STATISTICS FOR MISSION

Statistical information on Church/Circuit/District membership, attendance and associated data relates to the current Conference-approved Circuit/District structure. More information can be found at www.methodist.org.uk

Circuit Membership & Attendance Statistics Summary October 2024

District: 34 Bedfordshire, Essex and Hertfordshire

	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 1 North Bedfordshire										
Beeston	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Cardington	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Clapham	38	34	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	22
Greensand Community	92	93	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	55
Haynes	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Henlow	20	17	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	12
Kempston East	96	97	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	80
Kempston West	29	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Langford	21	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	15
Lidlington *	26	20	20	1	0	0	5	2	0	21
London Road	23	20	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	20
Oakley	29	26	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	18
Park Road	25	15	0	0	4	1	0	3	0	19
Priory	80	81	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	41
Putnoe Heights	58	54	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	28
Sandy	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Sharnbrook	21	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Shefford	51	44	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	25
Stewartby *	1	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	9
Trinity Biggleswade	47	42	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	32
Upper Caldecote	15	17	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	12

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Willington	25	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	22
Wootton	26	21	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	23
Circuit Total	**781**	**733**	**44**	**5**	**4**	**4**	**15**	**18**	**17**	**546**

34/1 North Bedfordshire

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	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 4 South Bedfordshire										
Aley Green	28	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	20
Barton	20	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12
Beech Hill	32	33	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	25
Eaton Bray	24	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Edlesborough	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Farley Hill	15	52	0	42	0	0	3	0	0	11
Gravenhurst	14	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10
Harlington	39	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	19
High Street	79	75	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	53
High Town	56	54	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	45
Kensworth	10	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	15
Oakdale	30	31	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	20
St John's	50	48	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	26
Strathmore Avenue	14	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10
The Square	98	100	0	5	1	1	0	2	3	50
Toddington	36	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Trinity Leighton Buzzard	120	107	0	0	0	0	4	2	7	0
Wigmore *	17	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
Circuit Total	**692**	**701**	**17**	**48**	**1**	**5**	**11**	**9**	**23**	**399**

34/4 South Bedfordshire

Circuit Membership & Attendance Statistics Summary October 2024

District: 34 Bedfordshire, Essex and Hertfordshire

	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 6 Colchester										
Castle Colchester	80	80	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	58
Highwoods	45	46	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	30
Lexden	21	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Mersea Island	15	20	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	18
The Well	32	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Wimpole Road	43	44	0	4	0	1	1	0	3	40
Wivenhoe	41	41	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	25
Circuit Total	**277**	**284**	**0**	**7**	**0**	**7**	**2**	**0**	**5**	**217**

34/6 Colchester

Circuit Membership & Attendance Statistics Summary October 2024

District: 34 Bedfordshire, Essex and Hertfordshire

	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 7 Tendring										
Brightlingsea *	16	16	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Dovercourt Central *	2	35	37	0	4	0	0	0	2	35
Emmanuel Walton *	9	11	15	3	0	0	0	0	1	13
Frinton on Sea	38	39	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	30
Great Bentley	18	18	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	16
Great Holland	21	22	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	18
Holland on Sea	31	36	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	24
Jaywick	20	31	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	25
Manningtree	47	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	28
Circuit Total	**202**	**252**	**68**	**11**	**4**	**14**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**201**

34/7 Tendring

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	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 9 Chelmsford										
Braintree *	34	34	91	0	0	0	0	0	0	45
Broomfield	28	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	27
Coggeshall *	18	18	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Halstead	20	23	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	20
Hatfield Peverel	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Maldon	30	36	0	3	5	0	0	1	1	37
Moulsham Lodge	65	63	0	0	0	4	0	2	4	35
South Woodham Ferrers	24	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
St Augustine's *	10	10	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
The Church in Great Notle *	47	47	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	53
Trinity	127	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	48
Witham	25	27	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	41
Circuit Total	**441**	**447**	**202**	**6**	**7**	**4**	**0**	**3**	**8**	**415**

34/9 Chelmsford

Circuit Membership & Attendance Statistics Summary October 2024

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	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 10 Southend and Leigh										
Belfairs	56	50	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	46
Benfleet	53	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	40
Canvey Island	33	29	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	24
Chalkwell Park	44	39	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	25
Hadleigh	33	30	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	22
Highlands	40	46	0	7	0	0	0	1	0	35
Hockley & Hawkwell	25	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	20
Rayleigh	64	64	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	50
Rochford	21	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
The Fishermen's Chapel	21	23	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	30
Thorpe Bay	22	23	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	25
Thundersley	22	14	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	12
Trinity	77	79	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	65
United Methodist Church	28	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
Wesley	56	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	55
Circuit Total	**595**	**575**	**0**	**16**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**23**	**11**	**506**

34/10 Southend and Leigh

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	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 11 South Essex										
Billericay	134	131	0	4	0	0	2	3	2	63
Christchurch Wickford *	53	48	48	0	0	0	1	0	4	38
Grays	43	43	0	1	0	4	0	2	3	20
Horndon-on-the-Hill	16	42	0	1	0	28	0	0	3	25
Langdon Hills	26	27	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	24
Linford	12	10	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	10
St Paul's	33	25	0	0	0	0	5	2	1	30
Trinity	73	72	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	44
Circuit Total	**390**	**398**	**48**	**6**	**0**	**34**	**9**	**8**	**16**	**254**

34/11 South Essex

Circuit Membership & Attendance Statistics Summary October 2024

District: 34 Bedfordshire, Essex and Hertfordshire

	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 12 Herts and Essex Border Circuit										
Bishops Stortford	130	112	0	0	0	0	5	8	15	60
Hertford	55	53	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	28
Hoddesdon	42	47	0	0	0	7	1	0	1	30
Leaside Church *	38	36	36	0	0	0	1	0	1	35
St Andrew's	88	83	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	55
Stansted Free Church *	17	20	31	0	0	3	0	0	0	20
Circuit Total	**370**	**351**	**67**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**8**	**11**	**19**	**228**

34/12 Herts and Essex Border Circuit

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District: 34 Bedfordshire, Essex and Hertfordshire

	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 13 St Albans and Welwyn										
Digswell Village Church	62	59	0	0	0	2	1	3	1	45
Hatfield Road	108	111	0	5	0	1	0	0	3	64
Ludwick Way	40	41	0	4	0	0	1	2	0	30
Marlborough Road	97	99	0	4	0	0	1	1	0	40
Oxlease	40	47	0	4	0	3	0	0	0	35
Panshanger *	20	20	58	0	0	1	0	0	0	45
Radlett United Free Churc *	13	13	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
St John's Potters Bar	94	96	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	70
Circuit Total	**474**	**486**	**80**	**20**	**0**	**7**	**3**	**6**	**5**	**349**

34/13 St Albans and Welwyn

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	Methodist Membership		LEP Members	Recorded Gains and Losses						Estimated Average Attendance
	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 14 West Hertfordshire and Borders										
Abbots Langley	29	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
All Saints' Berkhamsted *	90	85	86	0	0	0	2	1	2	38
Batford	18	19	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	12
Bushey & Oxhey	48	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	22
Carpenders Park & South	14	14	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	12
Croxley Green	25	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Flamstead	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Gaddesden Row	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Hemel Hempstead	76	75	0	3	1	1	0	0	6	40
High Street	353	357	0	5	1	32	10	13	11	211
Kings Langley	21	22	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	20
Ley Hill	37	39	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	32
Redbourn	23	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	15
Rickmansworth Berry Lan	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
St Andrew's Bushey Heat	31	27	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	20
St Martha's Tring	25	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	18
Studham	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
The Scroll LEP *	42	44	74	0	0	2	0	0	0	27
Trinity	46	62	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	40
Circuit Total	**908**	**918**	**160**	**26**	**2**	**40**	**14**	**16**	**28**	**569**

34/14 West Hertfordshire and Borders

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	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
Circuit: 15 North Hertfordshire										
All Saints *	20	13	71	0	0	0	0	10	4	58
Benington	13	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10
Central Letchworth	92	86	0	0	0	2	0	4	4	35
Chells LEP *	16	15	64	0	4	0	0	0	3	0
Christchurch Hitchin *	195	191	191	1	0	3	0	0	8	115
High Street	48	52	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	30
Knebworth *	58	52	52	2	0	0	1	1	6	30
Pirton	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Stotfold	17	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12
Circuit Total	**473**	**451**	**378**	**3**	**9**	**5**	**1**	**15**	**28**	**302**

34/15 North Hertfordshire

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	2023	2024	Total Members	New	Other Gains	Transfers In	Transfers Out	Other Losses	Deaths	Typical Sunday or Mid-Week Service
District Totals	**5,603**	**5,596**	**1,064**	**148**	**27**	**130**	**65**	**109**	**170**	**3,986**
Connexional Totals	**122,961**	**125,504**	**20,815**	**2,415**	**788**	**2,733**	**1,640**	**2,988**	**4,525**	**89,478**

NOTE:
The figures shown are as submitted by churches and circuits locally during the annual statistical returns. Unsubmitted returns are indicated by a blank record.
For Local Ecumenical Partnerships (LEPs), Methodist Membership includes Ecumenical Members. This number may be equal to the Total LEP Membership figure.

Some Church names may appear incomplete due to formatting restrictions.

* indicates an LEP

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