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FOREWORD

GENERAL

This is the first edition of "Church Statistics" to be published for two years. It incorporates the latest statistics available from the Central Board of Finance and a selection of those collected routinely by other central church organisations. It is hoped that in future the booklet can revert to an annual appearance.

The largest section in the booklet contains, as usual, the results of the Board's annual collection of membership and financial statistics from the parishes. Figures for 1987 are given, with in some cases comparable figures for 1986. The time-lag between collection and publication depends on a number of factors, but the scale of the exercise, involving in all some 13,000 parishes each year, means that even under the most favourable circumstances it is well over a year before the results become available.

The success of the operation in distributing, completing and collecting the parochial statistical returns is due in very large measure to the assistance of staff in diocesan offices, and the time and attention given by (frequently hard-pressed) clergy and parish treasurers. We should like to take this opportunity of thanking all who helped: their co-operation is much appreciated.

CLERGY

As a result of the ordination of women to the diaconate from 1987 onwards, figures are now given separately for clergymen and women deacons. Taken separately, the trends in the full-time stipendiary ordained ministry are distinctly different. Figures for the men continue to decline gently: 10,649 to 10,608 (less than half a percentage point) in the two years up to the end of 1988. By contrast, the women have increased from 439 to 503 in one year (1988), an increase of nearly 15 per cent. Moreover, taking into account the age structure of the men and probable rates of entry to, and departures from, the ministry, these trends are likely to continue over the next few years: figures for the men decreasing to perhaps around 10,300 by 1994, and for the women rising to around 750 in the same period.

It should be emphasised that these figures refer only to those full-time stipendiary clergy who work within - for want of a better phrase - "the diocesan framework": diocesan, suffragan and area bishops, archdeacons, cathedral and parochial clergy and certain diocesan appointments. They do not include clergy working full-time in hospitals, prisons, the Services, education or other sectors. At present an overall total for these is difficult to come by, but it is estimated that there are at least 2,000. Some sectors, notably hospital chaplaincies, are growing.

SELECTION CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATIONS

In the five year period up to 1988 for which figures are given (see Tables 27 and 28) numbers for men recommended for the stipendiary ministry peaked at 363 in 1986, then dropped to 320 in 1987 and 252 in 1988. These decreases in the main reflect the numbers coming forward for selection, rather than an increased stringency on the part of the selectors. On a more hopeful note, there are indications that after the comparatively lean years of 1987 and 1988, the numbers of men coming forward are increasing. The numbers of women recommended for the ordained ministry have been virtually constant and are likely to remain so for this year.

DEACONESSSES, LAY WORKERS AND READERS

A large proportion of the women ordained as stipendiary deacons in 1987 and 1988 had previously been diaconesses. Indeed, only 15 stipendiary diaconesses remain, and it is unlikely that any more will be licensed. With the exception of Church Army personnel working in the parishes, the number of licensed stipendiary lay workers is not reliably known. It is likely to be under 100. The total number of licensed readers has continued to increase gradually. Whilst the number of male readers has decreased by three per cent over the past five years, the number of women readers has increased by 45 per cent.

MEMBERSHIP

As always, the lack of any clear definition of membership in the Church of England has made it difficult to be precise on recent trends. Compared with 1986, Easter communicants have risen by nearly four per cent and electoral roll figures are virtually static. (A separate collection of electoral roll numbers from the dioceses for 1989 showed a very small increase over the 1987 figures collected from the parishes). Christmas and normal Sunday communicants, usual Sunday attendances and infant baptisms have again dropped, but by amounts of less than one per cent in each case. Only the numbers of baptisms of those other than infants and confirmations have continued to show real evidence of decline (drops of five and nine per cent respectively).

It is therefore not fanciful to talk of a plateau in membership numbers. In view of recent media interest, it should be emphasised that because of their cyclic nature and imperfect reflection of numbers of active churchgoers, electoral roll increases are not in themselves firm evidence of increased membership overall.

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GIVING AND CHARITABLE DONATIONS

In the last edition we reported that in 1985 direct giving (i.e. the combined total of net covenants, other non-covenanted planned giving and proceeds of collections and boxes) had in real terms risen to its highest level since 1968. This rise has been maintained. Allowing for inflation, such giving increased by five per cent per year in 1986 and 1987. It has reached a level last seen in 1964, when church membership was considerably larger. This growth, together with the increasing proportion of money coming from covenanted giving is illustrated in the graph on page 29.

At the same time, the overall position of "fewer people giving more" is underlined by the two per cent drop in the total number of planned giving (covenanted and uncovenanted) subscribers between 1986 and 1987. The reduction has been more marked in the number of uncovenanted subscribers, but it is worth noting that up to 1985 the number of covenanted subscribers had shown a sustained rise over many years.

In real terms, charitable donations by parishes rose by nearly ten per cent between 1985 and 1986, but then level-pegged with inflation in the following year. The proportion of total ordinary expenditure given by parishes to outside charitable bodies in this period dropped from 11.2 to 10.6 per cent.

Finally, it should be noted that among the 13,000 parishes there are a small but growing number (currently some 300) of Local Ecumenical Projects in which there is a congregation and ministry shared between the Church of England and certain other denominations. In such circumstances it is not always possible (or indeed desirable) to isolate the Anglican component of the congregation. The parochial membership figures will therefore include a small element which may appear also in the statistics of other Churches.

Definitions

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

Income

Total planned giving	= net covenants and uncovenanted planned giving.
Total direct giving	= planned giving plus church collections and boxes.
Other voluntary income	= all other voluntary income for ordinary expenditure excluding direct giving and income tax on covenants e.g. fund-raising events, net profit on magazine/bookstall, sundry donations.
Total voluntary income	= direct giving plus income tax on covenants plus other voluntary income.
Other ordinary income	= dividends and interest, recurring diocesan and other grants, and all other income for expenditure on ordinary purposes of the PCC. For example, fees paid to the PCC, net surplus from church hall or other buildings, income from endowments or trust funds if used for ordinary purposes.
Total ordinary income	= total voluntary income plus ordinary income.

Expenditure

The Church Overseas	= payments to (a) the recognised missionary societies, other overseas missions, diocesan associations and Diocesan Mission Councils. (b) Christian organisations primarily concerned with relief and development.
Home Missions	= payments to home missions and other Church societies and organisations.
Other Charities	= payments to other charities which are secularly based.
Total ordinary expenditure	= the total of ALL expenditure for the ordinary purposes of the PCC i.e. excluding non-recurring items of capital expenditure and non-revenue items.

The term "church member" when related to giving (Tables 33 and 34) is defined as : two-thirds (adult usual Sunday attendances) plus one-third (electoral roll membership).

Please note that many figures in this booklet have been rounded, and that in general 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.

DIOCESAN STATISTICS
Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

For sources see below

TABLE 1

Ref. No.	Diocese	Population (mid-1987)	Area (mile ²)	Number of :			Electoral Rolls 1987
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bath and Wells	807,000	1,619	226	476	581	53,100
2	Birmingham	1,426,000	291	162	178	208	20,800
3	Blackburn	1,239,000	878	225	252	287	63,800
4	Bradford	629,000	920	115	132	170	16,600
5	Bristol	813,000	474	124	169	208	23,400
6	Canterbury	788,000	970	156	264	325	24,000
7	Carlisle	481,000	2,475	181	270	355	33,900
8	Chelmsford	2,558,000	1,530	386	496	610	58,000
9	Chester	1,549,000	1,017	242	284	377	62,000
10	Chichester	1,407,000	1,465	303	402	525	70,900
11	Coventry	758,000	688	141	197	240	24,300
12	Derby	943,000	997	193	255	347	25,000
13	Durham	1,485,000	1,015	235	262	310	39,900
14	Ely	569,000	1,507	275	315	342	26,400
15	Exeter	1,009,000	2,576	267	508	628	42,000
16	Gloucester	558,000	1,146	172	326	406	31,100
17	Guildford	893,000	531	148	163	217	40,400
18	Hereford	273,000	1,660	160	362	435	23,200
19	Leicester	843,000	835	149	255	329	22,600
20	Lichfield	2,080,000	1,766	352	456	609	60,400
21	Lincoln	882,000	2,672	323	552	665	38,500
22	Liverpool	1,598,000	389	205	205	254	42,100
23	London	3,249,000	279	420	430	492	50,500
24	Manchester	1,972,000	415	291	310	371	47,100
25	Newcastle	779,000	2,084	136	178	251	20,400
26	Norwich	758,000	1,808	268	590	644	34,800
27	Oxford	1,948,000	2,222	363	637	826	66,000
28	Peterborough	713,000	1,150	184	356	389	23,400
29	Portsmouth	694,000	408	121	137	172	20,500
30	Ripon	769,000	1,359	135	177	273	29,200
31	Rochester	1,165,000	542	191	213	265	39,700
32	St. Albans	1,551,000	1,114	243	335	411	58,200
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	561,000	1,435	202	449	481	27,800
34	Salisbury	796,000	2,033	199	452	586	53,700
35	Sheffield	1,184,000	571	159	174	220	24,900
36	Sodor & Man	65,000	221	27	27	44	3,600
37	Southwark	2,244,000	317	299	316	391	51,300
38	Southwell	1,016,000	848	192	263	317	23,900
39	Truro	454,000	1,390	147	226	315	24,500
40	Wakefield	1,055,000	562	186	194	256	28,200
41	Winchester	1,128,000	1,225	208	305	408	48,700
42	Worcester	637,000	640	118	189	271	21,400
43	York	1,294,000	2,661	281	476	625	43,100
Totals Province of Canterbury		32,505,000	35,290	6,527	10,036	12,370	1,104,700
Totals Province of York		15,115,000	15,415	2,583	3,177	4,066	478,800
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		47,620,000	50,705	9,110	13,213	16,436	1,583,500

NOTES :

Col. 3 : 1987 mid-year estimates, based on figures produced by the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys (OPCS).

Col. 4 : Provisional area figures calculated from material supplied by OPCS.

Col. 5-7 : As listed on 31st December 1988 (with later revisions) in the Parish Register maintained by the Statistics Department of the Central Board of Finance.

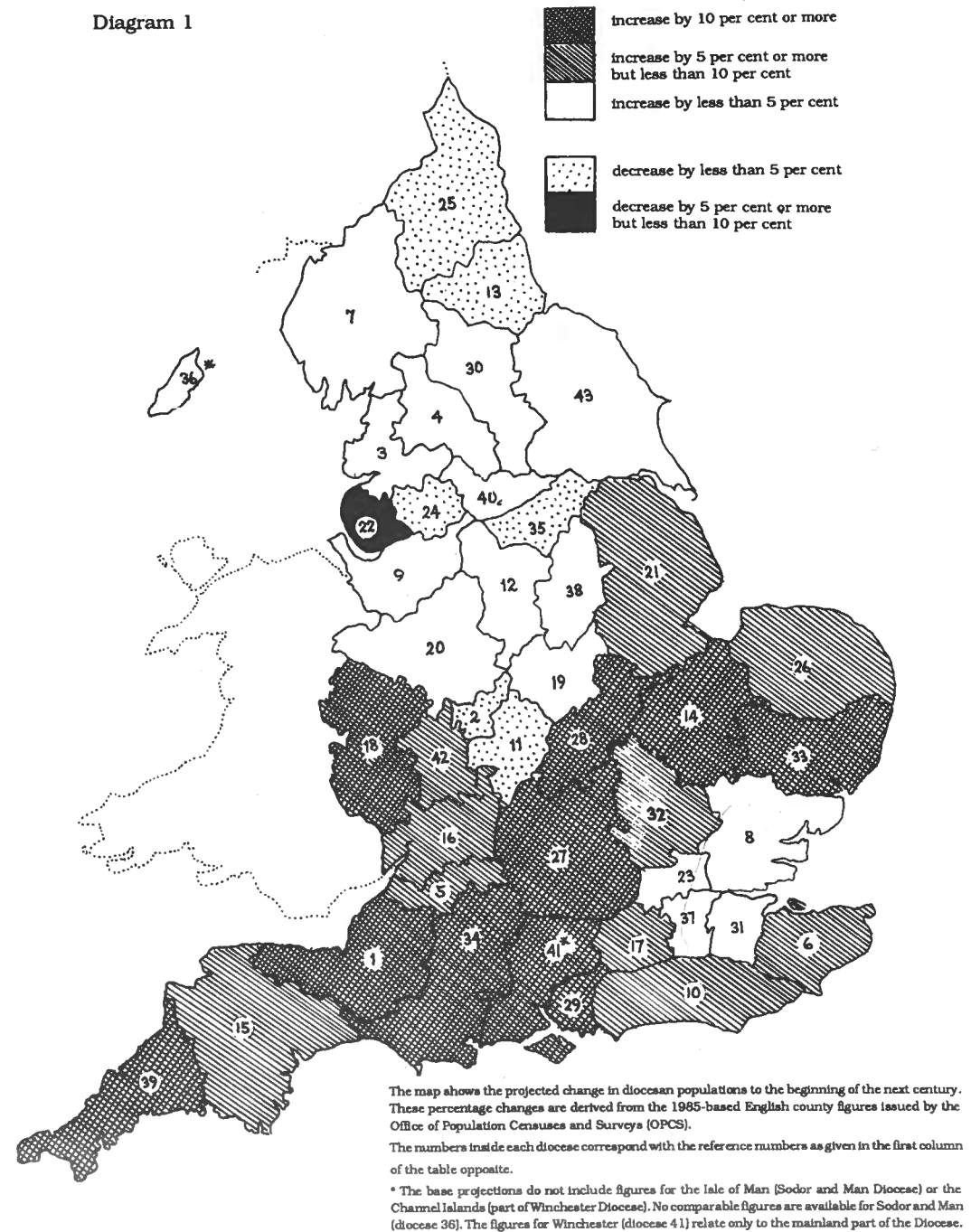
Cathedral figures are not included in Cols. 5-8.

DIOCESAN POPULATION CHANGES 1987-2001

(see notes at foot of page)

By the year 2001, diocesan populations are projected to :

Diagram 1



SELECTED CLERGY, DEACONESS AND Provinces of Canterbury and

THE CLERGY

Although various statistics relating to clergyman in the Church of England have been published for many years, their present value is limited by the lack of comparability, which itself arises from the way the various categories of clergy are defined. It is only in the last 12 years that, as a result of central payment of clergy stipends by the Church Commissioners and of the requirements of the Sheffield deployment formula (see page 12) a standard definition has been adopted. This includes all those full-time stipendiary clergymen working within the diocesan structure. Thus the figures in Table 2 below are not comparable with the later ones shown in Table 3, mainly because the 'non-parochial' category in the first table includes a large number of clergy working in hospital, prison, educational and other sector ministries outside the diocesan structure.

TABLE 2 Full-time stipendiary clergymen in the Church of England 1956-1971

Year	Dignitaries	Parochial clergy	Non-parochial clergy	TOTAL full-time stipendiary clergy
1	2	3	4	5
1956/57	258	12,976	957	14,191
1961	231	13,429	1,731	15,391
1966	264	13,460	1,733	15,457
1971	277	12,905	2,041	15,223

Source : Church of England Year Books

TABLE 3 Full-time stipendiary clergymen in the Church of England 1977-1988

Year (December)	Dignitaries	Parochial clergy			Diocesan appointments	TOTAL full-time stipendiary clergy
		Incumbents, incumbent status	Assistant curates	TOTAL		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1977	380	9,091	1,954	11,045	282	11,707
1978	371	8,914	1,816	10,730	308	11,409
1979	375	8,761	1,848	10,609	295	11,279
1980	361	8,648	1,729	10,377	315	11,053
1981	349	8,493	1,745	10,238	295	10,882
1982	370	8,387	1,730	10,117	302	10,789
1983	376	8,368	1,743	10,111	320	10,807
1984	378	8,340	1,734	10,074	297	10,749
1985	375	8,266	1,736	10,002	295	10,672
1986	373	8,204	1,767	9,971	305	10,649
1987	376	8,199	1,746	9,945	303	10,624
1988	384	8,125	1,777	9,902	323	10,609

Source : Church Commissioners

TABLE 4 Full-time stipendiary women deacons in the Church of England 1987-1988

Year (December)	Cathedral clergy	Parochial clergy			Diocesan appointments	TOTAL full-time stipendiary women deacons
		Team ministers, Deacons-in-charge	Assistant curates	TOTAL		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1987	0	13	390	403	36	439
1988	2	18	435	453	48	503

Source : Church Commissioners

LAY WORKER COMPARISONS 1956-1988 York (excluding Europe)

TABLE 5 Losses and gains, full-time stipendiary clergymen

Year	Number at start of year	Losses			Gains		NET LOSS (- net gain)
		Deaths in service	Retirements	Other	No. of ordinations	Other	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1982	10,882	57	365	190	313	206	93
1983	10,789	35	302	214	340	229	-18
1984	10,807	47	285	260	304	230	58
1985	10,749	52	307	231	308	205	77
1986	10,672	44	290	215	326	200	23
1987	10,649	40	291	241	311	236	25
1988	10,624	40	296	220	358	182	16
1989	10,608						

Full 'loss and gain' figures prior to 1982 are not available.
Source : Church Commissioners

TABLE 6 Deacons ordained in the dioceses

Year	Number of men	Year	Number of men	Year	Number of men	Number of women
1	2	1	2	1	2	3
1960	599	1981	311 (129)	1987	299 (103)	64 (39)
1965	592	1982	313 (112)	1988	372 (78)	67 (45)
1970	437	1983	341 (119)			
1975	321 (52)	1984	313 (119)			
		1985	304 (112)			
1980	309 (119)	1986	326 (87)			

Figures in brackets denote the additional numbers of deacons ordained into the non-stipendiary ministry (NSM) and, from 1984, into the local non-stipendiary ministry (LNSM).
Numbers in column 3 do not include those deacons who were previously deaconesses.
Source : Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry (ACCM).

TABLE 7 Deaconesses, Lay Workers

In 1986, returns from the dioceses indicated the following totals for deaconesses, accredited lay workers and Church Army officers working in the dioceses :-			
	Deaconesses	Accredited lay workers	Church Army officers
Stipendiary	480	96	183
Non-stipendiary	255	61	8
No diocesan returns have since been collected. Available figures are :-			
	1987	1988	Source
Stipendiary deaconesses	23	15	Church Commissioners
Church Army officers	301	324	Church Army
(Church Army figures in 1987 and 1988 include categories excluded from the 1986 figures.)			

**SELECTED MEMBERSHIP
Provinces of Canterbury**

TABLE 8 Baptisms

Year	Live births 000s	* Infant baptisms 000s	* Infant baptism rates per 1000 live births	* Baptisms of other persons 000s
1	2	3	4	5
1900	868	564	650	11
1910	831	573	689	16
1920	891	604	678	11
1930	607	424	699	10
1940	570	365	641	10
1950	657	441	672	9
1960	744	412	554	11
1970	745	347	466	8
1973	640	298	465	7
1976	553	237	428	8
1978	565	217	383	36
1980	621	226	365	40
1982	592	205	347	37
1983	596	202	339	37
1984	640	198	309	37
1985	622	201	323	38
1986	626	188	300	45
1987	646	187	289	43

TABLE 9 Confirmations

Year	Numbers confirmed		
	Males 000s	Females 000s	Total 000s
1	2	3	4
1900	73	108	181
1910	95	132	227
1920	83	116	199
1930	84	112	197
1940	65	79	144
1950	60	82	142
1960	78	113	191
1970	45	68	113
1973	40	61	100
1976	37	57	94
1978	38	60	98
1980	37	61	98
1982	32	53	85
1983	31	51	82
1984	31	49	80
1985	29	48	77
1986	28	45	73
1987	25	41	66
1988	25	39	64

TABLE 10 Electoral Rolls †

Year	Numbers on Church Electoral Rolls 000s
1	2
1930	3,693
1940	3,423
1950	2,959
1960	2,862
1970	2,559
1973	2,021
1976	2,033
1978	1,761
1980	1,815
1982	1,814
1983	1,761
1984	1,504
1985	1,559
1986	1,592
1987	1,591

**COMPARISONS 1900-1987
& York (excluding Europe)**

TABLE 11 Parochial Easter and Christmas Communicants

Year	Estimated mid-year population aged 15 and over 000s	Easter communicants 000s	Easter communicant rates per 1000 population aged 15 and over	Christmas communicants 000s	Christmas communicant rates per 1000 population aged 15 and over
1	2	3	4	5	6
1930	28,418	2,426	85	Figures not available	
1940	31,418	2,156	69		
1950	32,319	2,004	62		
1960	33,395	2,339	70		
1970	35,450	1,814	51	2,074	62
				1,689	48
1973	35,627	1,684	47	1,720	48
1976	36,060	1,681	47	1,695	47
1978	36,438	1,698	47	1,785	49
1980	36,924	1,732	47	1,807	49
1982	37,642	1,674	44	1,688	45
1983	37,848	1,668	44	1,818	48
1984	38,094	1,654	43	1,742	46
1985	38,332	1,624	42	1,747	46
1986	38,547	1,550	40	1,666	43
1987	38,659	1,607	42	1,660	43

TABLE 12 Sunday Communicants, Attendances

Year	Communicants on a normal Sunday 000s	Sunday communicant rates per 1000 population aged 15 and over	Usual Sunday attendances at all services 000s	Usual Sunday attendances at all services per 1000 population
1	2	3	4	5
1970	Figures not available		1,542	33
1973			1,410	30
1976			1,247	27
1978			1,243	27
1980	699	19	1,240	27
1982	682	18	1,205	26
1983	689	18	1,201	26
1984	703	18	1,182	25
1985	691	18	1,179	25
1986	716	19	1,167	25
1987	715	18	1,161	24

NOTES :

1. Population figures in these tables are taken from information provided by the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys. Other statistics have been evaluated from the parish returns of membership and finance and from information obtained from the offices of the diocesan bishops.

*2. The figures for 1978 and later years in columns 3 to 5 of Table 8 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.

3. Figures for cathedrals and their daughter churches are included.

†4. Before 1957 the minimum age for inclusion in the Electoral Roll was 18. From 1957-1980 the age was lowered to 17 after which it was reduced again to 16.

**SELECTED FINANCIAL
Provinces of Canterbury**

TABLE 13 Planned Giving : Numbers of contributors under planned giving schemes of parochial church councils

Year	Subscribers under covenants		Uncovenanted planned giving subscribers 000s	Total planned giving subscribers	
	000s	as percentages of total planned giving subscribers		000s	as percentages of Electoral Roll members
1	2	3	4	5	6
1964	126	10.9	1,029	1,155	42.4
1966	138	12.6	957	1,095	41.0
1968	153	15.1	862	1,015	38.7
1970	168	17.4	800	968	38.0
1973	209	22.8	708	917	45.5
1976	284	32.9	578	862	42.4
1978	323	36.5	563	886	50.1
1980	362	40.6	529	891	49.3
1982	395	45.3	476	871	48.1
1983	410	48.6	434	844	48.1
1984	421	50.5	413	834	55.8
1985	434	52.1	400	834	53.8
1986	420	53.5	365	785	49.6
1987	417	54.3	351	768	48.5

TABLE 14 Planned Giving : Incomes from planned giving schemes of parochial church councils

Year	Covenanted giving : net subscriptions	Uncovenanted planned giving £000s	Total planned giving		
			Actual £000s	In real terms of 1987 £000s	As a % of ordinary income
1	2	3	4	5	6
1964	2,113	7,198	9,311	67,063	42.1
1966	2,512	7,117	9,629	63,754	40.5
1968	2,910	6,643	9,553	58,886	37.8
1970	3,325	6,348	9,673	53,182	36.6
1973	4,569	6,742	11,311	48,619	34.6
1976	8,377	8,483	16,860	43,132	34.5
1978	11,556	10,155	21,711	44,270	35.6
1980	17,692	13,748	31,440	47,917	36.6
1982	28,229	16,297	44,526	55,852	40.1
1983	32,977	16,864	49,841	59,776	40.1
1984	38,642	17,178	55,820	63,769	40.6
1985	43,982	17,874	61,856	66,613	41.0
1986	47,786	17,178	64,964	67,658	38.9
1987	53,856	17,757	71,613	71,613	39.6

**COMPARISONS 1964-1987
and York (excluding Europe)**

TABLE 15 Ordinary annual incomes of parochial church councils

Year	Actual £000s			In real terms of 1987 £000s		
	Total Direct Giving	Total Voluntary Income	Total Ordinary Income	Total Direct Giving	Total Voluntary Income	Total Ordinary Income
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1964	14,961	20,033	22,108	107,757	144,288	159,233
1966	15,461	21,230	23,749	102,369	140,566	157,244
1968	15,550	22,169	25,299	95,852	136,652	155,946
1970	15,847	22,110	26,396	87,126	121,560	145,124
1973	19,045	26,861	32,691	81,863	115,459	140,519
1976	28,436	41,268	49,005	72,746	105,574	125,367
1978	36,295	52,359	60,906	74,008	106,763	124,191
1980	51,521	72,798	85,880	78,522	110,950	130,888
1982	67,545	95,609	110,958	84,726	119,929	139,182
1983	75,528	107,695	124,146	90,584	129,163	148,894
1984	84,143	119,907	137,637	96,126	136,983	157,238
1985	91,295	130,729	150,996	98,316	140,782	162,608
1986	99,133	142,049	167,038	103,243	147,939	173,964
1987	108,324	153,684	180,786	108,324	153,684	180,786

TABLE 16 Charitable giving and total ordinary expenditure by parochial church councils

Year	Actual £000s		In real terms of 1987 £000s		Charitable donations as a % of total ordinary expenditure
	Total Charitable Donations	Total Ordinary Expenditure	Total Charitable Donations	Total Ordinary Expenditure	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1964	2,173	21,711	15,651	156,374	10.0
1966	2,363	23,840	15,646	157,847	9.9
1968	2,494	25,970	15,373	160,082	9.6
1970	2,593	28,038	14,256	154,151	9.2
1973	3,259	34,641	14,008	148,901	9.4
1976	4,631	44,899	11,847	114,863	10.3
1978	5,943	54,375	12,118	110,874	10.9
1980	8,480	77,849	12,924	118,648	10.9
1982	10,188	104,807	12,780	131,467	9.7
1983	11,546	116,689	13,848	139,950	9.9
1984	14,413	129,385	16,466	147,811	11.1
1985	15,525	138,294	16,719	148,929	11.2
1986	17,581	156,451	18,310	162,938	11.2
1987	18,305	172,079	18,305	172,079	10.6

NOTES ON TABLES 13-16 :

- Figures for cathedrals and their daughter churches are not included.
- Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 3.

DEPLOYMENT OF THE CLERGY

Male clergy : the 'Sheffield' formula

The 'Sheffield' formula for the deployment of the clergy was devised by a Working Group appointed by the House of Bishops and under the chairmanship of the then Bishop of Sheffield. It was first published in the Group's report in May 1974 (GS 205). The House considered the report and in January 1975 carried motions which accepted the broad principles on which the report was based and the formula which it proposed should be used to calculate each diocese's share of the available ordained manpower. The intention was to enable the Church, over a period of years, to use the manpower that was available in the most effective way possible, and in a manner which would ensure fairer shares as between dioceses than the existing distribution, based on historical patterns rather than present needs, provided. The formula has since been reviewed — see 'The Church's Ministry — A Survey' (GS 459, November 1980) and 'The Deployment of the Stipendiary Clergy' (GS 511, December 1981). One minor modification was made in 1988 to the membership factor (see below).

The formula apportions the total number of full-time, stipendiary clergy available to the 43 dioceses (Europe, because of the special nature of its chaplaincies, is not included) on the basis of four factors, weighted as shown:

- Diocesan population (8) to reflect the number of persons for whom a pastoral responsibility is assumed;
- Diocesan area (1) to reflect the larger distances to be covered in rural dioceses;
- Membership (3) to reflect the number of Church members to be cared for. Prior to 1988 this was measured solely by Electoral Roll numbers; for 1988 and later years it has been measured by one-third (Electoral Roll members) plus two-thirds (usual Sunday attendances, all ages).
- Number of churches (3) to reflect the number of services in different churches that need to be provided.

Shares under the formula are published each year from figures supplied by the Church Commissioners. The latest available statistics are always used.

Additionally, projections of future clergy numbers, and each diocese's share, are prepared from time to time. These are based on known trends in retirements, resignations and deaths in service, together with assumptions on the future level of ordinands and others entering the diocesan framework.

The shares yielded by the 'Sheffield' formula are therefore targets towards which dioceses should work. It should however be emphasised that the targets are moving ones; they depend not only on the total number of men available (or, in the case of projections, the validity of the trends and assumptions) but also on the relative changes in dioceses' populations and other relevant statistics.

Female clergy

A formula to allocate full-time stipendiary women deacons and deaconesses among the dioceses was approved by the House of Bishops in 1988. It is based half on historic and half on 'Sheffield-type' considerations. The historic component is based on the number of such women working in each diocese over a period of up to six years (at present, comparable figures are available for only two years). The other component consists of the four 'Sheffield' Factors, with the same weights as for the male clergy.

As with the men, shares under the formula are published each year from figures supplied by the Church Commissioners. The latest available statistics are used. At present, trends in entries to and exits from this ministry are not sufficiently well-established to allow for other than very tentative projections of future numbers.

DEPLOYMENT OF THE CLERGY

Actual distribution of full-time stipendiary diocesan clergy, both men and women, in 1987 and 1988 compared with their distribution according to the deployment formulae (opposite)

Provinces of York and Canterbury (excluding Europe)

TABLE 17

Ref. No.	Diocese	Men				Women	
		Dec 1987		Dec 1988		Dec 1988	
		Actual	Shares according to Sheffield	Actual	Shares according to Sheffield	Actual	Shares according to formula
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bath and Wells	266	264	255	261	4	8
2	Birmingham	229	229	220	235	11	11
3	Blackburn	263	284	267	271	2	8
4	Bradford	134	130	136	132	8	8
5	Bristol	160	163	164	166	19	13
6	Canterbury	195	180	198	185	10	10
7	Carlisle	187	183	191	177	4	6
8	Chelmsford	477	483	474	484	19	21
9	Chester	327	329	312	325	9	13
10	Chichester	343	349	358	345	5	11
11	Coventry	159	164	173	162	12	10
12	Derby	220	204	217	206	14	12
13	Durham	279	284	285	282	18	16
14	Ely	165	170	166	166	5	6
15	Exeter	302	292	295	295	4	9
16	Gloucester	195	176	185	175	7	8
17	Guildford	199	196	201	192	13	11
18	Hereford	138	144	145	138	4	5
19	Leicester	180	187	178	185	12	10
20	Lichfield	432	433	426	428	25	24
21	Lincoln	261	278	258	272	15	14
22	Liverpool	274	284	274	291	25	20
23	London	580	540	568	552	50	37
24	Manchester	368	353	366	355	12	14
25	Newcastle	179	182	179	183	3	6
26	Norwich	242	242	238	243	7	10
27	Oxford	453	455	449	464	23	23
28	Peterborough	188	181	183	187	9	9
29	Portsmouth	138	135	139	139	7	6
30	Ripon	171	185	177	181	14	11
31	Rochester	234	237	227	233	14	13
32	St. Albans	326	332	327	325	18	17
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	182	186	187	186	8	8
34	Salisbury	252	269	264	263	7	11
35	Sheffield	216	213	217	213	14	11
36	Sodor & Man	20	21	19	21	0	1
37	Southwark	399	392	396	394	31	26
38	Southwell	213	205	212	208	9	11
39	Truro	150	145	149	144	3	5
40	Wakefield	205	205	209	203	11	10
41	Winchester	263	265	260	266	5	9
42	Worcester	145	147	142	148	11	9
43	York	315	328	322	327	17	17
Totals Province of Canterbury		7,473	7,438	7,442	7,439	372	366
Totals Province of York		3,151	3,186	3,166	3,169	146	152
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		10,624	10,624	10,608	10,608	518	518

Note : Figures for the women include 15 full-time stipendiary deaconesses.

FULL-TIME DIOCESAN

Provinces of Canterbury

Compiled from information

CLERGYMEN 1988

and York (Europe excluded)

supplied by the Church Commissioners

1988 ✓

TABLE 18

Ref No.		Numbers of full-time diocesan clergymen					
		Dignitaries (including beneficed)					TOTAL Dignitaries
		Diocesan Bishops	Sufragan and Assistant Bishops	Arch- deacons	Cathedrals		
Deans and Provosts	Other clergy						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bath and Wells	1	2	3	1	2	9
2	Birmingham	1	1	2	1	2	7
3	Blackburn	0	2	2	1	4	9
4	Bradford	1	1	2	1	2	7
5	Bristol	1	1	2	1	3	8
6	Canterbury	1	2	2	1	4	10
7	Carlisle	1	1	3	1	3	9
8	Chelmsford	1	3	3	1	4	12
9	Chester	1	2	2	1	3	9
10	Chichester	1	2	2	1	2	8
11	Coventry	1	1	2	1	3	8
12	Derby	1	2	2	1	2	8
13	Durham	1	1	2	0	2	6
14	Ely	1	1	3	1	3	9
15	Exeter	1	2	4	1	2	10
16	Gloucester	1	1	2	1	2	7
17	Guildford	1	1	2	1	3	8
18	Hereford	1	1	2	1	5	10
19	Leicester	1	1	2	1	3	8
20	Lichfield	1	4	3	1	3	12
21	Lincoln	1	2	3	1	3	10
22	Liverpool	1	1	2	1	3	8
23	London	1	5	5	1	5	17
24	Manchester	1	3	3	1	4	12
25	Newcastle	1	1	2	1	3	8
26	Norwich	1	2	3	1	3	10
27	Oxford	1	3	3	0	1	8
28	Peterborough	1	0	2	1	2	6
29	Portsmouth	1	0	2	1	4	8
30	Ripon	1	1	2	1	3	8
31	Rochester	1	1	2	1	3	8
32	St. Albans	1	2	2	1	6	12
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	1	1	3	1	4	10
34	Salisbury	1	1	4	1	3	10
35	Sheffield	1	1	2	1	2	7
36	Sodor & Man	0	0	1	0	0	1
37	Southwark	1	3	5	1	5	15
38	Southwell	1	1	2	1	4	9
39	Truro	1	1	2	1	2	7
40	Wakefield	1	1	2	1	2	7
41	Winchester	1	2	2	1	3	9
42	Worcester	1	1	2	1	2	7
43	York	1	3	3	1	4	12
Totals Province of Canterbury		29	49	76	28	89	271
Totals Province of York		12	19	30	12	39	112
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		41	68	106	40	128	383

NOTES :

1. The above figures include only those clergymen who were working full-time within the diocesan framework as at 31st December in each of the two years. Some 2,000 clergymen were in non-parochial posts outside the diocesan framework, e.g. Chaplains to H. M. Forces, prisons, hospitals, colleges and schools; officials of Church and other charitable organisations; religious communities; theological colleges; universities; overseas missions etc.

as at 31st December 1988						Numbers as at 31st December 1987		
Parochial Clergymen				Non-parochial diocesan clergymen	TOTAL diocesan clergymen	TOTAL dignitaries	TOTAL parochial clergymen	TOTAL diocesan clergymen
Incumbents (excluding dignitaries)	Incumbent status	Assistant curates	TOTAL parochial clergymen					
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
188	20	31	239	7	255	9	252	266
133	20	48	201	12	220	7	211	229
189	19	46	254	4	267	9	249	263
100	12	15	127	2	136	6	127	134
93	30	28	151	5	164	8	148	160
139	7	33	179	10	199	9	176	195
131	28	22	181	1	191	8	177	187
272	85	89	446	16	474	10	453	477
221	12	64	297	6	312	9	311	327
242	42	56	340	10	358	9	329	343
98	31	29	158	7	173	6	148	159
125	44	34	203	6	217	7	209	220
176	33	48	257	22	285	7	252	279
111	29	15	155	2	166	9	155	165
191	57	31	279	6	295	10	288	302
121	27	28	176	2	185	7	187	195
128	15	45	188	5	201	8	186	199
77	28	27	132	3	145	9	126	138
108	30	27	165	5	178	6	167	180
255	58	86	399	15	426	12	404	432
187	18	28	233	15	258	10	239	261
173	31	52	256	10	274	8	257	274
323	52	157	532	19	568	16	539	580
253	36	55	344	10	366	12	345	368
108	26	29	163	8	179	8	164	179
170	27	24	221	7	238	10	227	242
271	90	71	432	9	449	7	437	453
142	11	23	176	1	183	7	179	188
87	8	33	128	3	139	9	128	138
98	22	36	156	13	177	9	151	171
163	4	49	216	3	227	10	222	234
210	31	63	304	11	327	11	303	326
119	36	18	173	4	187	10	168	182
152	60	38	250	4	264	11	236	252
149	9	45	203	7	217	6	203	216
18	0	0	18	0	19	2	18	20
233	60	74	367	14	396	13	371	399
129	22	42	193	10	212	8	195	213
108	21	11	140	2	149	7	142	150
148	22	28	198	4	209	7	193	205
186	20	37	243	8	260	10	245	263
85	29	17	131	4	142	8	134	145
206	47	45	298	12	322	12	294	315
4,717	990	1,250	6,957	215	7,443	265	7,009	7,473
2,099	319	527	2,945	109	3,166	111	2,936	3,151
6,816	1,309	1,777	9,902	324	10,609	376	9,945	10,624

2. Dignitaries holding more than one dignity are included only in the higher ranking dignity.
3. Column 10 includes Team Vicars, Priests-in-Charge and Curates-in-Charge of Conventional Districts.

FULL-TIME DIOCESAN WOMEN DEACONS 1988

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

Compiled from information supplied by the Church Commissioners

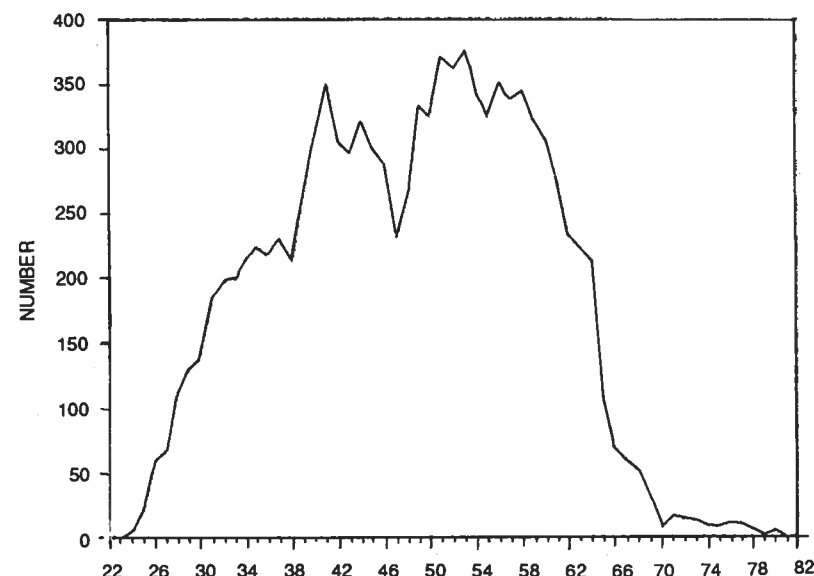
TABLE 19

Ref. No.	Diocese	Cathedral clergy	Parochial clergy				Non-parochial clergy	TOTAL diocesan women deacons
			Team ministers	Deacons in charge	Assistant curates, parish deacons	TOTAL parochial clergy		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Bath and Wells	0	0	0	4	4	0	4
2	Birmingham	0	0	0	10	10	1	11
3	Blackburn	0	0	0	2	2	0	2
4	Bradford	1	1	0	6	7	0	8
5	Bristol	0	1	1	13	15	4	19
6	Canterbury	0	0	0	9	9	1	10
7	Carlisle	0	0	0	4	4	0	4
8	Chelmsford	0	0	0	18	18	0	18
9	Chester	0	0	0	9	9	0	9
10	Chichester	0	0	0	5	5	0	5
11	Coventry	0	1	0	7	8	2	10
12	Derby	0	0	0	12	12	2	14
13	Durham	0	0	0	15	15	2	17
14	Ely	0	0	0	5	5	0	5
15	Exeter	0	0	0	4	4	0	4
16	Gloucester	0	0	0	7	7	0	7
17	Guildford	0	0	0	12	12	0	12
18	Hereford	0	1	0	3	4	0	4
19	Leicester	0	0	0	11	11	1	12
20	Lichfield	0	0	2	22	24	0	24
21	Lincoln	0	0	3	9	12	3	15
22	Liverpool	0	1	0	21	22	1	23
23	London	0	0	0	46	46	3	49
24	Manchester	0	0	0	11	11	1	12
25	Newcastle	0	1	0	2	3	0	3
26	Norwich	0	0	0	6	6	1	7
27	Oxford	0	0	0	20	20	3	23
28	Peterborough	0	0	0	9	9	0	9
29	Portsmouth	0	0	0	6	6	1	7
30	Ripon	0	1	0	10	11	3	14
31	Rochester	0	0	0	11	11	2	13
32	St. Albans	0	0	0	16	16	1	17
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	0	0	0	7	7	1	8
34	Salisbury	0	0	0	6	6	1	7
35	Sheffield	0	2	0	11	13	0	13
36	Sodor & Man	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	Southwark	0	0	0	28	28	3	31
38	Southwell	0	0	1	6	7	2	9
39	Truro	0	0	0	1	1	1	2
40	Wakefield	1	0	1	6	7	1	9
41	Winchester	0	0	0	3	3	2	5
42	Worcester	0	0	1	8	9	2	11
43	York	0	0	0	14	14	3	17
Totals Province of Canterbury		0	3	7	318	328	35	363
Totals Province of York		2	6	2	117	125	13	140
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		2	9	9	435	453	48	503

AGE PROFILES OF THE CLERGY 1988

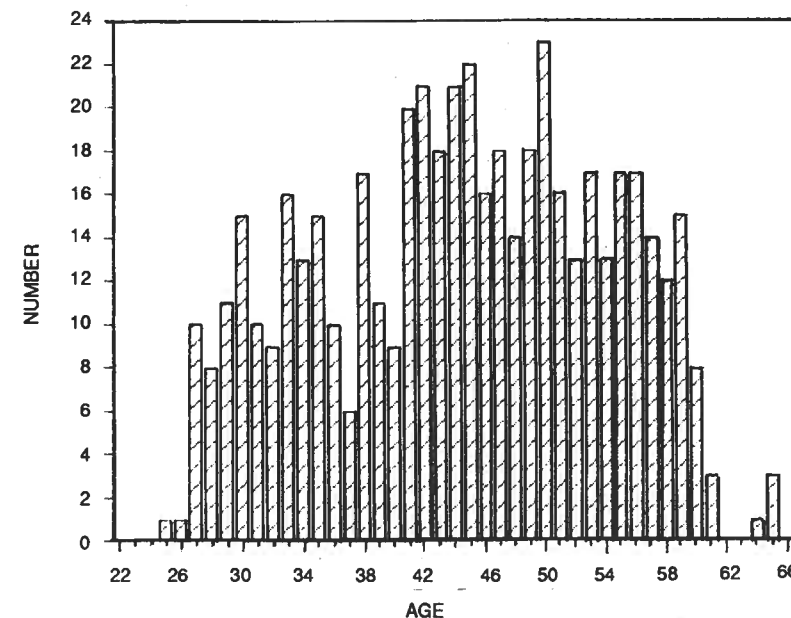
Numbers of full-time stipendiary clergy at each age on 31st December

Diagram 2A : Men



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Diagram 2B : Women



AGE

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**AGE STRUCTURE OF FULL-
as at 31st
Provinces of Canterbury
Compiled from information supplied**

TABLE 20

Age	Dignitaries (including beneficed)					
	Suffragan and Assistant Arch-Bishops			Cathedrals		TOTAL DIGNITARIES
	Diocesan Bishops	Assistant Bishops	Arch-deacons	Deans and Provosts	Other Clergy	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Under 25	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-29	0	0	0	0	1	1
30-34	0	0	0	0	5	5
35-39	0	0	0	0	5	5
40-44	0	0	1	0	15	16
45-49	1	7	7	3	14	32
50-54	9	14	31	6	30	90
55-59	14	18	37	17	26	112
60-64	9	23	23	13	23	91
Total under 65	33	62	99	39	119	352
65-69	5	7	7	1	7	27
70-74	1	0	0	0	1	2
75-79	0	0	0	0	1	1
80-85	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals 65 and over	6	7	7	1	9	30
Not known	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS, ALL AGES	39	69	106	40	128	382
Average age, years	59.6	58.2	57.2	58.0	53.0	56.3

Notes : 1. Column 8 includes Incumbents, Team Vicars, Priests-in-charge and Curates-in-charge of Conventional Districts.
2. Column 12 includes Industrial, University, Polytechnic and other Chaplains.

**TIME DIOCESAN CLERGYMEN
December 1988
and York (Excluding Europe)
by the Church Commissioners**

Parochial Clergymen			Non-parochial clergymen			TOTAL Diocesan Clergymen
Incumbents and incumbent status (excluding dignitaries)	Assistant curates	TOTAL Parochial Clergymen	Diocesan appointments	Industrial, University and other Chaplains	TOTAL Non-Parochial Clergymen	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
0	6	6	0	0	0	6
15	371	386	2	5	7	394
368	524	892	14	25	39	936
780	329	1,109	10	27	37	1,151
1,295	222	1,517	35	15	50	1,583
1,204	113	1,317	39	27	66	1,415
1,541	94	1,635	30	19	49	1,774
1,463	65	1,528	19	18	37	1,677
1,083	42	1,125	20	18	38	1,254
7,749	1,766	9,515	169	154	323	10,190
279	10	289	1	1	2	318
54	1	55	0	0	0	57
36	0	36	0	0	0	37
7	0	7	0	0	0	7
376	11	387	1	1	2	419
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8,125	1,777	9,902	170	155	325	10,609
50.8	37.5	48.4	48.3	45.7	48.0	48.7

**AGE STRUCTURE OF FULL-
as at 31st
Provinces of Canterbury
Compiled from information supplied**

TABLE 21

Age	Cathedral Clergy	Parochial	
		Team Ministers	Deacons in charge
1	2	3	4
Under 25	0	0	0
25-29	0	0	0
30-34	0	0	0
35-39	1	0	0
40-44	0	3	3
45-49	1	2	0
50-54	0	1	4
55-59	0	3	1
Total under 60	2	9	8
60-64	0	0	1
65-69	0	0	0
Totals 60 and over	0	0	1
Not known	0	0	0
TOTALS, ALL AGES	2	9	9
Average age, years	41.5	49.5	51.2

Note : Column 7 includes Industrial, University, Polytechnic and other Chaplains.

**TIME WOMEN DEACONS
December 1988
and York (Excluding Europe)
by the Church Commissioners**

clergy		Non-parochial clergy	TOTAL diocesan women deacons
Assistant curates, Parish deacons	TOTAL parochial clergy		
5	6	7	8
0	0	0	0
30	0	1	31
54	0	9	63
52	0	6	59
76	0	7	89
75	0	10	88
72	0	5	82
65	0	6	75
424	0	44	487
8	0	3	12
3	0	1	4
11	0	4	16
0	0	0	0
435	0	48	503
44.9	45.1	45.3	45.1

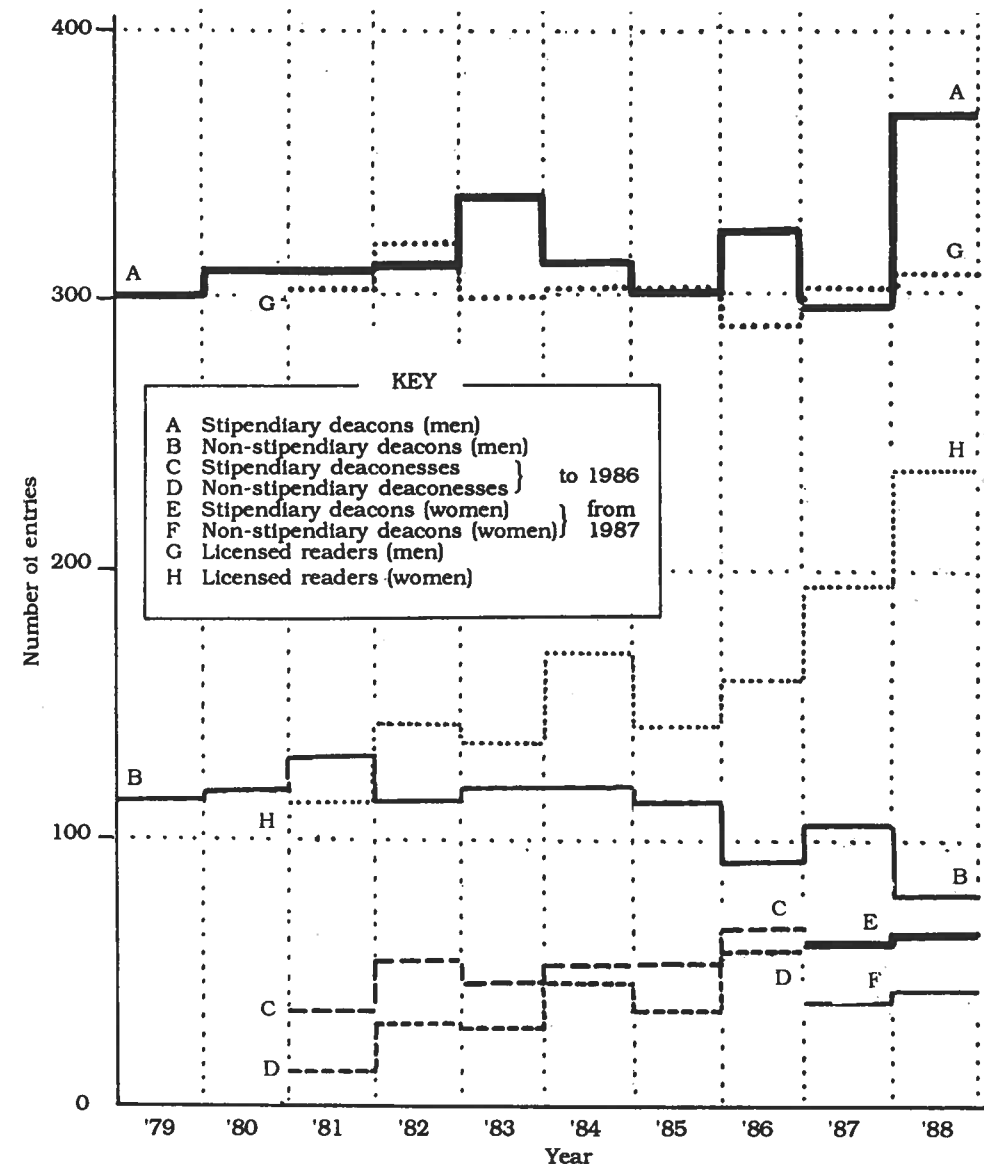
Diagram 3

ENTRIES TO THE MINISTRY

Ordinations of deacons and licensing of deaconesses and lay readers 1979-1988

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

From figures provided by the Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry and Diocesan Readers' Boards



Note : figures for categories C to D and G to H are not available for years before 1981.

LAY MEMBERS OF RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES 1988

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

Compiled from information supplied by Superiors of Religious Communities

LICENSED READERS 1988

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

Compiled from information supplied by Diocesan Readers' Boards

TABLE 22

Numbers at end of year			Ref. No.	Diocese	Admissions during year		Number on active list at end of year		Number in training at end of year	
Men	Women	TOTALS			Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0	20	20	1	Bath and Wells	10	6	175	40	36	28
5	18	23	2	Birmingham	9	9	145	48	5	9
2	4	6	3	Blackburn	9	4	140	28	22	12
1	2	3	4	Bradford	4	6	72	20	18	14
0	18	18	5	Bristol	3	5	93	30	17	10
0	12	12	6	Canterbury	10	7	108	49	20	16
0	5	5	7	Carlisle	6	5	95	39	10	7
6	5	11	8	Chelmsford	9	12	194	46	16	9
0	6	6	9	Chester	7	5	263	56	62	27
3	61	64	10	Chichester	8	2	223	47	29	18
0	0	0	11	Coventry	5	4	122	30	18	6
0	12	12	12	Derby	11	4	141	55	17	9
2	4	6	13	Durham	4	4	103	26	22	5
1	0	1	14	Ely	3	3	83	23	18	10
2	35	37	15	Exeter	2	1	132	25	27	18
0	14	14	16	Gloucester	7	5	121	31	21	13
0	53	53	17	Guildford	8	7	110	25	25	18
0	0	0	18	Hereford	1	1	45	13	6	4
0	3	3	19	Leicester	5	4	119	29	5	6
5	7	12	20	Lichfield	25	17	351	88	46	19
2	0	2	21	Lincoln	7	0	88	17	18	19
6	1	7	22	Liverpool	11	15	184	64	53	23
7	87	94	23	London	8	5	136	30	27	24
3	0	3	24	Manchester	10	5	202	37	48	23
10	3	13	25	Newcastle	4	7	74	26	5	9
0	37	37	26	Norwich	9	8	186	60	21	25
12	285	297	27	Oxford	15	10	182	58	31	40
0	3	3	28	Peterborough	5	1	71	15	18	5
0	9	9	29	Portsmouth	7	6	44	21	6	8
0	0	0	30	Ripon	1	0	69	18	23	16
2	34	36	31	Rochester	7	4	184	44	28	22
0	15	15	32	St. Albans	6	6	184	36	29	21
0	0	0	33	St. Edms & Ipswich	4	5	169	46	37	31
14	20	34	34	Salisbury	15	3	114	24	26	9
0	0	0	35	Sheffield	5	6	82	16	48	18
0	0	0	36	Sodor & Man	2	0	18	0	2	1
2	38	40	37	Southwark	11	14	289	96	22	15
0	20	20	38	Southwell	15	8	188	56	37	20
0	9	9	39	Truro	2	4	70	7	8	7
9	17	26	40	Wakefield	6	10	114	40	24	18
13	15	28	41	Winchester	6	6	133	42	11	6
7	38	45	42	Worcester	3	1	94	15	8	3
1	66	67	43	York	5	4	154	49	43	24
81	848	929	Totals Province of Canterbury		221	160	4106	1090	596	428
34	128	162	Totals Province of York		89	79	1758	475	417	217
115	976	1,091	Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		310	239	5864	1565	1013	645
Comparable figures for 1987 :-										
87	865	952	Province of Canterbury		204	144	4099	981	784	500
27	135	162	Province of York		100	51	1778	418	426	221
114	1,000	1,114	CHURCH OF ENGLAND		304	195	5877	1399	1210	721

NOTES :

(Table 22) 1. In addition to the lay members in Column 1, there were 134 clergy members of religious communities at the end of 1988. The comparable figure for 1987 was 132.
2. Column 2 includes nuns, sisters, oblates, novices and postulants. The figures for some dioceses include those who are members of communities located in those dioceses, but who are working in various undesignated dioceses in the two Provinces.

(Table 23) 1. This table includes officials of Societies who are licensed as Readers, or having permission to officiate as Readers, but excludes Church Army Captains and Sisters. Readers who assist occasionally in the diocese, e.g. those who have left the active list, are also excluded.
2. Figures for those on the active list at end of year (Cols. 8-9) include admissions during year (Cols. 6-7).

MALE DEACONS ORDAINED IN THE DIOCESES, 1986-1988

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

Compiled from information supplied by the Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry

TABLE 24

Ref. No.	Diocese	Numbers of stipendiary and non-stipendiary deacons ordained in the years :-					
		1986		1987		1988	
		Stip-	*Non-Stip-	Stip-	*Non-Stip-	Stip-	*Non-Stip-
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bath and Wells	5	3	7	1	8	1
2	Birmingham	10	2	7	1	8	0
3	Blackburn	10	1	9	0	14	2
4	Bradford	4	0	2	0	5	1
5	Bristol	5	1	5	5	7	1
6	Canterbury	5	3	5	1	7	1
7	Carlisle	4	1	3	2	8	2
8	Chelmsford	13	3	11	0	14	3
9	Chester	13	3	12	4	14	2
10	Chichester	10	4	8	8	11	2
11	Coventry	7	0	5	0	8	1
12	Derby	9	5	7	2	4	3
13	Durham	10	0	8	0	14	2
14	Ely	3	0	3	4	5	1
15	Exeter	7	1	9	3	7	1
16	Gloucester	6	3	7	6	6	3
17	Guildford	5	0	6	2	9	1
18	Hereford	9	4	3	2	8	2
19	Leicester	6	3	6	6	6	2
20	Lichfield	16	0	11	0	15	0
21	Lincoln	4	4	10	1	4	1
22	Liverpool	10	4	10	1	14	0
23	London	19	5	25	3	22	5
24	Manchester	12	0	9	1	13	2
25	Newcastle	4	1	5	0	7	0
26	Norwich	5	1	5	1	4	2
27	Oxford	15	8	12	11	12	6
28	Peterborough	5	1	5	1	5	0
29	Portsmouth	5	2	6	3	8	0
30	Ripon	6	0	6	1	6	1
31	Rochester	9	3	9	2	11	5
32	St. Albans	9	4	9	5	7	3
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	5	1	4	2	5	0
34	Salisbury	5	4	6	1	8	3
35	Sheffield	9	1	7	0	9	0
36	Sodor & Man	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	Southwark	14	3	13	10	15	9
38	Southwell	7	1	5	3	7	3
39	Truro	1	1	2	2	2	1
40	Wakefield	5	0	3	2	9	3
41	Winchester	7	1	3	2	7	1
42	Worcester	4	2	3	2	7	1
43	York	9	4	8	2	13	1
Totals Province of Canterbury		223	72	212	87	240	59
Totals Province of York		103	16	87	16	133	19
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		326	88	299	103	373	78

* Including Local Non-Stipendiary

DEACONESSES LICENSED IN THE DIOCESES, 1986 WOMEN DEACONS ORDAINED IN THE DIOCESES, 1987-1988

Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

Compiled from information supplied by the Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry

TABLE 25

Ref. No.	Diocese	Numbers of stipendiary and non-stipendiary :					
		Deaconesses licensed in : 1986		Women Deacons ordained in:			
		Stip-	Non-Stip-	1987		1988	
1	2	3	4	Stip-	Non-Stip-	Stip-	Non-Stip-
1	Bath and Wells	1	1	1	0	2	0
2	Birmingham	2	0	4	0	1	0
3	Blackburn	0	0	0	0	0	1
4	Bradford	2	1	2	1	0	1
5	Bristol	2	1	2	0	4	2
6	Canterbury	2	0	1	2	1	0
7	Carlisle	0	2	0	1	0	0
8	Chelmsford	2	3	1	3	2	3
9	Chester	2	1	3	0	1	0
10	Chichester	3	2	0	1	0	0
11	Coventry	0	2	3	2	1	2
12	Derby	0	0	1	1	2	1
13	Durham	2	3	3	1	2	1
14	Ely	2	0	0	1	2	0
15	Exeter	0	1	1	1	1	3
16	Gloucester	3	0	2	0	0	2
17	Guildford	1	0	1	0	2	0
18	Hereford	1	0	0	1	1	1
19	Leicester	1	2	2	1	3	1
20	Lichfield	2	1	3	1	3	2
21	Lincoln	2	5	0	0	3	2
22	Liverpool	3	0	0	0	2	0
23	London	7	2	5	0	8	1
24	Manchester	2	2	3	0	1	0
25	Newcastle	0	1	3	0	1	0
26	Norwich	0	1	1	0	1	2
27	Oxford	2	3	3	3	3	1
28	Peterborough	1	0	3	0	1	0
29	Portsmouth	2	2	0	2	3	1
30	Ripon	1	1	0	1	2	0
31	Rochester	3	2	2	2	0	2
32	St. Albans	2	8	1	5	3	2
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	1	1	0	0	2	2
34	Salisbury	0	3	1	0	1	2
35	Sheffield	1	1	1	0	0	0
36	Sodor & Man	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	Southwark	6	0	3	2	5	2
38	Southwell	2	3	1	0	0	0
39	Truro	1	0	2	2	0	1
40	Wakefield	1	0	1	1	1	2
41	Winchester	1	0	0	2	0	2
42	Worcester	0	1	1	0	2	3
43	York	3	0	3	2	0	0
Totals Province of Canterbury		50	41	44	32	57	40
Totals Province of York		19	15	20	7	10	5
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		69	56	64	39	67	45

* Including Local Non-Stipendiary

CANDIDATES AT THEOLOGICAL COLLEGES AND ON COURSES, 1987-88
Provinces of Canterbury and York
 Compiled from information supplied by the Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry

TABLE 26

	1987				1988			
	Ordination Candidates		L.M.* candi- dates	TOTALS	Ordination Candidates		L.M.* candi- dates	TOTALS
	Men	Women	Men		Women			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
(a) Colleges								
Queen's	26	4		30	20	6	1	27
Trinity	63 (1)	18 (1)	1	82 (2)	62 (2)	21 (1)	2	85 (3)
Ridley Hall	50 (1)	8		58 (1)	47	11 (1)		58 (1)
Westcott House	33	12		45	32 (1)	14 (2)		46 (3)
Chichester	51 (1)	1		52 (1)	37	3		40
Ripon	54	18 (1)		72 (1)	47 (1)	20 (1)		67 (2)
Cranmer Hall	60	16		76	55 (1)	19		74 (1)
Lincoln	58	8		66	49	8		57
Oak Hill	69	6 (1)		75 (1)	60	6 (2)		66 (2)
Mirfield	31 (1)			31 (1)	28			28
St. John's	95	9	1	105	82	14 (1)	1	97 (1)
St. Stephen's House	43 (1)	5		48 (1)	38 (1)	3		41 (1)
Wycliffe Hall	59	9		68	57	10 (1)		67 (1)
Salisbury and Wells	61	8 (1)	1	70 (1)	49	5 (1)	1	55 (1)
Edinburgh	11	2		13	9	1		10
St. Michael's	1			1				
TOTAL AT COLLEGES	765 (5)	124 (4)	3	892 (9)	672 (6)	141 (10)	5	818 (16)
(b) Courses								
Bristol	4 (1)	2 (1)		6 (2)	3 (8)	2 (8)	(2)	5 (18)
Canterbury	1 (8)	1 (4)	(2)	2 (14)	1 (9)	2 (3)		3 (12)
Carlisle	3 (14)	1 (8)		4 (22)	2 (15)	(6)		2 (21)
East Anglian	3 (13)	8 (5)		11 (18)	2 (8)	6 (3)	(2)	8 (13)
East Midlands	3 (9)	4 (5)		3 (14)	2 (3)	(6)		2 (9)
Gloucester	1 (8)	4 (4)	1	5 (12)	4 (6)	4 (5)	1	9 (11)
North East	14 (20)	8 (11)		22 (31)	16 (17)	9 (8)		25 (25)
Northern	1 (12)	4 (9)		4 (21)	(9)	2 (9)	1	3 (18)
Oak Hill	1 (14)	(5)		1 (19)	(15)	(8)		(23)
Oxford	1 (1)	2 (1)		3 (2)	1 (1)	(1)		1 (2)
St. Albans	3 (28)	3 (18)	(2)	6 (48)	3 (35)	3 (24)	(3)	6 (62)
Southern	10 (24)	3 (13)	1 (1)	14 (38)	7 (22)	7 (11)	1 (1)	15 (34)
Southwark	1 (6)	2 (5)		3 (11)	(5)	1 (4)		1 (9)
South West	4 (6)	5 (10)	1	10 (16)	6 (13)	8 (11)	2	16 (24)
West Midlands	1 (4)	1		2 (4)	1 (3)	1 (1)		2 (4)
St. Deiniol's	74	5		79	81	6		87
Aston								
TOTAL ON COURSES	123 (177)	49 (100)	3 (5)	175 (282)	129 (169)	51 (108)	5 (8)	185 (285)
GRAND TOTALS	888 (182)	173 (104)	6 (5)	1067 (291)	801 (175)	192 (118)	10 (8)	1003 (301)

NOTE : 1. Unbracketed numbers are for candidates for the stipendiary ministry; bracketed numbers refer to the additional number of non-stipendiary and local non-stipendiary candidates.
 2. L.M.* : Lay Ministry

ORDINATION CANDIDATES
 Sponsored by the Dioceses

Selection Conferences and classification of candidates, 1984-1988
 Compiled from information supplied by the Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry

TABLE 27 Men

Conferences and classification		1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
1		2	3	4	5	6
Total no. of selection conferences		59 -	60 -	61 -	60 -	55 -
Total no. of candidates attending		688 -	692 -	727 -	698 -	554 -
Average number per conference		12 -	12 -	12 -	12 -	10 -
Classification of Candidates :						
Stipendiary Ministry	Recommended for training	87 -	103 -	118 -	79 -	73 -
	Conditionally recommended	219 -	244 -	245 -	241 -	179 -
	Total recommended/conditionally recommended	306 -	347 -	363 -	320 -	252 -
	Not recommended	199 -	164 -	194 -	236 -	182 -
	No decision	1 -	3 -	1 -	1 -	1 -
Total candidates Stipendiary Ministry		506 -	514 -	558 -	557 -	435 -
Non-Stipendiary Ministry	Recommended for training	9 (1)	5 -	11 -	8 -	4 -
	Conditionally recommended	83 (5)	78 (20)	73 (8)	65 (4)	46 (2)
	Total recommended/conditionally recommended	92 (6)	83 (20)	84 (8)	73 (4)	50 (2)
	Not recommended	88 (3)	91 (1)	85 (1)	66 (4)	69 (3)
	No decision	2 -	4 (2)		2 (1)	
Total candidates Non-Stipendiary Ministry		182 (9)	178 (23)	169 (9)	141 (9)	119 (5)
Totals, all candidates at selection conferences		688 (9)	692 (23)	727 (9)	698 (9)	554 (5)

NOTE : Figures in brackets are for candidates for the local non-stipendiary ministry. They are included in the preceding figure.

TABLE 28 Women

Conferences and classification		1987	1988
1		2	3
* Total no. of selection conferences		27	29 -
Total no. of candidates attending		225	259 -
Average number per conference		8	9 -
Classification of Candidates :			
Stipendiary Ministry	Recommended for training	41	35 -
	Conditionally recommended	36	45 -
	Total recommended/conditionally recommended	77	80 -
	Not recommended	60	63 -
	No decision	-	-
Total candidates Stipendiary Ministry		137	143 -
Non-Stipendiary Ministry	Recommended for training	15	12 (1)
	Conditionally recommended	34	39 (1)
	Total recommended/conditionally recommended	49	51 (2)
	Not recommended	39	65 (1)
	No decision	-	-
Total candidates Non-Stipendiary Ministry		88	116 (3)
Totals, all candidates at selection conferences		225	259 (3)

NOTE : 1. Figures in brackets are for candidates for the local non-stipendiary ministry. They are included in the preceding figure.

2. * These figures are included in Table 27 above.

1988 BISHOPS' SELECTION CONFERENCES :
Provinces of Canterbury
 Compiled from information supplied by the

TABLE 29 : Male Candidates for the ordained ministry

Ref. No.		Diocese	The number of sponsored MALE candidates who in 1988 were :-				TOTALS 1988	
			recommended or conditionally recommended		not recommended			
			SM	NSM	SM	NSM	SM	NSM
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1	Bath and Wells	5		5	1	10	1	
2	Birmingham	3		7		10		
3	Blackburn	8	3	1		9	3	
4	Bradford	3	1	2	1	5	2	
5	Bristol	7	7	6	2	13	9	
6	Canterbury	8	1	5	1	13	2	
7	Carlisle	5	2	2		7	2	
8	Chelmsford	6	3	9	5	15	8	
9	Chester	7		10	3	17	3	
10	Chichester	9	5	4	4	13	9	
11	Coventry	2	3	5		7	3	
12	Derby	5		3		8		
13	Durham	13	1	8	3	21	4	
14	Ely	8		6		14		
15	Exeter	4		3	1	7	1	
16	Gloucester	1		5	4	6	4	
17	Guildford	5	1	3	2	8	3	
18	Hereford	1		2	1	3	1	
19	Leicester	4		1	2	5	2	
20	Lichfield	14		3	1	17	1	
21	Lincoln	4	1	7	1	11	2	
22	Liverpool	12	1	4	1	16	2	
23	London	28	2	13	2	41	4	
24	Manchester	10	2	1	3	11	5	
25	Newcastle	1	1	2		3	1	
26	Norwich	4	1	3		7	1	
27	Oxford	7	3	3	7	10	10	
28	Peterborough	2	2	5		7	2	
29	Portsmouth	5	1	3	1	8	2	
30	Ripon	4		5		9		
31	Rochester	5		3	4	8	4	
32	St. Albans	5		4	2	9	2	
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	4		5	1	9	1	
34	Salisbury	7	1	4	3	11	4	
35	Sheffield	2				2		
36	Sodor & Man							
37	Southwark	13	4	8	5	21	9	
38	Southwell	3		4	4	7	4	
39	Truro	2		1	2	3	2	
40	Wakefield	4				4		
41	Winchester	5	3	6	1	11	4	
42	Worcester		1	5	1	5	2	
43	York	6		5		11		
Totals Province of Canterbury		173	39	137	54	311	93	
Totals Province of York		78	11	44	15	121	26	
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		251	50	181	69	432	119	

SM : Stipendiary Ministry NSM : Non-stipendiary (and Local Non-stipendiary) Ministry

NOTE : Additionally, one candidate had the result 'no decision'

RESULTS BY DIOCESE
and York (excluding Europe)
 Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry

TABLE 30 : Female Candidates for the ordained ministry

Ref. No.	Diocese	The number of sponsored FEMALE candidates who in 1988 were :-				TOTALS 1988	
		recommended or conditionally recommended		not recommended			
		SM	NSM	SM	NSM	SM	NSM
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bath and Wells	2	2	1		3	2
2	Birmingham	4		1	2	5	2
3	Blackburn	2	1		2	2	3
4	Bradford	1		3	1	4	1
5	Bristol	1	1		3	1	4
6	Canterbury	2	2	1	1	3	3
7	Carlisle		1	1	1	1	2
8	Chelmsford	5		2	3	7	3
9	Chester					1	
10	Chichester	1	4	1	1	1	5
11	Coventry	1	1	4	1	5	2
12	Derby	3	1	2		5	1
13	Durham	2		5	2	7	2
14	Ely	1	1	1	1	2	2
15	Exeter	2		1	1	3	1
16	Gloucester	4	1	6	3	10	4
17	Guildford	2	3	1	2	3	5
18	Hereford	2	3		2	2	5
19	Leicester	1	1	1		2	1
20	Lichfield	1	4	2	1	3	5
21	Lincoln		1	1	1	1	2
22	Liverpool	4				4	
23	London	8	3	7	5	15	8
24	Manchester	4	1	2	2	6	3
25	Newcastle	1				1	
26	Norwich		1				1
27	Oxford	3	4	3	2	6	6
28	Peterborough	1				1	
29	Portsmouth	2	1		1	2	2
30	Ripon	2		1		3	
31	Rochester	1	2	2	3	3	5
32	St. Albans	2		2	5	4	5
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	2		3	1	5	1
34	Salisbury		1	1	3	1	4
35	Sheffield		2				2
36	Sodor & Man						
37	Southwark	7	2	3	5	10	7
38	Southwell	6	2	2	3	8	5
39	Truro				3		3
40	Wakefield		1		1		2
41	Winchester			1	2	1	2
42	Worcester		2	1	1	1	3
43	York		2	1		1	2
Totals Province of Canterbury		57	41	48	53	105	94
Totals Province of York		23	10	15	12	38	22
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		80	51	63	65	143	116

SM : Stipendiary Ministry NSM : Non-stipendiary (and Local Non-stipendiary) Ministry

CONFIRMATIONS 1987-88
Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)
 From information supplied by the offices of the diocesan bishops

TABLE 31

Ref. No. Diocese	1987					1988				
	Services	Males	Females	Totals	Percentage increase (-decrease) over 1987	Services	Males	Females	Totals	Percentage increase (-decrease) over 1987
1 2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1 Bath and Wells	68	608	801	1,409	-22.4	77	659	952	1,611	14.3
2 Birmingham	94	533	864	1,397	-0.5	88	420	803	1,223	-12.5
3 Blackburn	167	1,183	1,758	2,941	1.7	164	1,199	1,735	2,934	-0.2
4 Bradford	37	274	497	771	-9.4	34	294	451	745	-3.4
5 Bristol	64	409	685	1,094	-2.0	65	378	580	958	-12.4
6 Canterbury	130	597	949	1,546	3.1	103	622	806	1,428	-7.6
7 Carlisle	102	402	600	1,002	-31.0	107	483	822	1,305	30.2
8 Chelmsford	143	840	1,502	2,342	-7.2	142	832	1,541	2,373	1.3
9 Chester	148	909	1,614	2,523	-5.0	134	845	1,400	2,245	-11.0
10 Chichester	160	1,026	1,329	2,355	2.2	153	923	1,068	1,991	-15.5
11 Coventry	53	380	617	997	-6.3	78	330	612	942	-5.5
12 Derby	74	416	758	1,174	-4.4	86	423	702	1,125	-4.2
13 Durham	60	623	1,125	1,748	-20.1	68	508	1,085	1,593	-8.9
14 Ely	41	277	451	728	-16.2	39	304	467	771	5.9
15 Exeter	113	724	1,044	1,768	-3.7	110	678	890	1,568	-11.3
16 Gloucester	88	488	690	1,178	-6.9	102	456	747	1,203	2.1
17 Guildford	83	735	867	1,602	-5.8	74	684	867	1,551	-3.2
18 Hereford	89	344	486	830	2.5	49	248	399	647	-22.0
19 Leicester	50	381	561	942	-9.1	52	290	535	825	-12.4
20 Lichfield	171	1,020	2,506	3,526	8.1	164	1,087	1,648	2,735	-22.4
21 Lincoln	104	413	799	1,212	-14.5	100	476	750	1,226	1.2
22 Liverpool	107	928	1,609	2,537	-16.2	95	916	1,471	2,387	-5.9
23 London	167	674	1,139	1,813	-34.0	261	1,016	1,458	2,474	36.5
24 Manchester	111	1,006	1,740	2,746	-16.1	106	870	1,505	2,375	-13.5
25 Newcastle	76	327	591	918	-7.1	72	270	535	805	-12.3
26 Norwich	85	347	611	958	-20.7	72	343	560	903	-5.7
27 Oxford	168	1,424	1,972	3,396	-2.7	207	1,523	1,920	3,443	1.4
28 Peterborough	33	501	709	1,210	10.2	31	496	657	1,153	-4.7
29 Portsmouth	60	322	585	907	-9.4	49	264	549	813	-10.4
30 Ripon	24	193	288	481	-51.3	67	337	574	911	89.4
31 Rochester	80	651	1,104	1,755	-2.1	75	543	1,077	1,620	-7.7
32 St. Albans	123	818	1,376	2,194	-0.5	118	791	1,402	2,193	0.0
33 St. Edms & Ipswich	83	390	607	997	4.9	64	334	471	805	-19.3
34 Salisbury	101	690	981	1,671	-11.2	97	746	1,142	1,888	13.0
35 Sheffield	86	370	747	1,117	-32.8	84	341	742	1,083	-3.0
36 Sodor & Man	20	45	72	117	-7.1	19	40	70	110	-6.0
37 Southwark	141	854	1,415	2,269	2.7	124	835	1,421	2,256	-0.6
38 Southwell	52	429	778	1,207	-9.6	51	450	805	1,255	4.0
39 Truro	63	313	288	601	2.2	70	324	345	669	11.3
40 Wakefield	112	487	856	1,343	-16.5	62	403	718	1,121	-16.5
41 Winchester	152	632	915	1,547	-12.9	123	670	1,007	1,677	8.4
42 Worcester	80	334	688	1,022	-21.8	83	439	586	1,025	0.3
43 York	168	723	1,239	1,962	-10.8	171	733	1,197	1,930	-1.6
Totals Prov. of Canterbury	2,894	17,141	27,299	44,440	-6.3	2,856	17,134	25,962	43,096	-3.0
Totals Prov. of York	1,270	7,899	13,514	21,413	-15.2	1,234	7,689	13,110	20,799	-2.9
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND	4,164	25,040	40,813	65,853	-9.4	4,090	24,823	39,072	63,895	-3.0

NOTES: 1. An age analysis of the confirmation candidates in 39 dioceses showed that, of the total numbers confirmed in those dioceses in 1988, 15.8 per cent males and 13.8 per cent females were under 12 years of age, 46.7 per cent males and 39.3 per cent females were between 12 and 15 years, 7.8 per cent males and 7.4 per cent females were between 16 and 19 years and 29.7 per cent males and 39.5 per cent females were 20 years of age and over.

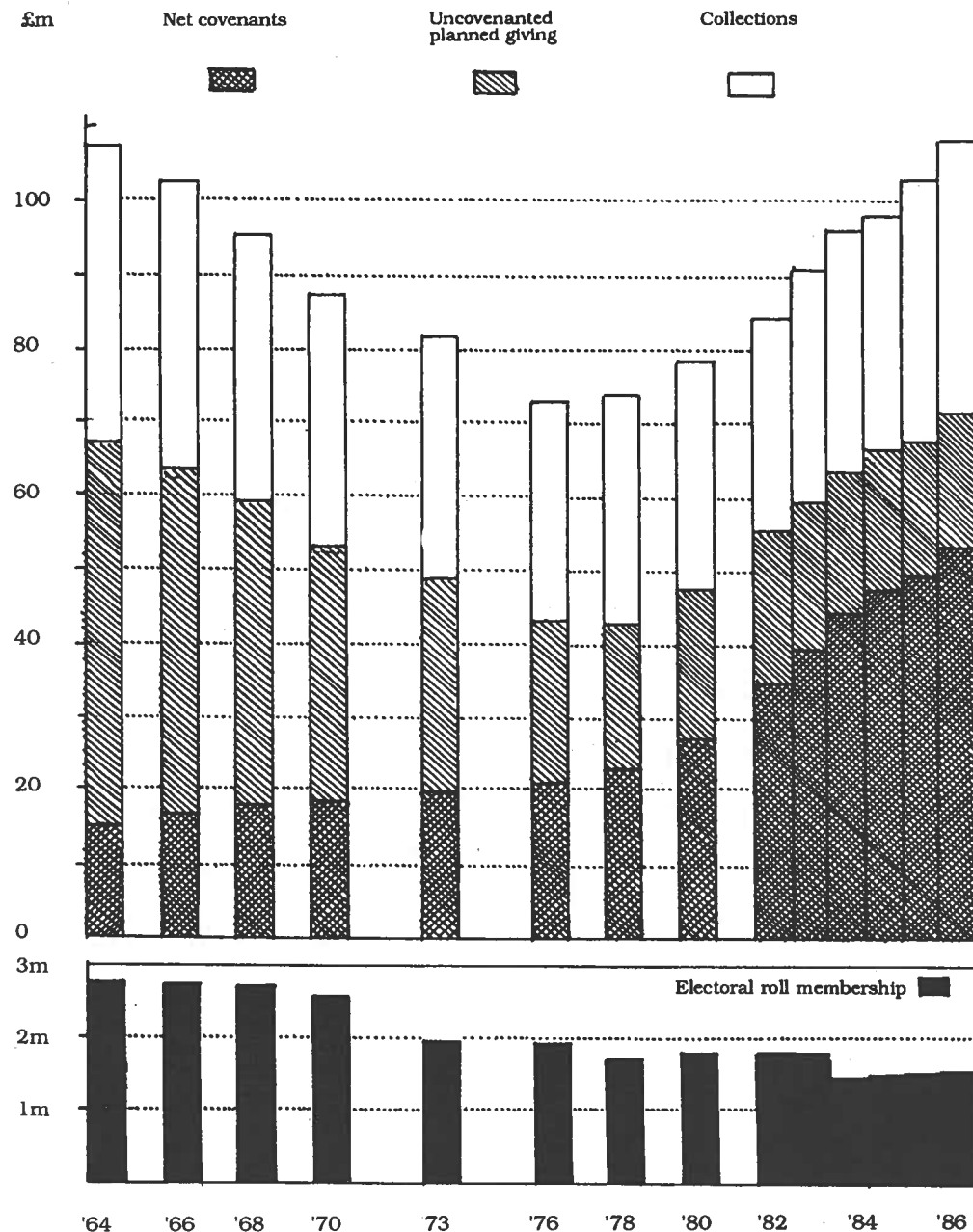
2. In 1988 38.8 per cent of all confirmation candidates were male and 61.2 per cent were female.

3. Confirmations in the Armed Forces are not included in the above figures.

Diagram 4

"FEWER GIVING MORE"
Direct Giving and Electoral Roll Membership 1964-1987
 Provinces of Canterbury and York (excluding Europe)

The cash amounts in the upper graph are adjusted to 1987 purchasing power



**PLANNED GIVING TO PAROCHIAL
Provinces of Canterbury**

TABLE 32

Ref. No.	Diocese	Covenanted 1987		
		Subscribers	Amounts (net)	Weekly average per subscriber
1	2	3	4	5
1	Bath and Wells	12,900	£ 1,262,000	£ 1.88
2	Birmingham	7,300	1,084,300	2.85
3	Blackburn	13,600	1,347,900	1.90
4	Bradford	5,000	682,400	2.61
5	Bristol	6,400	1,095,500	3.31
6	Canterbury	7,600	986,700	2.50
7	Carlisle	10,000	816,700	1.58
8	Chelmsford	15,000	2,221,200	2.86
9	Chester	12,200	1,622,200	2.56
10	Chichester	18,800	2,084,000	2.13
11	Coventry	7,100	853,000	2.30
12	Derby	6,800	810,600	2.31
13	Durham	7,400	883,100	2.30
14	Ely	4,600	514,100	2.16
15	Exeter	12,600	1,237,100	1.88
16	Gloucester	7,700	867,100	2.16
17	Guildford	13,000	2,088,600	3.10
18	Hereford	5,400	452,000	1.61
19	Leicester	6,100	788,500	2.50
20	Lichfield	17,700	2,071,200	2.25
21	Lincoln	7,000	636,400	1.76
22	Liverpool	9,900	1,437,000	2.78
23	London	17,900	3,529,900	3.80
24	Manchester	12,000	1,634,900	2.63
25	Newcastle	6,800	813,300	2.29
26	Norwich	7,600	772,500	1.96
27	Oxford	22,600	3,129,800	2.66
28	Peterborough	7,400	799,100	2.08
29	Portsmouth	5,000	626,700	2.42
30	Ripon	6,600	813,400	2.37
31	Rochester	11,000	1,628,800	2.84
32	St. Albans	12,700	2,041,000	3.09
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	8,300	798,400	1.85
34	Salisbury	13,600	1,329,700	1.88
35	Sheffield	5,400	954,500	3.41
36	Sodor & Man	100	16,200	2.95
37	Southwark	16,300	3,334,500	3.93
38	Southwell	13,000	1,487,400	2.21
39	Truro	4,000	362,900	1.73
40	Wakefield	6,600	853,300	2.47
41	Winchester	10,800	1,280,800	2.27
42	Worcester	5,700	694,200	2.34
43	York	9,500	1,112,900	2.25
Totals Province of Canterbury		298,800	39,380,700	2.53
Totals Province of York		118,100	14,475,300	2.36
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		416,900	53,856,000	2.48

NOTES :

1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.
2. Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 3.

**CHURCH COUNCILS, 1986-87
and York (excluding Europe)**

Non-covenanted 1987			TOTAL Planned Giving 1987	1986 Weekly average per subscriber		TOTAL Planned Giving 1986
Sub- scribers	Amounts	Weekly Average per subscriber		Net cove- nants	Non cove- nanted	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
8,800	£ 407,000	£ 0.89	£ 1,669,100	£ 1.70	£ 0.84	£ 1,495,300
6,700	387,200	1.12	1,471,400	2.57	1.00	1,364,500
16,700	668,200	0.77	2,016,100	1.61	0.76	1,826,400
5,800	247,100	0.82	929,500	2.47	0.94	881,100
5,000	358,300	1.37	1,453,800	2.84	1.04	1,307,800
5,600	312,400	1.08	1,299,100	2.19	1.12	1,207,200
8,800	308,200	0.68	1,125,000	1.38	0.63	1,065,900
10,900	723,000	1.28	2,944,200	2.52	1.18	2,645,200
14,300	792,700	1.07	2,414,900	2.35	1.00	2,163,000
8,200	501,900	1.17	2,585,900	1.89	1.15	2,269,600
4,700	232,600	0.95	1,085,600	2.13	0.82	1,003,400
7,600	351,700	0.88	1,162,300	2.07	0.83	1,013,900
17,800	625,300	0.68	1,508,400	1.96	0.56	1,423,300
4,400	203,600	0.89	717,700	1.87	0.81	630,300
9,100	458,800	0.97	1,696,000	1.50	0.86	1,475,800
6,500	298,700	0.89	1,165,900	1.77	0.99	1,065,500
5,000	368,600	1.43	2,457,200	2.59	1.45	2,129,000
2,600	113,100	0.83	565,100	1.39	0.54	539,400
5,400	263,100	0.93	1,051,600	2.25	0.87	933,300
14,700	635,700	0.83	2,706,800	1.97	0.78	2,460,200
8,400	298,300	0.68	934,700	1.55	0.60	869,200
14,300	533,700	0.72	1,970,700	2.48	0.78	1,823,300
10,100	978,000	1.85	4,507,900	3.31	1.79	4,124,900
22,000	884,300	0.77	2,519,200	2.41	0.75	2,352,700
8,500	366,400	0.83	1,179,700	1.99	0.78	1,097,500
6,300	277,300	0.85	1,049,800	1.83	0.72	884,100
11,500	727,500	1.21	3,857,300	2.39	1.04	3,453,900
6,700	344,200	0.99	1,143,300	1.80	0.80	1,099,600
4,200	237,600	1.10	864,300	2.11	1.06	780,600
5,600	270,800	0.93	1,084,200	2.20	0.90	1,056,500
5,800	342,700	1.14	1,971,400	2.49	0.89	1,714,600
9,500	640,900	1.29	2,681,900	2.73	1.15	2,435,700
4,500	203,700	0.87	1,002,100	1.70	0.81	906,700
7,000	329,400	0.91	1,659,100	1.68	0.84	1,459,500
7,700	390,500	0.98	1,345,000	3.10	0.89	1,235,900
700	42,300	1.22	58,600	1.89	1.14	54,000
10,200	837,800	1.58	4,172,300	3.50	1.49	3,829,500
5,500	271,400	0.95	1,758,800	1.84	0.90	1,510,000
3,900	181,800	0.91	544,800	1.61	0.93	511,600
7,800	354,500	0.87	1,207,900	2.24	0.77	1,055,700
7,200	399,300	1.07	1,680,100	1.86	0.96	1,550,500
5,000	159,900	0.62	854,100	1.92	0.83	808,100
9,900	427,400	0.83	1,540,300	2.08	0.74	1,450,300
205,400	11,574,000	1.08	50,954,800	2.22	1.00	45,968,900
145,500	6,183,000	0.82	20,658,300	2.10	0.77	18,995,400
350,800	17,757,000	0.97	71,613,000	2.19	0.90	64,964,300

DIRECT AND OTHER GIVING
Provinces of Canterbury

TO PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCILS 1986-87
and York (excluding Europe)

TABLE 33

Ref. No.	Diocese	1987					
		TOTAL Planned Giving	Collections, boxes	TOTAL Direct Giving	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member	Weekly average per church member	Income Tax on Covenants
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		£	£	£	£	£	£
1	Bath and Wells	1,669,100	1,079,800	2,748,900	1.00	1.48	478,100
2	Birmingham	1,471,400	561,400	2,032,900	1.88	2.16	414,300
3	Blackburn	2,016,100	851,300	2,867,400	0.86	1.40	508,800
4	Bradford	929,500	428,700	1,358,200	1.58	2.18	260,200
5	Bristol	1,453,800	617,300	2,071,100	1.70	2.12	403,800
6	Canterbury	1,299,100	681,800	1,981,000	1.59	1.98	379,400
7	Carlisle	1,125,000	588,300	1,713,300	0.97	1.57	313,500
8	Chelmsford	2,944,200	1,587,100	4,531,200	1.50	2.04	847,000
9	Chester	2,414,900	1,160,900	3,575,900	1.11	1.67	589,000
10	Chichester	2,585,900	1,523,000	4,108,900	1.11	1.62	779,700
11	Coventry	1,085,600	484,300	1,569,900	1.24	1.76	317,700
12	Derby	1,162,300	758,400	1,920,700	1.48	1.95	294,000
13	Durham	1,508,400	629,100	2,137,500	1.03	1.52	338,800
14	Ely	717,700	641,500	1,359,300	0.99	1.43	200,700
15	Exeter	1,696,000	1,119,400	2,815,400	1.29	1.70	480,700
16	Gloucester	1,165,900	751,200	1,917,000	1.19	1.66	340,400
17	Guildford	2,457,200	998,200	3,455,400	1.64	2.39	762,600
18	Hereford	565,100	499,100	1,064,200	0.88	1.46	170,000
19	Leicester	1,051,600	613,600	1,665,200	1.42	1.95	300,700
20	Lichfield	2,706,800	1,281,500	3,988,400	1.27	1.85	749,500
21	Lincoln	934,700	696,100	1,630,800	0.81	1.29	236,200
22	Liverpool	1,970,700	870,200	2,840,900	1.30	1.73	539,200
23	London	4,507,900	2,156,200	6,664,100	2.54	2.90	1,224,100
24	Manchester	2,519,200	886,800	3,406,000	1.39	1.95	647,700
25	Newcastle	1,179,700	369,800	1,549,500	1.46	1.93	299,700
26	Norwich	1,049,800	829,400	1,879,200	1.04	1.42	297,900
27	Oxford	3,857,300	2,036,900	5,894,200	1.72	2.28	1,168,500
28	Peterborough	1,143,300	557,200	1,700,500	1.40	1.83	308,900
29	Portsmouth	864,300	520,700	1,385,100	1.30	1.74	236,900
30	Ripon	1,084,200	522,400	1,606,600	1.06	1.64	300,600
31	Rochester	1,971,400	1,165,300	3,136,700	1.52	2.13	613,100
32	St. Albans	2,681,900	1,071,400	3,753,300	1.24	1.88	773,900
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	1,002,100	792,900	1,795,000	1.24	1.66	298,900
34	Salisbury	1,659,100	1,053,400	2,712,500	0.97	1.47	495,200
35	Sheffield	1,345,000	556,900	1,901,900	1.47	1.98	364,200
36	Sodor & Man	58,600	119,200	177,800	0.94	1.42	0
37	Southwark	4,172,300	1,159,900	5,332,200	2.00	2.70	1,272,400
38	Southwell	1,758,800	553,200	2,311,900	1.86	2.38	528,600
39	Truro	544,800	501,900	1,046,700	0.82	1.20	138,200
40	Wakefield	1,207,900	537,000	1,744,900	1.19	1.72	325,200
41	Winchester	1,680,100	1,109,000	2,789,100	1.10	1.57	494,800
42	Worcester	854,100	520,500	1,374,600	1.24	1.64	245,600
43	York	1,540,300	1,268,500	2,808,800	1.25	1.77	444,200
Totals Province of Canterbury		50,954,800	27,368,600	78,323,400	1.36	1.89	14,723,100
Totals Province of York		20,658,300	9,342,300	30,000,600	1.20	1.75	5,459,600
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		71,613,000	36,711,000	108,324,000	1.32	1.85	20,182,700

Other Voluntary Income *	TOTAL Voluntary Income	1986			
		TOTAL Direct Giving	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member	Weekly average per church member	TOTAL Voluntary Income
9	10	11	12	13	14
£	£	£	£	£	£
704,800	3,931,800	2,494,900	0.88	1.31	3,589,500
456,300	2,903,500	1,891,600	1.79	2.02	2,715,600
560,500	3,936,700	2,702,000	0.80	1.31	3,707,800
338,300	1,956,600	1,265,700	1.49	2.05	1,882,300
366,600	2,841,500	1,891,400	1.58	1.89	2,689,000
501,400	2,861,800	1,858,900	1.48	1.88	2,698,300
480,500	2,507,300	1,635,600	0.91	1.45	2,393,500
1,052,200	6,430,500	4,035,700	1.39	1.81	5,825,600
647,400	4,812,300	3,314,400	1.04	1.56	4,529,100
848,200	5,736,800	3,743,200	1.01	1.47	5,324,600
323,600	2,211,100	1,479,000	1.19	1.68	2,111,200
567,800	2,782,500	1,731,500	1.33	1.77	2,543,200
623,800	3,100,000	2,028,700	0.96	1.41	2,889,000
394,200	1,954,100	1,267,700	0.93	1.37	1,826,400
768,300	4,064,300	2,567,800	1.14	1.57	3,671,600
605,100	2,862,600	1,747,500	1.09	1.54	2,647,700
398,900	4,616,900	3,022,000	1.44	2.13	4,035,000
412,000	1,646,200	1,004,700	0.83	1.34	1,599,800
519,600	2,485,500	1,490,100	1.25	1.75	2,227,900
1,052,700	5,790,600	3,774,200	1.20	1.75	5,404,200
661,900	2,529,000	1,521,800	0.76	1.20	2,365,600
607,400	3,987,500	2,702,500	1.23	1.60	3,798,700
736,800	8,625,000	5,753,700	2.13	2.50	8,034,700
841,600	4,895,300	3,184,100	1.28	1.75	4,621,700
387,700	2,237,000	1,486,700	1.38	1.84	2,163,400
665,400	2,842,500	1,660,800	0.93	1.28	2,565,200
1,212,600	8,275,200	5,199,200	1.52	2.01	7,463,400
403,600	2,413,000	1,650,000	1.30	1.66	2,280,500
342,600	1,964,500	1,244,000	1.20	1.55	1,730,700
328,800	2,236,100	1,530,500	1.00	1.52	2,136,700
679,600	4,429,400	2,786,200	1.36	1.89	3,924,200
537,700	5,064,900	3,445,500	1.14	1.71	4,724,000
585,200	2,679,100	1,610,700	1.14	1.56	2,438,600
790,100	3,997,800	2,420,500	0.88	1.32	3,586,700
310,100	2,576,300	1,748,400	1.33	1.82	2,406,100
70,500	248,200	164,400	0.85	1.32	222,600
986,300	7,590,900	4,995,300	1.86	2.51	7,086,500
457,400	3,297,900	2,040,200	1.65	2.12	2,870,700
366,300	1,551,200	997,800	0.78	1.15	1,485,700
491,400	2,561,500	1,584,600	1.08	1.57	2,348,200
704,800	3,988,700	2,591,800	1.06	1.50	3,710,700
474,500	2,094,600	1,274,600	1.15	1.60	1,861,500
912,600	4,165,500	2,592,600	1.19	1.64	3,911,400
18,118,900	111,165,400	71,152,200	1.24	1.72	102,167,500
7,058,000	42,518,100	27,980,300	1.12	1.61	39,881,300
25,176,900	153,683,500	99,132,500	1.20	1.69	142,048,900

NOTES :

1. Figure for cathedrals are not included.
2. * Excluding appeals and donations for special purposes.
3. Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 3.

**ORDINARY INCOME OF PAROCHIAL
Provinces of Canterbury**

**CHURCH COUNCILS 1986-87
and York (excluding Europe)**

TABLE 34

Ref. No.	Diocese	1987			
		TOTAL Voluntary Income	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member	Weekly average per church member	Other Ordinary Income
1	2	3	4	5	6
		£	£	£	£
1	Bath and Wells	3,931,800	1.43	2.12	689,500
2	Birmingham	2,903,500	2.68	3.09	598,600
3	Blackburn	3,936,700	1.19	1.93	785,900
4	Bradford	1,956,600	2.27	3.14	247,100
5	Bristol	2,841,500	2.34	2.91	463,100
6	Canterbury	2,861,800	2.29	2.86	569,600
7	Carlisle	2,507,300	1.42	2.29	442,500
8	Chelmsford	6,430,500	2.13	2.90	992,500
9	Chester	4,812,300	1.49	2.25	846,300
10	Chichester	5,736,800	1.55	2.26	1,055,400
11	Coventry	2,211,100	1.75	2.48	490,200
12	Derby	2,782,500	2.14	2.82	505,000
13	Durham	3,100,000	1.49	2.20	475,400
14	Ely	1,954,100	1.42	2.05	412,000
15	Exeter	4,064,300	1.86	2.45	863,500
16	Gloucester	2,862,600	1.77	2.48	482,600
17	Guildford	4,616,900	2.20	3.20	591,800
18	Hereford	1,646,200	1.36	2.26	284,400
19	Leicester	2,485,500	2.11	2.91	412,500
20	Lichfield	5,790,600	1.85	2.68	1,113,000
21	Lincoln	2,529,000	1.26	2.00	659,300
22	Liverpool	3,987,500	1.82	2.43	667,300
23	London	8,625,000	3.28	3.76	1,608,000
24	Manchester	4,895,300	2.00	2.80	790,200
25	Newcastle	2,237,000	2.11	2.78	298,600
26	Norwich	2,842,500	1.57	2.15	612,200
27	Oxford	8,275,200	2.41	3.20	1,476,400
28	Peterborough	2,413,000	1.98	2.60	405,200
29	Portsmouth	1,964,500	1.84	2.47	324,900
30	Ripon	2,236,100	1.47	2.28	408,800
31	Rochester	4,429,400	2.15	3.00	876,900
32	St. Albans	5,064,900	1.67	2.53	663,700
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	2,679,100	1.85	2.47	438,900
34	Salisbury	3,997,800	1.43	2.16	743,600
35	Sheffield	2,576,300	1.99	2.68	406,400
36	Sodor & Man	248,200	1.32	1.98	78,600
37	Southwark	7,590,900	2.85	3.85	1,155,700
38	Southwell	3,297,900	2.65	3.39	459,500
39	Truro	1,551,200	1.22	1.77	299,000
40	Wakefield	2,561,500	1.75	2.52	459,800
41	Winchester	3,988,700	1.58	2.25	698,500
42	Worcester	2,094,600	1.89	2.50	470,500
43	York	4,165,500	1.86	2.62	779,200
Totals Province of Canterbury		111,165,400	1.94	2.68	19,956,500
Totals Province of York		42,518,100	1.71	2.48	7,145,500
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		153,683,500	1.87	2.62	27,102,000

1986			
TOTAL Voluntary Income	Weekly average per Electoral Roll member	Weekly average per church member	TOTAL Ordinary Income
8	9	10	11
£	£	£	£
3,589,500	1.27	1.88	4,209,200
2,715,600	2.57	2.90	3,281,500
3,707,800	1.10	1.80	4,482,700
1,882,300	2.21	3.05	2,165,000
2,689,000	2.24	2.69	3,088,800
2,698,300	2.15	2.73	3,148,700
2,393,500	1.33	2.13	2,779,400
5,825,600	2.01	2.62	6,709,500
4,529,100	1.43	2.13	5,328,000
5,324,600	1.44	2.09	6,362,300
2,111,200	1.69	2.40	2,564,600
2,543,200	1.95	2.60	2,964,100
2,889,000	1.37	2.01	3,397,100
1,826,400	1.33	1.97	2,298,600
3,671,600	1.63	2.24	4,447,800
2,647,700	1.65	2.33	3,140,200
4,035,000	1.93	2.84	4,562,000
1,599,800	1.32	2.13	1,881,800
2,227,900	1.88	2.62	2,584,200
5,404,200	1.72	2.51	6,411,900
2,365,600	1.18	1.86	2,943,400
3,798,700	1.73	2.25	4,426,500
8,034,700	2.97	3.49	9,493,800
4,621,700	1.85	2.53	5,366,800
2,163,400	2.01	2.67	2,413,200
2,565,200	1.44	1.98	3,084,300
7,463,400	2.18	2.88	8,681,000
2,280,500	1.79	2.29	2,649,500
1,730,700	1.67	2.15	2,049,200
2,136,700	1.40	2.13	2,493,100
3,924,200	1.92	2.67	4,738,600
4,724,000	1.56	2.35	5,346,600
2,438,600	1.73	2.37	2,889,900
3,586,700	1.30	1.95	4,264,400
2,406,100	1.83	2.50	2,770,000
222,600	1.15	1.79	298,600
7,086,500	2.64	3.56	8,311,200
2,870,700	2.32	2.99	3,222,400
1,485,700	1.16	1.72	1,758,600
2,348,200	1.60	2.32	2,796,100
3,710,700	1.51	2.15	4,293,700
1,861,500	1.69	2.34	2,239,500
3,911,400	1.79	2.47	4,700,600
102,167,500	1.78	2.47	120,399,000
39,891,300	1.60	2.30	46,639,400
142,048,900	1.73	2.42	167,038,500

NOTES:

1. Figure for cathedrals are not included.
2. Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 3.

**CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND TOTAL ORDINARY
Provinces of Canterbury**

TABLE 35

Ref. No.	Diocese	1987		
		Missionary societies	Christian relief organisations	Home missions, Church societies and organisations
1	2	3	4	5
		£	£	£
1	Bath and Wells	239,000	90,700	199,900
2	Birmingham	128,100	53,300	95,400
3	Blackburn	147,600	38,900	174,600
4	Bradford	101,300	29,300	65,800
5	Bristol	263,300	66,600	175,400
6	Canterbury	106,100	41,500	86,700
7	Carlisle	95,200	22,300	62,600
8	Chelmsford	215,600	104,000	265,100
9	Chester	200,700	54,000	218,200
10	Chichester	210,600	61,200	203,500
11	Coventry	78,400	31,000	71,000
12	Derby	88,800	30,300	62,000
13	Durham	113,200	31,700	86,000
14	Ely	82,800	36,900	124,900
15	Exeter	145,800	60,700	146,100
16	Gloucester	146,200	58,800	124,500
17	Guildford	344,200	112,300	214,000
18	Hereford	42,100	9,200	32,700
19	Leicester	66,600	28,600	79,300
20	Lichfield	230,200	87,000	185,800
21	Lincoln	53,100	23,700	94,700
22	Liverpool	191,000	43,600	151,300
23	London	413,200	245,500	379,700
24	Manchester	165,200	59,900	121,300
25	Newcastle	50,300	19,600	66,800
26	Norwich	84,000	34,900	83,000
27	Oxford	442,000	169,200	355,900
28	Peterborough	83,400	22,600	84,700
29	Portsmouth	81,600	45,800	73,300
30	Ripon	65,500	21,000	65,100
31	Rochester	274,200	114,900	314,800
32	St. Albans	312,700	118,700	284,800
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	58,600	28,000	87,700
34	Salisbury	145,400	71,400	122,300
35	Sheffield	142,300	70,800	86,000
36	Sodor & Man	5,300	2,500	6,200
37	Southwark	406,800	123,200	223,200
38	Southwell	115,900	35,600	85,000
39	Truro	38,800	19,300	34,400
40	Wakefield	89,000	41,300	98,100
41	Winchester	144,700	42,400	111,400
42	Worcester	47,500	16,100	72,000
43	York	134,900	53,900	141,200
Totals Province of Canterbury		4,973,900	1,947,800	4,387,700
Totals Province of York		1,617,400	524,200	1,428,200
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		6,591,300	2,472,000	5,815,900

NOTES :

- Figure for cathedrals are not included.
- Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 3.

**EXPENDITURE OF PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCILS 1986-87
and York (excluding Europe)**

Other charities	1987		1986	
	TOTAL charitable donations	TOTAL ordinary expenditure	TOTAL charitable donations	TOTAL ordinary expenditure
6	7	8	9	10
£	£	£	£	£
135,400	665,000	4,177,100	658,200	3,836,600
74,600	351,300	3,360,700	282,800	3,067,500
50,600	411,700	4,770,300	445,500	4,368,300
38,300	234,600	2,229,400	206,000	2,036,200
62,400	567,700	3,148,000	537,400	2,995,100
65,300	299,600	3,353,400	313,900	2,971,500
44,600	224,700	2,822,000	234,800	2,617,100
143,300	728,000	7,128,700	714,100	6,408,800
105,400	578,300	5,489,000	518,100	4,929,300
132,600	607,800	5,864,600	599,800	5,536,600
51,900	232,300	2,420,400	257,200	2,210,700
37,700	218,800	3,170,500	237,300	2,848,100
38,900	269,900	3,636,600	281,800	3,312,200
62,800	307,400	2,144,700	343,800	1,991,800
95,200	447,800	4,640,600	421,300	4,218,700
68,800	398,200	3,016,800	362,700	2,761,200
106,500	776,900	4,754,900	645,100	4,219,700
45,400	129,400	1,788,900	166,000	1,725,300
44,500	219,100	2,751,400	219,800	2,419,200
130,700	633,800	6,673,100	588,700	6,102,300
85,900	257,500	2,833,500	278,800	2,549,600
49,200	435,100	4,693,800	410,500	4,252,100
128,200	1,166,600	10,335,100	1,088,300	8,945,300
54,100	400,500	5,760,100	411,900	5,358,500
37,500	174,200	2,568,500	179,800	2,436,700
78,200	280,100	3,236,900	266,400	2,806,100
278,600	1,245,600	8,771,600	1,130,300	7,728,400
58,800	249,500	2,685,400	250,500	2,528,500
55,600	256,300	2,203,200	222,400	2,006,300
49,500	201,200	2,608,600	215,300	2,446,700
121,200	825,200	5,160,500	783,400	4,609,200
120,400	836,600	5,415,600	795,500	5,031,800
68,300	242,600	2,843,400	233,600	2,532,400
102,700	441,800	4,129,300	418,500	3,736,800
57,200	356,200	2,955,900	321,500	2,703,400
3,600	17,600	276,500	19,800	272,000
150,100	903,300	8,491,600	936,300	8,008,100
46,900	283,300	3,597,600	269,600	3,139,200
29,500	122,000	1,749,100	108,700	1,652,900
83,100	311,600	2,979,400	283,900	2,799,500
61,300	359,700	4,476,300	336,600	3,950,600
54,700	190,300	2,334,400	198,100	2,095,500
116,400	446,400	4,631,500	387,900	4,284,700
2,650,600	13,960,100	123,059,700	13,395,500	111,494,800
775,400	4,345,200	49,019,300	4,186,300	44,955,900
3,426,100	18,305,300	172,078,900	17,581,800	156,450,700

**MEMBERSHIP OF THE
Provinces of Canterbury**

TABLE 36

Ref. No.	Diocese	Communicants				Usual Aged under 16
		Easter (note 2)	Easter comm- unicants per 1000 population aged 15 & over	Christmas Day (note 3)	on a normal Sunday (note 4)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Bath and Wells	48,500	75	51,200	21,400	7,700
2	Birmingham	26,000	23	26,300	12,500	4,900
3	Blackburn	53,500	53	46,400	22,400	9,100
4	Bradford	17,000	34	16,600	7,500	2,800
5	Bristol	24,500	36	26,300	10,900	3,900
6	Canterbury	32,600	52	33,700	14,300	5,100
7	Carlisle	31,300	79	30,000	13,400	4,400
8	Chelmsford	56,300	27	60,100	25,600	9,700
9	Chester	54,200	42	56,900	22,300	10,100
10	Chichester	69,900	59	69,900	29,000	9,400
11	Coventry	23,300	38	26,200	10,200	3,700
12	Derby	27,000	35	27,400	12,200	4,400
13	Durham	40,300	34	34,500	18,800	5,800
14	Ely	23,900	52	24,800	11,100	3,700
15	Exeter	57,800	69	56,700	22,200	6,200
16	Gloucester	32,800	72	35,300	14,200	4,500
17	Guildford	35,900	49	43,900	15,900	5,600
18	Hereford	21,200	95	22,800	8,600	2,200
19	Leicester	23,000	34	24,600	10,500	3,300
20	Lichfield	60,900	36	64,100	26,500	8,900
21	Lincoln	30,700	43	32,800	15,000	5,300
22	Liverpool	45,900	36	40,700	19,200	8,400
23	London	59,800	22	60,400	30,000	10,900
24	Manchester	50,100	32	43,300	24,000	8,400
25	Newcastle	23,600	37	21,900	11,600	2,800
26	Norwich	37,000	59	34,000	16,200	4,400
27	Oxford	77,100	49	93,800	35,000	12,600
28	Peterborough	27,900	49	30,000	12,800	4,200
29	Portsmouth	25,600	45	26,400	11,100	3,200
30	Ripon	26,600	42	27,300	12,400	3,600
31	Rochester	36,500	38	42,500	15,600	7,900
32	St. Albans	49,800	40	57,600	23,300	8,400
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	29,700	66	30,500	13,300	4,800
34	Salisbury	50,900	77	53,200	21,600	6,500
35	Sheffield	23,500	24	21,100	11,000	4,600
36	Sodor & Man	3,400	63	3,300	1,300	500
37	Southwark	52,300	28	60,200	26,100	9,600
38	Southwell	24,500	30	25,600	12,000	4,100
39	Truro	28,400	76	23,700	10,900	3,200
40	Wakefield	25,000	29	24,400	13,400	4,500
41	Winchester	48,100	59	53,500	20,300	7,700
42	Worcester	23,500	46	29,500	10,100	3,100
43	York	46,500	44	46,700	20,000	6,400
Totals Province of Canterbury		141,100	43	1,221,300	506,100	174,700
Totals Province of York		465,500	38	438,600	209,400	75,500
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		1,606,600	42	1,659,800	715,500	250,200

- NOTES :
1. Figures for cathedrals are included.
 2. Column 3 does not include Low Sunday.
 3. Column 5 includes communicants at midnight services Christmas Eve.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND 1987
and York (excluding Europe)**

Sunday attendances at all services (notes 4 & 5)			Baptisms			
Aged 16 and over	TOTAL	Total per 1000 population	Infants under one year of age	Infant baptism rates per 1000 live births	Children aged 1 to 12 years	All other persons
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
27,100	34,800	43	3,500	370	700	200
16,800	21,800	15	4,000	183	800	200
27,400	36,500	29	5,900	348	700	200
9,900	12,800	20	2,000	209	300	100
16,600	20,500	25	2,900	249	600	200
17,500	22,600	29	3,700	369	800	200
14,800	19,200	40	3,100	543	200	100
35,300	45,000	18	6,800	189	1,800	500
31,000	41,100	27	7,600	369	1,200	400
38,100	47,500	34	5,500	338	1,100	400
13,800	17,500	23	2,700	258	400	100
16,200	20,500	22	3,900	323	600	100
21,000	26,800	18	7,800	395	800	100
14,400	18,100	32	2,700	366	500	200
27,300	33,500	33	4,300	359	800	300
18,000	22,500	40	2,800	395	500	200
21,700	27,400	31	3,700	330	700	200
9,400	11,600	43	1,700	509	200	100
13,600	16,900	20	2,800	235	600	200
32,400	41,300	20	8,700	307	1,300	300
17,500	22,800	26	4,800	427	700	100
26,600	35,000	22	6,800	305	1,000	200
41,900	52,700	16	5,500	113	1,700	800
27,000	35,400	18	7,700	266	1,300	400
13,100	15,900	20	3,500	354	400	100
21,100	25,500	34	3,200	354	600	200
41,900	54,500	28	8,400	314	1,700	500
15,200	19,400	27	2,600	255	600	200
13,000	16,200	23	2,700	291	600	100
14,100	17,700	23	3,000	305	500	100
23,000	30,800	26	4,600	289	900	200
29,200	37,600	24	5,500	256	1,300	400
17,700	22,400	40	2,300	309	500	200
26,900	33,400	42	4,000	421	600	200
15,500	20,000	17	5,100	327	600	100
1,900	2,300	35	300	412	40	20
31,500	41,100	18	5,500	164	1,400	400
16,400	20,500	20	3,500	257	600	200
13,300	16,500	36	1,900	335	400	100
15,500	20,000	19	3,900	265	700	200
27,500	35,200	31	5,800	410	1,100	300
13,900	17,000	27	3,300	407	600	100
25,100	31,500	24	6,600	377	800	200
651,900	826,600	25	119,900	272	24,000	7,300
259,200	334,700	22	66,700	324	9,100	2,300
911,100	1,161,300	24	186,600	289	33,000	9,600

4. For statistical purposes a 'normal' Sunday or 'usual' Sunday attendance, excludes major Festivals and peak holiday times.
5. Young children are included in columns 7 and 9 if present in church for any part of a Sunday service.
6. The information in columns 3,5-9,11,13 and 14 was extracted from parish returns of membership, 1987. The information in columns 4,10 and 12 is based upon statistics obtained from the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys (OPCS).
7. Electoral Roll figures for 1987 can be found in Table 1.

MARRIAGES IN ENGLAND AND WALES 1977 — 1987

TABLE 37

Number of marriages solemnised				+ Marriages solemnised in Church of England and Church in Wales as a proportion per 1,000 marriages	
	+ Church of England & Church in Wales	with religious ceremonies	all marriages	with religious ceremonies	all marriages
1977	116,749	176,508	356,954	661	327
1978	119,970	182,019	368,258	659	326
1979	119,420	181,472	368,853	658	324
1980	123,400	186,627	370,022	661	333
1981	118,435	179,459	351,973	660	336
1982	116,978	177,077	342,166	661	342
1983	116,854	177,007	344,334	660	339
1984	117,506	178,680	349,186	658	337
1985	116,378	177,364	346,389	656	336
1986	117,804	179,669	347,924	656	339
1987	121,293	183,571	351,761	661	345

COMBINATIONS OF PREVIOUS MARITAL CONDITION, 1987

TABLE 38

Marital condition	+ Church of England & Church in Wales	with religious ceremonies	all marriages
All	121,293	183,571	351,761
Bachelor marrying :			
Spinster	114,035	155,412	226,308
Widow	535	804	1,830
* Divorced woman	1,280	6,473	30,612
Widower marrying :			
Spinster	499	830	1,687
Widow	1,357	2,239	4,841
* Divorced woman	145	787	4,168
* Divorced man marrying :			
Spinster	2,466	11,075	34,963
Widow	139	676	3,913
* Divorced woman	837	5,275	43,439

+ Separate figures for the Church of England only are not available.

* No record is kept of whether the previous partner is still alive.

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