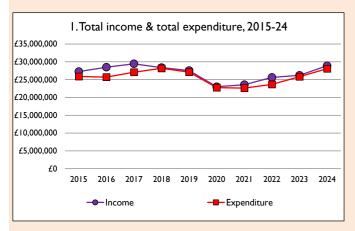
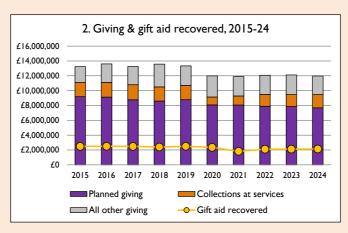
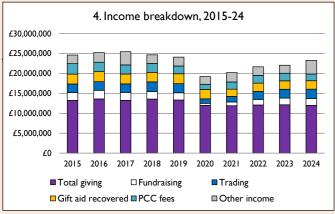
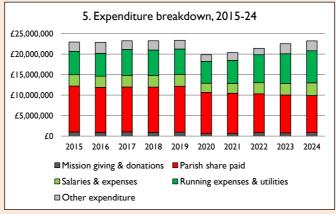
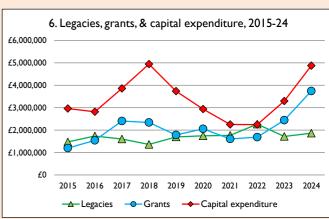
Finance summary dashboard for the parishes of Diocese of Lichfield











Weekly average planned giving per planned giver (2024)

Diocese: £11.94

Notes & definitions

This dashboard includes submitted figures & estimates for churches that did not submit returns.

- Graph 2 shows a detailed breakdown of the Total giving figure in graph 4.
- Graph 3: Planned giving = Tax efficient planned giving + Other planned giving; Planned givers = Tax efficient planned givers + Other planned givers.
- Graph 4 shows income other than grants and legacies.
- Graph 4: Total giving = Tax efficient planned giving + Other planned giving + Collections at services + All other giving, including Special Appeals.
- Graph 4: Other income = Dividends, interest, income from property + Any other income.
- Graph 5 shows expenditure other than capital expenditure.
- Graph 5: Other expenditure = Fund-raising activities + Mission and evangelism costs + Cost of trading + Other expenses.
- Graph 5: Running expenses & utilities also includes governance costs.
- Graphs I-6: Unrestricted and Restricted amounts have been combined.

For further definitions please see the guidance notes attached to the Return of Parish Finance:

https://parishreturns.churchofengland.org/

3. Planned giving & planned givers, 2015-24

2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024

Weekly average planned giving per planned giver

Number of planned givers

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Weekly

Number of churches in diocese (2025): 549 Number of parishes in diocese (2025): 430 Diocese code: 20



Variations in figures from year to year may be the result of changes in parish structure, or imperfectly estimated figures for non-reporting churches. Produced by the Data and Analysis team, Church House, Great Smith Street, London SWIP 3AZ. Date of production: 24/11/25.

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