gender of Chaplains 2008



Full-time stipendiary clergy losses and gains 1990-2008

The following tables are based on the numbers of clergy leaving and entering the clergy payroll (excluding the Diocese in Europe), which is held currently by the Church Commissioners. The losses and gains recorded include people that have moved to and from the Diocese in Europe, to and from posts which are funded by external agencies such as National Health Service Trusts, the Prison Service, mission agencies or schools, and between stipendiary and self-supporting ministry or full-time and part-time.

The total number of full-time stipendiary clergy at the end of 2008 was 8,215 (6,632 men plus 1,583 women). The number of full-time stipendiary clergy plus the whole-time equivalent of part-time stipendiary clergy within the Clergy Apportionment process was 8,369, which is slightly lower than the 8,406 projected at the start of 2008.

Annual losses and gains, full-time stipendiary clergy: men

Year	Deaths in service	Retirements	Other losses	Total losses	Ordinations	Other gains	Total gains	Net loss	Number at Dec 31
1990	29	289	204	522	282	190	472	50	10,480
1995	27	338	236	601	245	130	375	226	9,440
1996	29	363	241	633	201	137	338	295	9,145
1997	21	357	207	585	188	129	315	270	8,875
1998	24	329	187	540	174	144	318	222	8,653
1999	25	317	201	543	199	150	349	194	8,459
2000	17	349	182	548	223	151	374	174	8,285
2001	15	359	210	584	186	147	333	251	8,034
2002	18	332	180	530	195	123	318	212	7,822
2003	19	310	184	513	181	123	304	209	7,613
2004	11	285	199	495	143	110	253	242	7,371
2005	17	252	179	448	155	141	296	152	7,219
2006	16	262	165	443	128	97	225	218	7,001
2007	12	274	179	465	161	76	237	228	6,773
2008	8	256	173	437	191	86	277	160	6,613

Annual losses and gains, full-time stipendiary clergy: women

Year	Deaths in service	Retirements	Other losses	Total losses	Ordinations	Other gains	Total gains	Net gain	Number at Dec 31
1990	1	11	39	51	79	29	108	57	596
1995	1	19	55	75	65	47	112	37	820
1996	2	17	41	60	67	32	99	39	859
1997	1	19	25	45	57	48	105	60	919
1998	0	16	28	44	67	41	108	64	983
1999	2	16	39	57	78	57	135	78	1,061
2000	2	19	49	70	90	46	136	66	1,127
2001	3	27	52	82	95	51	146	64	1,191
2002	1	35	54	90	106	54	160	70	1,251
2003	2	27	46	75	120	47	167	102	1,353
2004	1	28	71	100	92	51	143	43	1,396
2005	2	40	72	114	99	78	177	63	1,459
2006	2	34	60	96	92	40	132	36	1,495
2007	1	38	57	95	100	32	132	36	1,531
2008	0	38	69	107	116	39	155	48	1,579

Source: Church Commissioners

The stipendiary clergy share system

A single clergy diocesan deployment formula was introduced in 1995 and continues to be approved by the House of Bishops. Its intention is to ensure that stipendiary clergy are distributed equitably amongst dioceses according to need. The diocese in Europe is not included because of the special nature of its chaplaincies.

The apportionment involves four factors for each diocese and uses the latest available statistics, weighted as shown in brackets:

- Population (8) to reflect the number of persons for whom a pastoral responsibility is assumed;
- Area (1) to reflect the larger distances covered in rural dioceses;
- Membership (3) to reflect the number of Church members to be cared for. It is measured by: one-third Electoral Roll members plus two-thirds Average Weekly Attendance, adults, children and young people;¹
- Number of churches (3) to reflect the number of services that need to be provided in different churches.

All clergy in parochial or diocesan posts count towards the allocation unless their responsibilities are national, provincial or cover more than one diocese.

The share calculation takes part-time stipendiary clergy into account. There were 8,215 full-time stipendiary clergy as at 31 December 2008 and 311 part-time stipendiary clergy. The whole-time equivalent of the part-time clergy was calculated to be 154, thus giving a total deployable stipendiary workforce of 8,369. The distribution of stipendiary clergy across the dioceses as at 31 December 2008 and the diocesan share allocations are shown in the table opposite.

¹ The average number of all attenders at church services throughout the week typically over a four-week period in October.

Distribution of FTE stipendiary diocesan clergy 2008

Actual and according to the clergy deployment formula

Ref. No.	Diocese		December 31st 2008		Number over under (-) share	Percent over under (-) share
			Actual	Share		
1	Bath and Wells	C	216	200	16	8.0%
2	Birmingham	C	172	175	-3	-1.7%
3	Blackburn	Y	179	201	-22	-10.9%
4	Bradford	Y	107	103	4	3.9%
5	Bristol	C	135	131	4	3.1%
6	Canterbury	C	140	153	-13	-8.5%
7	Carlisle	Y	147	133	14	10.5%
8	Chelmsford	C	392	388	4	1.0%
9	Chester	Y	250	245	5	2.0%
10	Chichester	C	295	275	20	7.3%
11	Coventry	C	120	125	-5	-4.0%
12	Derby	C	155	160	-5	-3.1%
13	Durham	Y	195	199	-4	-2.0%
14	Ely	C	147	137	10	7.3%
15	Exeter	C	228	232	-4	-1.7%
16	Gloucester	C	143	140	3	2.1%
17	Guildford	C	181	155	26	16.8%
18	Hereford	C	98	111	-13	-11.7%
19	Leicester	C	145	147	-2	-1.4%
20	Lichfield	C	304	311	-7	-2.3%
21	Lincoln	C	175	222	-47	-21.2%
22	Liverpool	Y	211	204	7	3.4%
23	London	C	524	493	31	6.3%
24	Manchester	C	244	260	-16	-6.2%
25	Newcastle	C	138	138	0	0.0%
26	Norwich	C	198	194	4	2.1%
27	Oxford	C	379	382	-3	-0.8%
28	Peterborough	C	143	153	-10	-6.5%
29	Portsmouth	C	114	110	4	3.6%
30	Ripon and Leeds	Y	132	136	-4	-2.9%
31	Rochester	C	221	184	37	20.1%
32	St. Albans	C	256	261	-5	-1.9%
33	St. Edms and Ipswich	C	146	151	-5	-3.3%
34	Salisbury	C	212	212	0	0.0%
35	Sheffield	Y	160	160	0	0.0%
36	Sodor and Man	Y	13	18	-5	-27.8%
37	Southwark	C	348	324	24	7.4%
38	Southwell	Y	153	161	-8	-5.0%
39	Truro	C	110	115	-5	-4.3%
40	Wakefield	Y	154	154	0	0.0%
41	Winchester	C	215	220	-5	-2.3%
42	Worcester	C	143	134	9	6.7%
43	York	Y	231	262	-31	-11.8%
Province of Canterbury (C)			6,065	6,995	60	1.0%
Province of York (Y)			2,314	2,374	-60	-2.5%
CHURCH OF ENGLAND			8,389	8,369	0	0.0%

Note: The 'Actual' is the number of full-time stipendiary clergy plus the whole-time equivalent of the part-time clergy. Shares are allocated as whole posts. Some actual halves are shown to remove rounding errors.

Projections of stipendiary clergy numbers

The table below shows the end of year projections for the number of stipendiary clergy estimated to be working in the diocesan framework from 2009 to 2013. Projections are intended to show the results of letting present trends continue, rather than as explicit predictions of the future. They are calculated by considering past clergy losses and gains, together with the number of ordinations to stipendiary ministry anticipated for 2009 and 2010, and applying them to the actual numbers of stipendiary clergy in post on 31st December 2008. After comparing the actual outturns with earlier projections for the same year, the mechanism is reviewed to reduce sources of inaccuracy.

Full-time equivalence of stipendiary clergy in diocesan ministry: 2000-2008 and projections 2009-2013

	Year (Dec)	Men	Women	Total
Actuals	2000	8,320	1,170	9,490
	2001	8,080	1,260	9,340
	2002	7,870	1,330	9,200
	2003	7,670	1,430	9,100
	2004	7,430	1,470	8,900
	2005	7,280	1,540	8,820
	2006	7,060	1,570	8,630
	2007	6,840	1,610	8,450
Projections	2008	6,700	1,660	8,370
	2009	6,600	1,710	8,310
	2010	6,480	1,740	8,220
	2011	6,320	1,760	8,070
	2012	6,150	1,770	7,920
	2013	5,980	1,790	7,770

In each case, the figures above have been rounded to the nearest 10 and figures may not add-up as a result.

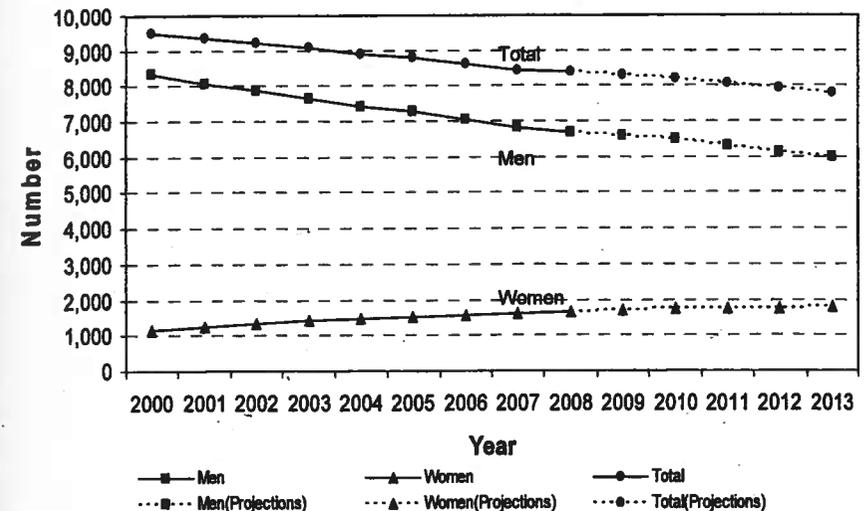
Estimates of retirement patterns take the age profile of present clergy into account and consider what proportion of clergy of similar age have retired in recent years. Because of a high proportion of clergy born shortly after 1945, retirements are expected to rise until 2013 and remain high thereafter. The annual losses in clergy numbers due to deaths in service and resignations are likely to decrease because they are dependent on the decreasing number of clergy at the start of the year.

Ordination numbers are estimated several years ahead in consultation with the theological institutions and dioceses and there will be factors influencing these figures that cannot be anticipated at this stage. The most recent information available anticipates 322 ordinations in 2009 and 334 in 2010. These figures represent a step up from recent years. From 2011, a moving average of stipendiary ordination figures

starting from three past years and two anticipated years has been used. This gives an estimate above any actual number from the recent past. The projections here assume that these higher anticipated numbers do indeed enter stipendiary ministry.

The greatest uncertainty comes from movements into and out of stipendiary ministry aside from ordination, death and retirement. Some resign and leave completely. For others, there is two-way exchange with self-supporting ministry, chaplaincy, other provinces and the Diocese in Europe. Other clergy are remaining stipendiary but for altered hours. These projections apply a combined moving average of all such movements to future years. As transfers to self-supporting ministry and part-time working become increasingly prevalent, it may be that the projection mechanism will need to be refined to deal specifically with them.

Projections of stipendiary clergy numbers



The average age of ordinands to stipendiary ministry has risen since 1999 from 40 to 43 for women and from 35 to 38 for men. These projections assume that the ages will not rise any further, but the situation is continually reviewed.

If present trends continue, there will be fewer clergy in stipendiary ministry in future years. The planned higher levels of ordinations may keep pace with retirements, but other losses far exceed other gains. In contrast, the number of non-stipendiary clergy continues to increase, gaining both new ordinations and former stipendiary clergy.

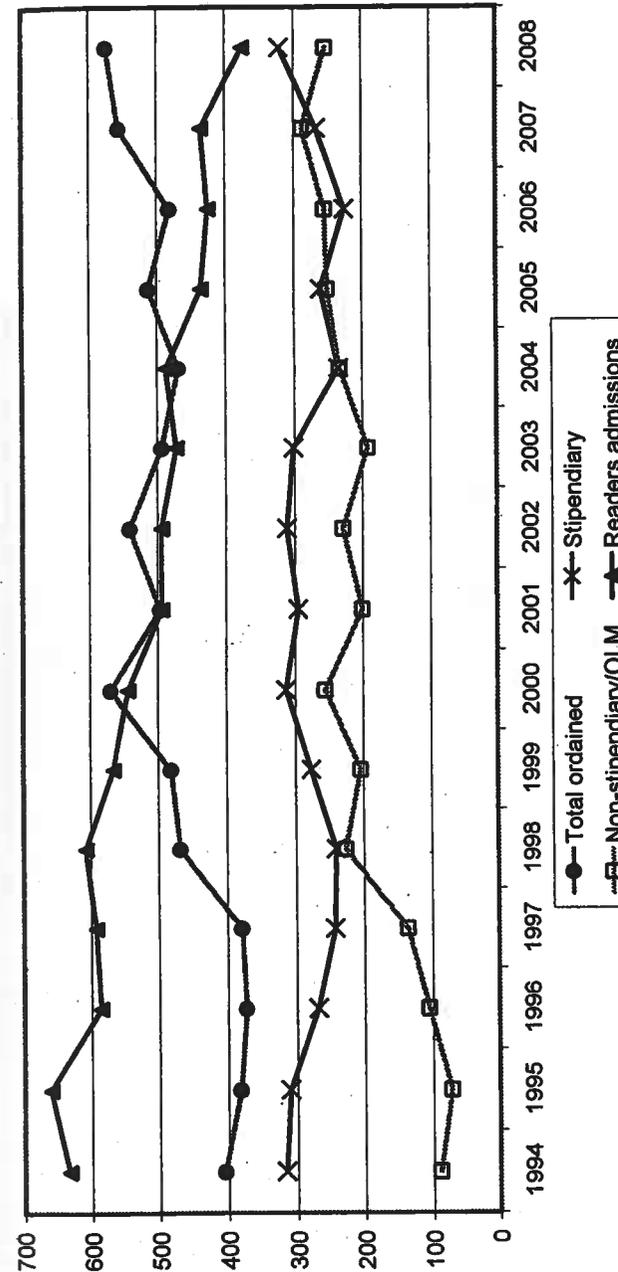
The supply and demand of stipendiary clergy is monitored annually by the House of Bishops.

Projections of stipendiary diocesan clergy shares 2009 - 2013

Diocese		As at December					
		2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	
1	Bath & Wells	C	197	195	192	190	186
2	Birmingham	C	174	172	168	164	161
3	Blackburn	Y	200	198	195	191	187
4	Bradford	Y	102	102	101	98	96
5	Bristol	C	130	129	128	126	122
6	Canterbury	C	154	152	151	147	146
7	Carlisle	Y	132	130	128	125	124
8	Chelmsford	C	384	380	373	366	360
9	Chester	Y	243	241	235	230	227
10	Chichester	C	272	269	265	261	255
11	Coventry	C	125	122	120	119	117
12	Derby	C	159	159	155	152	149
13	Durham	Y	196	194	190	186	182
14	Ely	C	136	135	134	131	128
15	Exeter	C	231	229	225	221	216
16	Gloucester	C	139	136	135	131	130
17	Guildford	C	152	151	149	145	142
18	Hereford	C	111	110	108	106	104
19	Leicester	C	145	144	141	138	137
20	Lichfield	C	308	305	299	293	287
21	Lincoln	C	222	220	215	213	208
22	Liverpool	Y	203	200	196	191	186
23	London	C	493	489	482	474	466
24	Manchester	Y	259	255	250	245	242
25	Newcastle	Y	137	134	131	130	126
26	Norwich	C	192	191	187	184	182
27	Oxford	C	378	374	366	359	352
28	Peterborough	C	152	152	148	147	143
29	Portsmouth	C	109	107	106	104	102
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	136	133	131	129	126
31	Rochester	C	183	181	177	174	172
32	St Albans	C	260	256	253	247	244
33	St Edms & Ipswich	C	150	148	147	143	141
34	Salisbury	C	210	208	205	202	197
35	Sheffield	Y	158	156	153	150	147
36	Sodor & Man	Y	19	18	17	18	18
37	Southwark	C	318	316	309	304	298
38	Southwell	Y	160	159	155	152	149
39	Truro	C	116	115	113	110	108
40	Wakefield	Y	152	151	148	145	142
41	Winchester	C	217	215	212	207	203
42	Worcester	C	132	131	128	127	123
43	York	Y	260	257	252	247	243
Province of Canterbury (C)			5,949	5,891	5,791	5,685	5,579
Province of York (Y)			2,357	2,328	2,282	2,237	2,195
CHURCH OF ENGLAND			8,306	8,219	8,073	7,922	7,774

These figures should be viewed with great caution and should be treated only as pointers to future diocesan shares assuming that current national trends are maintained.

Ordinations and Reader admissions 1994 to 2008

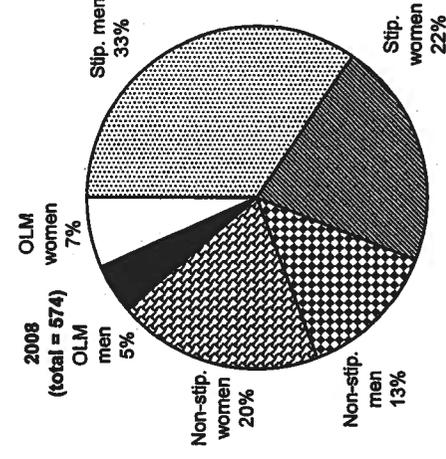
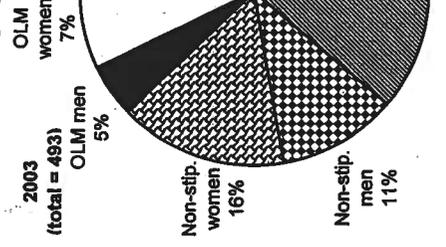
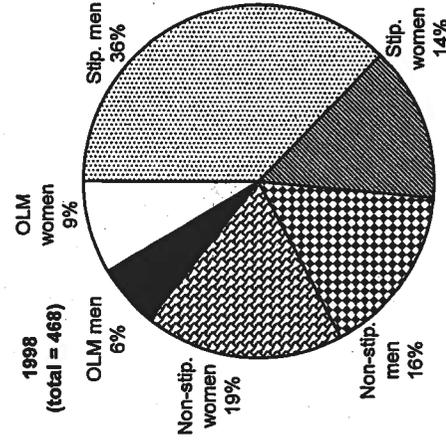


Notes:

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Ordinations 1994 to 2008

Proportion of ordinations by gender 1998, 2003 and 2008

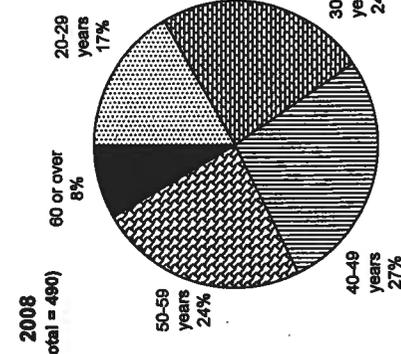
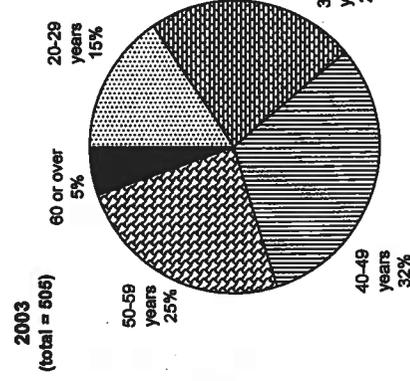
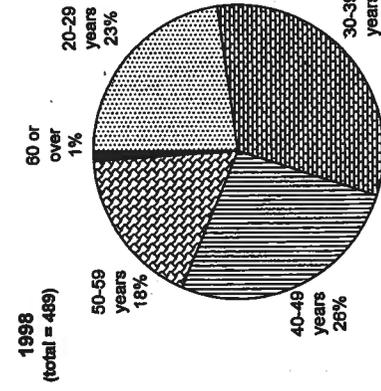


	1994	1996	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Stipendiary men	244	201	174	199	223	190	199	181	143	158	128	163	197
Stipendiary women	72	67	67	78	90	105	112	120	92	103	98	104	124
Non-stipendiary men	55	46	73	61	81	65	67	55	63	81	82	92	76
Non-stipendiary women	34	59	87	76	107	89	104	77	93	108	118	128	112
OLM men			27	40	25	27	34	24	31	31	24	36	27
OLM women			40	27	43	20	24	36	47	31	31	32	38
TOTAL	405	373	468	481	569	496	540	493	469	512	481	555	574

Notes:

1. Stipendiary figures are compiled from information supplied by the Church Commissioners.
2. Non-stipendiary and OLM figures are compiled from information supplied by the Ministry Division.
3. Stipendiary figures for 2005, 2006 and 2007 have been revised to treat ordinations to part-time ministry as whole ordinations, not full-time equivalents.

Age of candidates recommended for ordination training 1994 to 2008



Age	1994	1996	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2006	2007	2008
20-29 years	104	89	112	99	106	73	71	78	71	86	90	88
30-39 years	124	143	167	140	126	126	103	118	117	123	149	155
40-49 years	123	127	129	154	148	160	149	169	166	173	174	174
50-59 years	53	79	86	127	123	109	125	124	157	161	144	132
60 or over	4	15	6	28	14	18	27	26	53	35	37	46
TOTAL	408	453	489	548	537	486	476	505	564	578	694	695

Notes: 1 The figures from 1999 onwards include candidates attending National and Local Bishops' Selection Conferences.

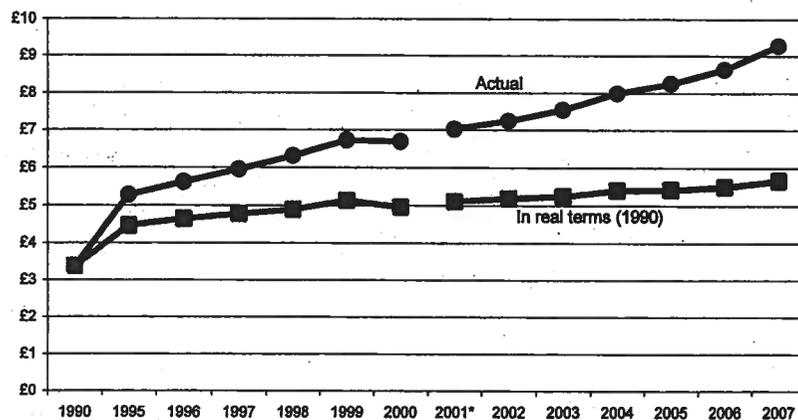
Selected financial comparisons

1964 to 2007

Tax-efficient planned giving to Parochial Church Councils: contributors, amounts and average weekly rates

Year	Subscribers 000s	Actual		In real terms of 2007*	
		Tax-efficient** planned giving, net, £ 000s	Weekly average per subscriber £	Tax-efficient** planned giving, net, £ 000s	Weekly average per subscriber £
1964	126	2,113	0.32	30,743	4.69
1970	168	3,325	0.38	37,132	4.25
1980	362	17,692	0.94	54,636	2.90
1990	405	71,130	3.38	116,538	5.53
1995	404	111,045	5.28	153,869	7.32
1996	404	118,111	5.62	159,802	7.60
1997	401	124,439	5.96	163,232	7.82
1998	399	132,114	6.37	167,555	8.08
1999	412	145,752	6.86	182,058	8.57
2000	451	157,922	6.73	191,584	8.16
2001	491	179,669	7.03	214,069	8.38
2002	504	189,904	7.25	222,668	8.50
2003	513	201,272	7.55	229,359	8.60
2004	517	215,085	8.00	238,011	8.85
2005	523	224,636	8.26	241,718	8.89
2006	527	236,625	8.64	246,778	9.01
2007	514	247,822	9.28	247,822	9.28

Weekly average tax-efficient planned giving per subscriber
1990 to 2007**



Notes: 1. * I.e. adjusted by the Retail Price Index to reflect 2007 purchasing power.
2. ** 2001 onwards include unrestricted and restricted giving, earlier years are primarily unrestricted tax-efficient planned giving.

Direct unrestricted giving to Parochial Church Councils

Year	Actual		In real terms of 2007**		
	Church Electoral Roll 000s	Total direct giving £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member £	Total direct giving £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member £
1964	2,739	14,961	0.11	217,672	1.55
1970	2,559	15,847	0.12	176,672	1.35
1980	1,815	51,521	0.55	159,107	1.69
*1990	1,396	141,076	1.94	231,136	3.18
1995	1,468	197,163	2.58	273,198	3.58
*1996	1,290	205,417	3.08	277,925	4.14
1997	1,325	215,599	3.15	282,811	4.13
1998	1,347	244,338	3.51	309,885	4.45
1999	1,357	253,000	3.61	316,021	4.51
2000	1,377	288,541	3.78	325,781	4.59
2001	1,372	282,244	3.98	336,284	4.74
*2002	1,210	296,382	4.75	347,518	5.57
2003	1,235	306,667	4.81	349,462	5.48
2004	1,254	323,403	5.00	357,874	5.63
2005	1,269	335,095	5.08	360,576	5.47
2006	1,266	348,716	5.34	363,679	5.57
*2007	1,173	368,713	6.10	368,713	6.10

Total unrestricted voluntary and recurring income of PCCs

Year	Total voluntary income £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member £	Total voluntary income £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member £	Recurring income	
	Actual	Actual	In real terms (2007)	In real terms (2007)	Actual £000s	In real terms (2007) £000s
1964	20,033	0.14	291,468	2.04	22,108	321,656
1970	22,110	0.17	246,915	1.90	26,396	294,779
1980	72,798	0.77	224,814	2.36	85,880	265,214
*1990	195,193	2.69	319,801	4.41	237,385	388,927
1995	275,388	3.61	381,591	5.00	327,531	453,842
*1996	288,358	4.30	390,143	5.82	344,897	466,639
1997	305,345	4.48	400,535	5.85	374,324	491,018
1998	314,933	4.52	399,418	5.73	403,801	512,126
1999	326,377	4.66	407,675	5.82	418,567	522,817
2000	346,856	4.88	420,769	5.92	442,477	536,792
2001	365,851	5.16	435,899	6.15	462,664	551,248
*2002	385,861	6.18	452,434	7.25	486,597	570,551
2003	401,600	6.30	457,842	7.18	506,838	577,566
2004	423,452	6.55	468,587	7.25	538,031	595,379
2005	440,574	6.68	474,076	7.19	561,141	603,811
2006	459,800	7.04	479,629	7.34	585,399	610,517
*2007	485,131	8.02	485,131	8.02	619,327	619,327

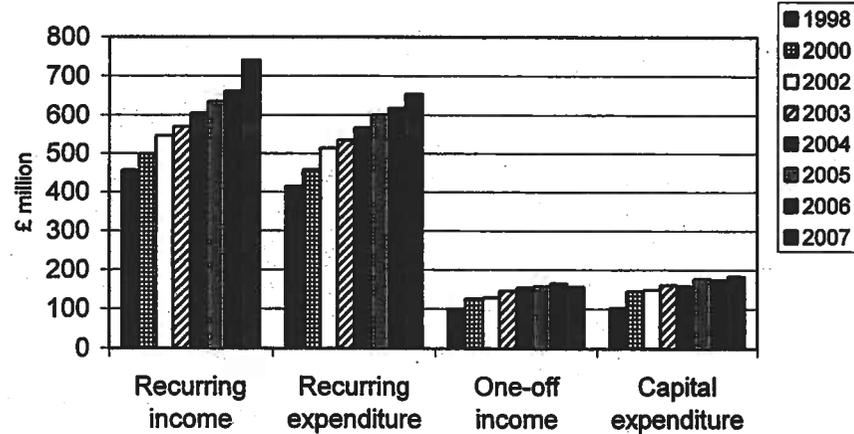
Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals and their daughter churches are not included.
2. Explanations of composite items and totals are given in the Definitions.
3. * Electoral Rolls are revised annually and new rolls are compiled every six years. Thus in 1990, 1996, 2002 and 2007 new electoral rolls were compiled.
4. ** I.e. adjusted by the Retail Price Index to reflect 2007 purchasing power.
5. The Diocese in Europe is not included in these tables, however Electoral Rolls for 1997 to 2007 include the Diocese in Europe.

Financial comparisons 1998 to 2007

**Total expenditure of Parochial Church Councils
1998 to 2007, £ millions**

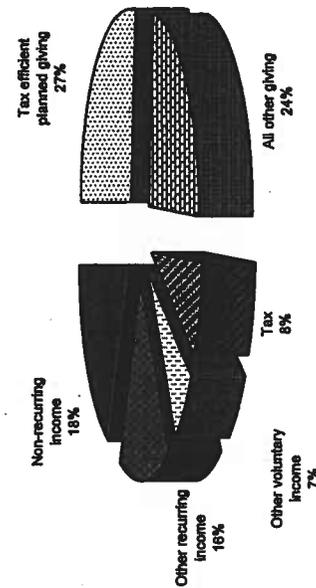
Year	Recurring expenditure	Capital expenditure	Total expenditure
1998	415	103	518
1999	437	127	564
2000	458	145	603
2001	483	145	628
2002	514	149	663
2003	535	162	697
2004	588	159	726
2005	601	178	779
2006	618	175	792
2007	654	184	838

Growth in income and expenditure

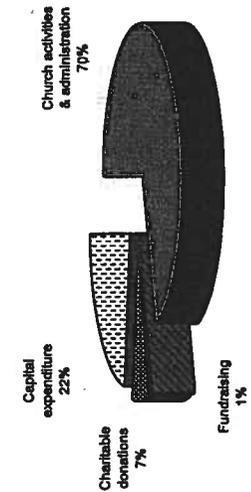


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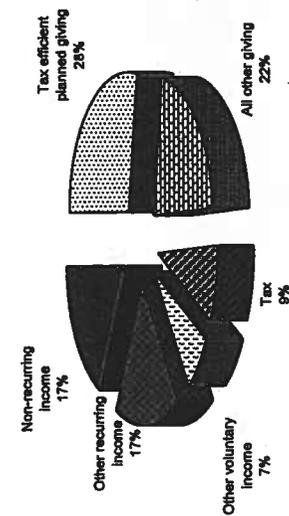
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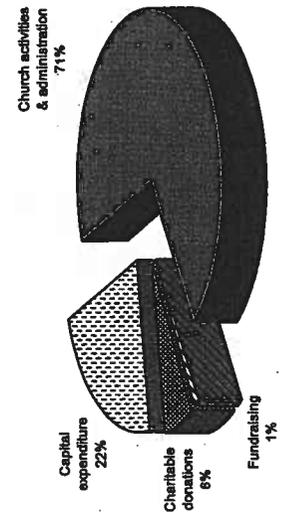
Total expenditure 2002



Total income 2007



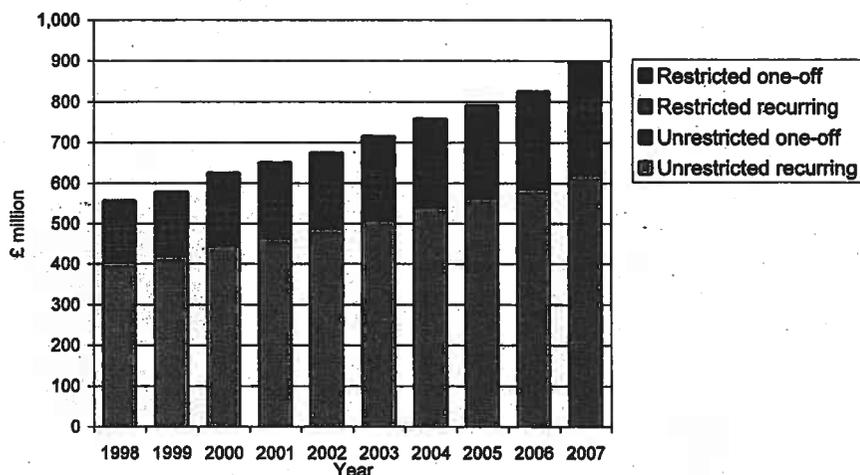
Total expenditure 2007



Total income of Parochial Church Councils 1998 to 2007, £ millions

Year	Unrestricted			Restricted			Total (unrestricted & restricted)		
	Recurring	One-off	Total	Recurring	One-off	Total	Recurring	One-off	Total
1998	404	36	440	54	63	117	457	100	557
1999	419	37	456	55	69	123	473	106	579
2000	442	39	482	57	86	143	499	126	625
2001	463	40	503	61	88	149	523	128	652
2002	487	46	533	61	81	142	547	128	675
2003	507	54	561	63	92	155	570	148	716
2004	538	53	591	67	101	168	605	154	759
2005	561	55	616	73	103	176	635	158	792
2006	585	59	644	75	107	182	661	166	826
2007	619	73	692	122	84	206	741	157	898

Chart of income from 1998 to 2007



Charitable giving and total recurring expenditure by PCCs 1964 to 2007

Year	Actual £000s		In real terms of 2007* £000s	
	Total charitable donations	Total recurring expenditure	Total charitable donations	Total recurring expenditure
1964	2,173	21,711	31,616	315,880
1970	2,593	28,038	28,958	313,116
1980	8,480	77,849	26,188	240,413
1990	24,573	227,314	40,260	372,427
1991	25,945	250,704	40,152	387,981
1992	26,366	270,365	39,330	403,303
1993	24,990	289,447	36,695	425,016
1994	25,814	307,698	37,010	441,155
1995	25,154	320,197	34,855	443,680
1996	25,361	338,671	34,313	458,215
1997	26,874	365,433	35,252	479,355
1998	35,302	415,199	44,772	526,581
1999	36,954	437,054	46,159	545,921
2000	37,463	458,339	45,448	556,035
2001	41,417	483,121	49,347	575,622
2002	44,395	513,845	52,055	602,499
2003	41,946	534,979	47,799	609,634
2004	45,308	567,932	50,137	628,467
2005	50,802	600,761	54,665	646,444
2006	46,545	617,706	48,542	644,210
2007	50,508	654,133	50,508	654,133

Note: * i.e. adjusted by the Retail Price Index to reflect 2007 purchasing power.

Combined unrestricted and restricted tax-efficient planned giving to PCCs 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	Tax-efficient planned giving 2007		
		Subscribers	Amounts, £ 000s (net)	Weekly average per subscriber, £
1	Bath & Wells	16,500	6,855	7.97
2	Birmingham	7,800	5,117	12.87
3	Blackburn	13,500	5,028	7.18
4	Bradford	5,400	2,924	10.46
5	Bristol	8,900	4,913	10.66
6	Canterbury	10,600	4,749	8.63
7	Carlisle	9,500	3,104	6.28
8	Chelmsford	18,200	9,819	10.39
9	Chester	16,200	8,623	10.24
10	Chichester	20,300	9,858	9.33
11	Coventry	8,100	3,863	9.15
12	Derby	8,200	3,987	9.39
13	Durham	8,700	3,212	7.08
14	Ely	8,100	3,833	9.13
15	Exeter	14,800	5,533	7.19
16	Gloucester	11,300	4,338	7.37
17	Guildford	14,700	10,607	13.84
18	Hereford	7,600	2,133	5.41
19	Leicester	10,400	3,966	7.36
20	Lichfield	16,800	6,955	7.96
21	Lincoln	11,300	3,172	5.38
22	Liverpool	10,500	4,860	8.87
23	London	25,100	21,117	16.15
24	Manchester	13,300	5,817	8.44
25	Newcastle	7,800	2,665	6.57
26	Norwich	9,700	3,930	7.81
27	Oxford	27,100	15,697	11.07
28	Peterborough	10,200	4,025	7.59
29	Portsmouth	7,400	3,124	8.14
30	Ripon & Leeds	8,000	3,381	8.09
31	Rochester	13,600	8,412	11.92
32	St Albans	17,100	8,906	10.03
33	St Edms & Ipswich	11,300	3,723	6.36
34	Salisbury	18,500	7,203	7.49
35	Sheffield	6,900	5,097	14.29
36	Sodor & Man	100	61	13.05
37	Southwark	19,800	11,874	11.56
38	Southwell & Nottingham	12,100	4,531	7.21
39	Truro	5,700	1,833	6.23
40	Wakefield	7,300	3,216	8.51
41	Winchester	13,900	7,338	10.18
42	Worcester	7,400	3,187	8.25
43	York	14,300	5,337	7.17
Totals Province of Canterbury		380,100	189,967	£9.61
Totals Province of York		133,500	57,855	£8.33
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		513,600	247,822	£9.28

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Combined unrestricted and restricted tax-efficient planned giving to PCCs 2006

Ref. No.	Diocese	Tax-efficient planned giving 2006		
		Subscribers	Amounts, £ 000s (net)	Weekly average per subscriber, £
1	Bath & Wells	17,100	6,921	7.80
2	Birmingham	8,500	4,592	10.33
3	Blackburn	14,000	4,963	6.79
4	Bradford	6,200	2,638	8.86
5	Bristol	7,400	4,264	11.03
6	Canterbury	11,400	4,781	8.05
7	Carlisle	9,900	2,701	5.25
8	Chelmsford	18,100	9,249	9.63
9	Chester	17,200	8,361	9.35
10	Chichester	21,100	9,710	8.84
11	Coventry	7,800	3,533	8.67
12	Derby	9,200	3,707	7.72
13	Durham	9,200	3,381	7.09
14	Ely	7,900	3,615	8.75
15	Exeter	15,800	5,386	6.54
16	Gloucester	11,200	4,057	6.95
17	Guildford	15,000	9,858	12.65
18	Hereford	8,000	2,144	5.14
19	Leicester	11,200	3,977	6.80
20	Lichfield	16,800	6,850	7.84
21	Lincoln	11,300	3,367	5.71
22	Liverpool	10,600	4,614	8.39
23	London	26,200	18,432	13.52
24	Manchester	13,100	5,532	8.13
25	Newcastle	8,400	2,802	6.40
26	Norwich	10,800	3,691	6.59
27	Oxford	28,700	14,395	9.63
28	Peterborough	10,100	4,085	7.78
29	Portsmouth	7,600	2,863	7.24
30	Ripon & Leeds	8,100	3,240	7.72
31	Rochester	13,700	7,771	10.94
32	St Albans	18,000	8,699	9.31
33	St Edms & Ipswich	10,200	3,485	6.60
34	Salisbury	19,500	6,993	6.89
35	Sheffield	6,800	4,397	12.51
36	Sodor & Man	300	128	8.59
37	Southwark	19,900	12,930	12.52
38	Southwell & Nottingham	11,900	4,655	7.52
39	Truro	6,000	1,790	5.75
40	Wakefield	7,200	2,940	7.88
41	Winchester	14,000	6,535	8.97
42	Worcester	7,900	3,232	7.87
43	York	13,500	5,162	7.35
Totals Province of Canterbury		390,700	180,912	£8.91
Totals Province of York		136,200	55,712	£7.86
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		526,900	236,624	£8.64

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Unrestricted direct and other giving to PCCs 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	Tax-efficient planned giving £ 000s	All other giving** £ 000s	2007 TOTAL direct giving £ 000s	Percentage of direct giving which is planned tax-efficient *	Direct giving per week per Electoral Roll member, £
1	Bath & Wells	6,511	3,701	10,213	64%	5.46
2	Birmingham	4,751	2,241	6,992	68%	7.68
3	Blackburn	4,922	2,555	7,478	66%	4.14
4	Bradford	2,845	1,425	4,270	67%	7.25
5	Bristol	4,677	1,683	6,360	74%	7.93
6	Canterbury	4,590	2,338	6,928	66%	6.47
7	Carlisle	3,010	2,056	5,066	59%	4.77
8	Chelmsford	9,348	4,798	14,146	66%	6.00
9	Chester	8,384	3,844	12,228	69%	5.52
10	Chichester	9,191	5,392	14,583	63%	5.18
11	Coventry	3,764	1,868	5,631	67%	6.26
12	Derby	3,743	2,024	5,767	65%	6.22
13	Durham	3,176	2,650	5,826	55%	4.91
14	Ely	3,734	2,269	6,003	62%	6.30
15	Exeter	5,338	3,359	8,697	61%	5.43
16	Gloucester	4,123	2,337	6,460	64%	5.62
17	Guildford	9,938	3,438	13,376	74%	9.16
18	Hereford	2,024	1,538	3,562	57%	3.88
19	Leicester	3,898	1,753	5,651	69%	6.61
20	Lichfield	6,662	4,503	11,165	60%	4.82
21	Lincoln	3,106	2,469	5,575	56%	3.78
22	Liverpool	4,688	3,283	7,972	59%	5.72
23	London	19,319	13,306	32,625	59%	9.74
24	Manchester	5,666	3,384	9,051	63%	5.33
25	Newcastle	2,581	1,348	3,930	66%	4.72
26	Norwich	3,836	2,782	6,617	58%	6.44
27	Oxford	14,928	6,951	21,879	68%	7.98
28	Peterborough	3,894	2,133	6,028	65%	6.34
29	Portsmouth	3,028	1,516	4,543	67%	5.32
30	Ripon & Leeds	3,266	1,795	5,062	65%	6.36
31	Rochester	7,791	3,235	11,026	71%	7.44
32	St Albans	8,651	4,111	12,761	68%	6.65
33	St Edms & Ipswich	3,522	2,208	5,730	61%	4.73
34	Salisbury	6,796	3,782	10,578	64%	5.00
35	Sheffield	4,632	2,003	6,635	70%	7.33
36	Sodor & Man	61	688	747	8%	5.38
37	Southwark	11,111	6,391	17,502	63%	7.52
38	Southwell	4,466	2,035	6,501	69%	6.64
39	Truro	1,762	1,412	3,174	56%	3.89
40	Wakefield	3,143	1,919	5,062	62%	4.82
41	Winchester	7,121	4,771	11,892	60%	6.18
42	Worcester	3,106	1,815	4,921	63%	4.93
43	York	5,008	3,474	8,482	59%	4.85
Totals Province of Canterbury		180,285	100,124	280,409	64%	6.36
Totals Province of York		55,849	32,457	88,306	63%	5.39
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		236,133	132,580	368,713	64%	6.10

Comparable figures for 2006

Income tax on planned giving * £ 000s	2007 Other voluntary income ** £ 000s	TOTAL voluntary income £ 000s	Ref. No.	TOTAL direct giving £ 000s	Percentage of direct giving which is planned tax-efficient	Direct giving per week per Electoral Roll member, £	TOTAL voluntary income £ 000s
2,004	1,262	13,479	1	10,037	65%	4.88	13,178
1,345	619	8,956	2	6,297	68%	6.35	8,247
1,514	1,018	10,010	3	7,152	68%	3.84	9,729
859	414	5,544	4	4,151	66%	6.60	5,335
1,379	578	8,317	5	5,724	71%	6.48	7,515
1,266	877	9,072	6	6,810	68%	5.73	9,336
943	707	6,716	7	4,589	58%	4.04	6,080
2,732	1,598	18,476	8	13,454	65%	5.06	17,799
2,459	896	15,583	9	11,745	69%	4.57	14,893
2,669	2,310	19,762	10	13,847	67%	4.69	17,982
1,139	873	7,642	11	5,225	66%	5.81	7,277
1,068	749	7,583	12	5,297	64%	4.94	7,089
908	890	7,624	13	5,630	59%	4.60	7,486
1,120	677	7,800	14	5,369	61%	5.58	7,080
1,674	1,445	11,816	15	8,302	63%	4.97	11,225
1,257	827	8,644	16	6,036	64%	5.15	7,954
3,000	580	16,956	17	12,429	76%	7.84	15,794
636	992	5,191	18	3,420	60%	3.63	5,179
1,050	723	7,424	19	5,417	72%	5.81	7,242
1,922	1,922	15,028	20	10,603	63%	4.23	14,073
916	1,293	7,784	21	5,526	58%	3.88	7,729
1,330	944	10,246	22	7,713	58%	5.06	9,902
6,592	2,472	41,689	23	30,764	57%	9.27	39,277
1,670	1,307	12,028	24	9,068	60%	4.88	11,656
749	506	5,185	25	3,898	70%	4.41	5,179
1,165	1,506	9,289	26	6,298	57%	5.12	8,834
4,566	2,117	28,662	27	20,515	68%	6.81	26,748
1,218	1,184	8,430	28	5,745	67%	5.83	7,973
933	622	6,098	29	4,172	68%	4.33	5,669
956	812	6,831	30	4,783	65%	5.21	6,394
2,312	816	14,154	31	10,265	72%	6.24	13,219
2,669	1,184	16,614	32	11,905	71%	5.44	15,497
1,025	1,164	7,920	33	5,838	59%	4.30	7,731
2,114	1,343	14,034	34	9,992	69%	4.40	13,416
1,429	443	8,508	35	6,084	67%	5.68	7,770
0	89	837	36	723	18%	5.02	814
3,640	910	22,052	37	16,447	74%	6.85	21,011
1,287	769	8,556	38	6,235	73%	6.15	8,322
551	608	4,333	39	3,078	58%	3.39	4,205
934	760	6,757	40	4,676	61%	4.17	6,441
2,196	1,240	15,328	41	10,559	60%	4.93	13,678
916	807	6,644	42	4,956	64%	4.67	6,670
1,731	1,519	11,733	43	8,152	59%	4.14	11,171
55,275	33,300	368,976		264,118	66%	5.58	348,628
16,769	11,075	116,155		84,599	64%	4.72	111,172
72,044	44,375	485,131		348,717	65%	5.34	459,800

- Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.
2. * Gift Aid and covenants.
3. ** Excluding appeals and donations for special purposes.
4. Explanations of composite items and totals are given in the Definitions.
5. Figures for Sodor & Man are not strictly comparable with those for other dioceses because of different income tax arrangements in the Isle of Man.
6. The total direct giving for the Diocese in Europe in 2007 was £4,930,608 an average of £9.32 per week per electoral roll member, in 2006 it was £4,487,495 an average of £7.96 per week per electoral roll member.

Unrestricted recurring income 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	2007				Percentage of recurring income which is 'voluntary income'
		TOTAL voluntary income £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member £ per week	All other recurring income £ 000s	TOTAL recurring income £ 000s	
1	Bath & Wells	13,479	7.21	2,963	16,443	82%
2	Birmingham	8,956	9.83	3,457	12,413	72%
3	Blackburn	10,010	5.55	2,598	12,608	79%
4	Bradford	5,544	9.41	956	6,500	85%
5	Bristol	8,317	10.37	1,902	10,219	81%
6	Canterbury	9,072	8.47	2,267	11,339	80%
7	Carlisle	6,716	6.32	1,540	8,256	81%
8	Chelmsford	18,476	7.84	5,516	23,992	77%
9	Chester	15,583	7.03	3,531	19,114	82%
10	Chichester	19,762	7.03	4,200	23,962	82%
11	Coventry	7,642	8.49	2,014	9,656	79%
12	Derby	7,583	8.18	2,022	9,605	79%
13	Durham	7,624	6.43	1,995	9,619	79%
14	Ely	7,800	8.18	1,638	9,438	83%
15	Exeter	11,816	7.38	2,921	14,736	80%
16	Gloucester	8,544	7.43	2,192	10,736	80%
17	Guildford	16,956	11.61	4,625	21,581	79%
18	Hereford	5,191	5.66	1,121	6,312	82%
19	Leicester	7,424	8.68	1,616	9,040	82%
20	Lichfield	15,028	6.48	4,240	19,268	78%
21	Lincoln	7,784	5.27	2,221	10,005	78%
22	Liverpool	10,246	7.36	3,272	13,518	76%
23	London	41,689	12.44	20,311	62,000	67%
24	Manchester	12,028	7.09	2,934	14,962	80%
25	Newcastle	5,185	6.22	919	6,104	85%
26	Norwich	9,289	9.04	2,262	11,541	80%
27	Oxford	28,562	10.42	6,261	34,822	82%
28	Peterborough	8,430	8.87	1,531	9,961	85%
29	Portsmouth	6,098	7.13	1,625	7,723	79%
30	Ripon & Leeds	6,831	8.58	2,126	8,957	76%
31	Rochester	14,154	9.56	4,536	18,690	76%
32	St Albans	16,614	8.66	4,411	21,025	79%
33	St Edms & Ipswich	7,920	6.53	1,492	9,411	84%
34	Salisbury	14,034	6.83	2,962	16,997	83%
35	Sheffield	8,508	9.40	1,830	10,337	82%
36	Sodor & Man	837	6.02	221	1,058	79%
37	Southwark	22,052	9.48	8,544	30,596	72%
38	Southwell & Nottingham	8,556	8.74	1,999	10,555	81%
39	Truro	4,333	5.31	1,105	5,438	80%
40	Wakefield	6,757	6.56	1,944	8,701	78%
41	Winchester	15,328	7.96	3,379	18,707	82%
42	Worcester	6,644	6.66	2,071	8,715	76%
43	York	11,733	6.71	2,937	14,670	80%
Totals Province of Canterbury		368,976	8.37	105,393	474,369	78%
Totals Province of York		116,155	7.09	28,803	144,958	80%
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		485,131	8.02	134,196	619,327	78%

- Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.
 2. Explanations of composite items and totals are given in the Definitions.
 3. The total recurring income for the Diocese in Europe in 2007 was £8,350,674.
 4. The total recurring income for the Diocese in Europe in 2006 was £7,307,553.

Unrestricted recurring income 2006

Ref. No.	Diocese	2006				Percentage of recurring income which is 'voluntary income'
		TOTAL voluntary income £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member £ per week	All other recurring income £ 000s	TOTAL recurring income £ 000s	
1	Bath & Wells	13,178	6.41	2,760	15,938	83%
2	Birmingham	8,247	8.32	3,686	11,933	69%
3	Blackburn	9,729	5.23	2,403	12,132	80%
4	Bradford	5,335	8.48	940	6,275	85%
5	Bristol	7,515	8.48	1,998	9,513	79%
6	Canterbury	9,336	7.86	2,393	11,729	80%
7	Carlisle	6,080	5.35	1,335	7,415	82%
8	Chelmsford	17,799	6.70	5,364	23,163	77%
9	Chester	14,893	5.80	3,196	18,089	82%
10	Chichester	17,982	6.09	3,925	21,907	82%
11	Coventry	7,277	8.09	1,924	9,201	79%
12	Derby	7,089	6.61	1,863	8,952	79%
13	Durham	7,486	6.12	1,745	9,231	81%
14	Ely	7,080	7.35	1,475	8,555	83%
15	Exeter	11,225	6.72	2,633	13,858	81%
16	Gloucester	7,954	6.79	2,092	10,046	79%
17	Guildford	15,794	9.96	4,044	19,838	80%
18	Hereford	5,179	5.49	997	6,176	84%
19	Leicester	7,242	7.76	1,564	8,796	82%
20	Lichfield	14,073	5.61	4,026	18,099	78%
21	Lincoln	7,729	5.43	1,997	9,726	79%
22	Liverpool	9,902	6.50	2,774	12,676	78%
23	London	39,277	11.84	18,288	57,565	68%
24	Manchester	11,656	6.27	3,232	14,888	78%
25	Newcastle	5,179	5.86	967	6,146	84%
26	Norwich	8,834	7.19	1,920	10,754	82%
27	Oxford	26,748	8.88	5,613	32,361	83%
28	Peterborough	7,973	8.09	1,526	9,499	84%
29	Portsmouth	5,669	5.88	1,669	7,328	77%
30	Ripon & Leeds	6,394	6.96	2,040	8,434	76%
31	Rochester	13,219	8.04	4,725	17,944	74%
32	St Albans	15,497	7.08	4,036	19,533	79%
33	St Edms & Ipswich	7,731	5.89	1,475	9,206	84%
34	Salisbury	13,416	5.91	2,715	16,131	83%
35	Sheffield	7,770	7.26	1,864	9,634	81%
36	Sodor & Man	814	5.64	200	1,014	80%
37	Southwark	21,011	8.75	7,711	28,722	73%
38	Southwell & Nottingham	8,322	8.21	1,852	10,174	82%
39	Truro	4,205	4.62	1,050	5,255	80%
40	Wakefield	6,441	5.74	1,832	8,273	78%
41	Winchester	13,678	6.38	3,006	16,684	82%
42	Worcester	6,670	6.29	1,910	8,580	78%
43	York	11,171	5.67	2,838	14,009	80%
Totals Province of Canterbury		348,628	7.36	98,385	447,010	78%
Totals Province of York		111,172	6.20	27,218	138,389	80%
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		459,800	7.04	125,603	585,399	79%

- Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.
 2. Explanations of composite items and totals are given in the Definitions.
 3. The total recurring income for the Diocese in Europe in 2006 was £7,307,553.
 4. The total recurring income for the Diocese in Europe in 2005 was £6,812,604.

Recurring expenditure 2007

Ref. No.	Diocese	2007				Charitable donations as percentage of expenditure
		Charitable donations £ 000s	Church activities and administration £ 000s	Fund-raising £ 000s	TOTAL recurring expenditure £ 000s	
1	Bath & Wells	1,627	15,090	253	16,970	10%
2	Birmingham	968	12,396	87	13,451	7%
3	Blackburn	700	13,192	297	14,189	5%
4	Bradford	459	6,806	74	7,139	6%
5	Bristol	1,411	9,522	129	11,062	13%
6	Canterbury	847	11,508	137	12,491	7%
7	Carlisle	525	8,164	114	8,802	6%
8	Chelmsford	1,702	23,887	424	26,013	7%
9	Chester	1,480	18,341	172	19,992	7%
10	Chichester	1,995	21,630	360	23,985	8%
11	Coventry	874	9,092	88	10,055	9%
12	Derby	688	8,891	160	9,739	7%
13	Durham	504	9,892	90	10,486	5%
14	Ely	734	8,842	157	9,733	8%
15	Exeter	965	14,025	243	15,233	6%
16	Gloucester	763	10,383	206	11,351	7%
17	Guildford	2,447	20,073	265	22,785	11%
18	Hereford	388	5,726	137	6,250	6%
19	Leicester	531	8,262	164	8,957	6%
20	Lichfield	1,259	19,022	600	20,880	6%
21	Lincoln	483	9,449	188	10,120	5%
22	Liverpool	1,003	13,431	260	14,694	7%
23	London	6,423	57,760	1,134	65,306	10%
24	Manchester	857	15,114	303	16,273	5%
25	Newcastle	367	6,319	62	6,748	5%
26	Norwich	618	11,123	224	11,964	5%
27	Oxford	3,529	32,798	432	36,759	10%
28	Peterborough	670	9,637	192	10,400	6%
29	Portsmouth	427	6,873	129	7,430	6%
30	Ripon & Leeds	521	8,348	210	9,079	6%
31	Rochester	1,954	18,903	406	21,263	9%
32	St. Albans	2,422	19,155	240	21,817	11%
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	666	9,332	244	10,242	7%
34	Salisbury	1,259	15,387	318	16,964	7%
35	Sheffield	1,057	10,744	108	11,909	9%
36	Sodor & Man	69	1,068	4	1,140	6%
37	Southwark	2,475	28,695	432	31,602	8%
38	Southwell & Nottingham	641	9,708	288	10,637	6%
39	Truro	197	5,703	83	5,983	3%
40	Wakefield	478	8,891	143	9,511	5%
41	Winchester	1,682	17,430	225	19,337	9%
42	Worcester	548	8,303	158	9,010	6%
43	York	1,296	14,844	243	16,383	8%
Totals Province of Canterbury		40,551	448,785	7,814	497,149	8%
Totals Province of York		9,957	144,659	2,367	156,984	6%
TOTALS CHURCH OF ENGLAND		50,508	593,444	10,181	654,133	8%

Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.

2. Explanations of composite items and totals are given in the Definitions.

3. The total ordinary expenditure of the Diocese in Europe in 2007 was £7,709,017 charitable donations formed £543,086 (7.04%) of this expenditure.

4. The total ordinary expenditure of the Diocese in Europe in 2006 was £7,057,152, charitable donations formed £476,104 (6.75%) of this expenditure.

Recurring expenditure 2006

Ref. No.	Diocese	2006				Charitable donations as percentage of expenditure
		Charitable donations £ 000s	Church activities £ 000s	Fund-raising and church administration £ 000s	TOTAL recurring expenditure £ 000s	
1	Bath & Wells	1,481	13,896	1,195	16,572	9%
2	Birmingham	704	10,047	1,667	12,418	6%
3	Blackburn	744	12,922	667	14,334	5%
4	Bradford	463	5,847	406	6,716	7%
5	Bristol	1,099	8,350	621	10,070	11%
6	Canterbury	858	10,464	734	12,056	7%
7	Carlisle	478	7,149	289	7,917	6%
8	Chelmsford	1,710	20,889	1,503	24,102	7%
9	Chester	1,388	16,934	1,166	19,487	7%
10	Chichester	1,869	19,909	1,298	23,077	8%
11	Coventry	596	8,239	661	9,497	6%
12	Derby	628	8,199	411	9,239	7%
13	Durham	480	8,944	499	9,924	5%
14	Ely	649	7,297	598	8,545	8%
15	Exeter	935	13,002	588	14,524	6%
16	Gloucester	793	9,413	567	10,772	7%
17	Guildford	2,326	17,066	1,798	21,190	11%
18	Hereford	416	5,487	371	6,274	7%
19	Leicester	572	8,016	523	9,111	6%
20	Lichfield	1,158	16,863	1,227	19,248	6%
21	Lincoln	580	8,680	551	9,811	6%
22	Liverpool	978	11,882	838	13,699	7%
23	London	5,082	46,383	6,155	57,620	9%
24	Manchester	856	13,883	833	15,571	5%
25	Newcastle	375	6,300	309	6,983	5%
26	Norwich	634	10,125	583	11,322	6%
27	Oxford	3,166	28,723	2,449	34,338	9%
28	Peterborough	630	8,736	517	9,883	6%
29	Portsmouth	496	6,952	581	8,030	6%
30	Ripon & Leeds	518	8,048	497	9,064	6%
31	Rochester	1,790	14,558	3,016	19,365	9%
32	St. Albans	2,107	17,027	1,252	20,386	10%
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	579	8,713	498	9,790	6%
34	Salisbury	1,204	14,129	1,126	16,459	7%
35	Sheffield	1,084	9,406	609	11,099	10%
36	Sodor & Man	66	913	23	1,002	7%
37	Southwark	2,261	25,924	1,972	30,157	7%
38	Southwell & Nottingham	620	9,088	868	10,577	6%
39	Truro	215	5,228	266	5,710	4%
40	Wakefield	590	8,363	403	9,356	6%
41	Winchester	1,507	15,513	1,127	18,147	8%
42	Worcester	622	7,699	409	8,730	7%
43	York	1,236	13,333	968	15,537	8%
Totals Province of Canterbury		36,667	395,528	34,246	466,442	8%
Totals Province of York		9,878	133,012	8,375	151,265	7%
TOTALS CHURCH OF ENGLAND		46,545	528,540	42,621	617,706	8%

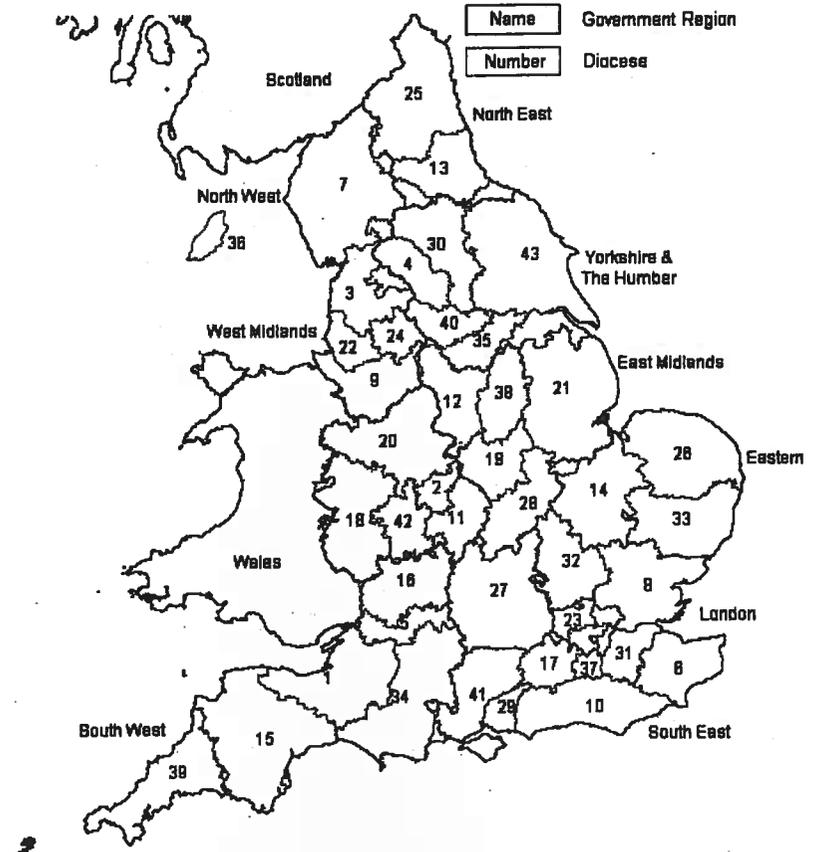
Notes: 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.

2. Explanations of composite items and totals are given in the Definitions.

3. The total ordinary expenditure of the Diocese in Europe in 2006 was £7,057,152, charitable donations formed £476,104 (6.75%) of this expenditure.

4. The total ordinary expenditure of the Diocese in Europe in 2005 was £6,634,413, charitable donations formed £495,919 (7.48%) of this expenditure.

Government regions and the English dioceses



Source: Geographical Information System Parish Mapping (Church Commissioners/Archbishops' Council)

- Notes:
1. See figure 1 for diocesan reference numbers.
 2. The Channel Islands are annexed to the Diocese of Winchester.
 3. The Isles of Scilly are included in the Diocese of Truro.
 4. The Diocese in Europe is part of the Province of Canterbury. It has clergy and congregations in the rest of Europe, Morocco, Turkey and the Asian countries of the former Soviet Union.