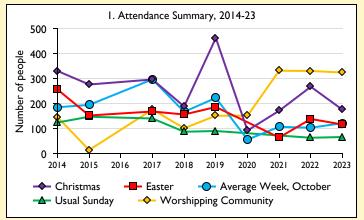
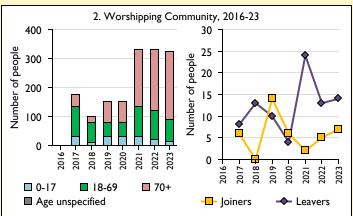
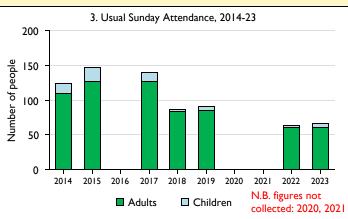
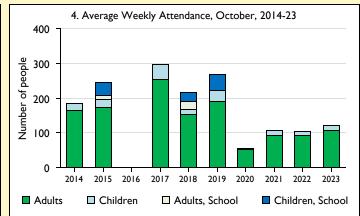
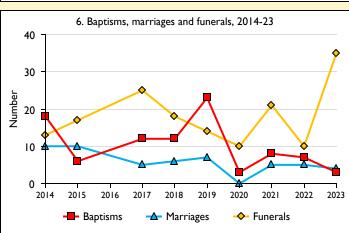
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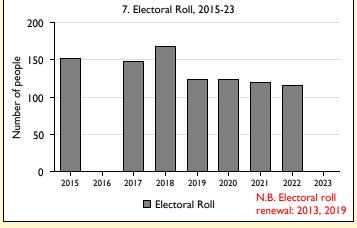












## Parish Census and deprivation summary Parish population (2021): 8900

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	Parish	Diocese	National
% aged 0-19	24%	24%	23%
% aged 20-44	29%	32%	33%
% aged 45-69	32%	31%	31%

% aged 70 & over 14% 46% % Christian 11% % non-Christian religion

Parish deprivation rank (IMD 2019): 10488

(I=most deprived parish in the Church of England, 12,239=least deprived)

For more detailed census & deprivation info: see http://arcg.is/1RaS4CS https://www.churchofengland.org/researchandstats and http://www2.cuf.org.uk/poverty-england/poverty-map

Number of churches in parish (2023): I

Parish Code: 280253 5. Percentage Children, 2014-23 0.25% 0.2% Percentage 0.1% 0.05% 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 — Usual Sunday (aged < 16)</p> Average Week, October, excluding school services (aged < 16)</li> ──── Worshipping community (aged < 18)</p>

This dashboard contains figures as submitted by churches currently in the parish Attendance statistics: taken from annual Statistics for Mission returns.

Average weekly attendance: attendance at Sunday and midweek church services & fresh expressions in October; Figs I & 5 do not include attendance at services for schools.

Easter: Easter Eve & Easter Day; Christmas: Christmas Eve & Christmas Day. Baptisms: all baptisms & thanksgivings.

Marriages: marriages and services of prayer & dedication after civil marriages.

Funerals: those held in church & at crematoria/cemeteries.

Because of pandemic-related church closures, Easter figures were not collected in 2020.

Census data: taken from the 2021 national Census.

Deprivation statistics: IMD taken from the English Indices of Deprivation, published by the Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government, Sept 2019.

The above statistics have been mapped onto parish boundaries so are approximations.

For more information, see: https://www.churchofengland.org/researchandstats

Variations in attendance from year to year may be the result of changes in the number of churches that submitted returns, or changes in parish/benefice structure. Number of churches included in returns: 2014 1;2015 1;2017 1;2018 1;2019 1;2020 1;2021 1;2022 1;2023 1. Produced by Data Services, Church House, Great Smith Street, London SWIP 3AZ. Date of production: 15/11/2024.



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