

Based on October figures

No. %

## Appendix 3:How have congregation sizes changed?

Growing	23	62
Shrinking	12	32
Static	2	5

<b>Totals</b>								<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>11.3</b>
Parish-Team	Updated	Sort	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Average Gradient of growth per year								
								Growth	year							
Ovington (St Mary) (18.01j)	2005	1L	5	6	6	6	6	0.2	0.25							
Twinstead (St John the Evangelist) ( 18.011)	2004	1N	6	6	6	6	6	0.0	0							
Sturmer (St Mary) (18.11c)	2005	2D	7	6	7	9	6	0.1	-0.25							
Great& little Henny (St Mary) (18.011)	2004	1H	3	6	5	6	6	0.6	0.75							
Tilbury-juxta-Clare (St Margaret) ( IB.OBc)	2005	8E	7	8	8	6	6	-0.4	-0.25							
Middleton (All Saints) (18.011)	2005	1K	3	3	4	4	6	0.7	0.75							
Little Maplestead (St John the Baptist) ( 18.07b )	2004	7D	8	10	8	8	8	-0.2	0							
Ashen (St Augustine of Canterbury) (18.11 a)	2005	2B	10	5	7	8	8	-0.1	-0.5							
Foxearth (St Peter& St Paul) (18.01e)	2004	1G	10	8	10	8	8	-0.4	-0.5							
Gestingtorpe18.07,	2005	7B	12	12	10	12	9	-0.6	-0.75							
Belchamp Walter (St Mary) ( 18.01c)	2005	1E	9	9	9	10	10	0.3	0.25							
Belchamp Otten (18.01a)	2005	1C	9	10	14	14	10	0.6	0.25							
liston&Borley(18.01h)	2005	1J	9	9	10	10	10	0.3	0.25							
Stambourne (St Peter and St Thomas) (18.O8b)	2005	8D	11	11	12	8	10	-0.5	-0.25							
Wickham St Paul (18.01m)	2005	1O	12	8	10	10	11	0.0	-0.25							
Pebmarsh ( 18.07c)	2005	7E	15	12	12	12	13	-0.4	-0.5							
Little Yeldham (St John the Baptist) ( 18.O8a)	2005	8C	11	10	15	13	13	0.7	0.5							
White Colne(18.04e)	2005	4G	10	12	9	13	14	0.9	1							
Birdbrook(StAugustineofCant	2004	2C	15	17	17	15	14	-0.4	-0.25							
erbury)(18.11b)																
Alphamstone 18.01	2005	1B	7	14	16	16	15	1.8	2							
Toppesfield (St Margaret) (18.O8d)	2005	8F	13	13	16	14	15	0.5	0.5							
Ridgewell(18.11)	2005	2A	12	12	14	14	15	0.8	0.75							
Belchamp St Paul (StAndrew) (18.01b)	2005	1D	13	13	12	12	16	0.5	0.75							
Pentlow (18.01k)	2004	1M	11	16	18	16	16	1.0	1.25							
Helions Bumpstead (St Andrew) ( 18.13a)	2004	5B	14	18	17	16	16	0.2	0.5							
Great Maplestead (St Giles) ( 18.07a)	2004	7C	18	20	15	17	17	-0.5	-0.25							
Great Yeldham ( 18.08)	2004	8B	16	16	18	17	17	0.3	0.25							
Lamarsh (18.01g)	2004	1I	10	15	16	18	18	1.9	2							
Greenstead Green ( 18.04c)	2005	4E	19	22	23	25	23	1.1	1							
Colne Engaine (St Andrew) ( 18.04)	2004	4B	18	21	28	26	26	2.1	2							
Sible Hedingham ( 18.12)	2004	3A	40	45	36	36	29	-3.1	-2.75							
Bulmer (St Andrew) ( 18.01 d)	2004	1F	27	27	27	30	30	0.9	0.75							
Steeple Bumpstead (18.13) & Helions Bumpstead (18.13a)	2005	5A	23	30	30	30	32	1.8	2.25							
Castle Hedingham (St Nicholas) (18.12a)	2005	3B	45	42	41	48	44	0.4	-0.25							
Earls Colne (St Andrew) (18.04a)	2004	4C	41	42	56	49	49	2.3	2							
Gosfield (18.04b)	2005	4D	46	50	40	35	50	-0.7	1							
Halstead St Andrew w Holy Trinity ( 18.04d)	2005	4F	114	139	117	102	102	-6.1	-3							
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