

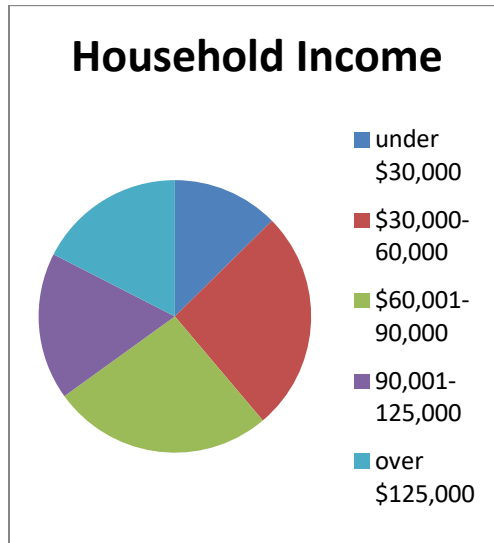
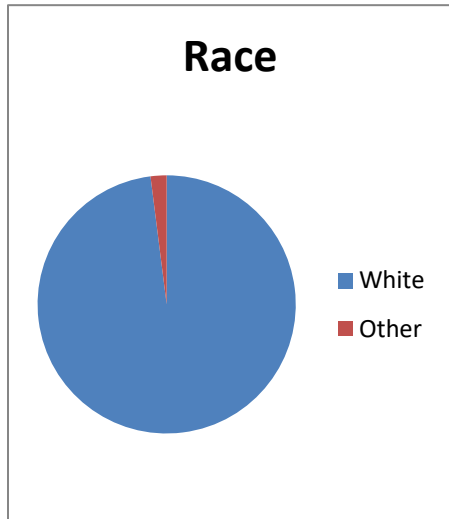
Key Results from Our Congregational Survey

Survey from September 2017. Responses received from 155 members (75% response rate).

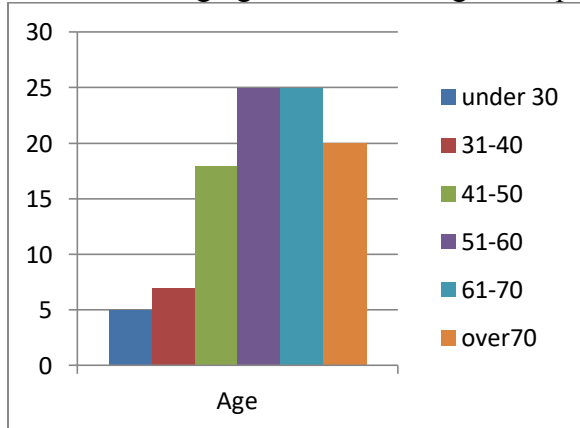
Who is in Our Congregation

We are not very racially diverse

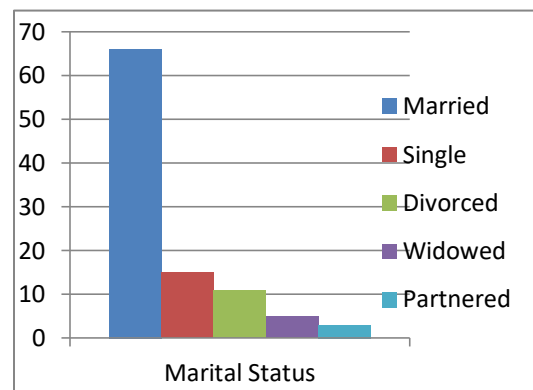
But we are more diverse on income and in other ways



Percent of Congregation in Each Age Group



Marital Status



Gender

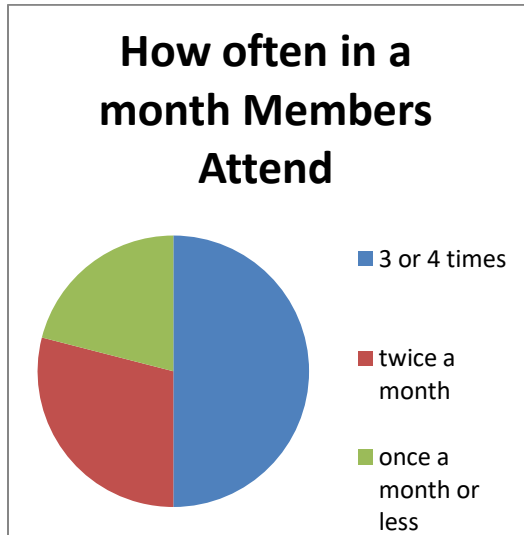
35% Male
64% Female
1% Transgender

Sexual Orientation

81% Heterosexual
9% Lesbian/Gay
8% Bisexual
2% Other

What We Like To Do

We like to attend church on Sunday mornings!



Top 5 reasons we attend Sunday services (in order of endorsement)

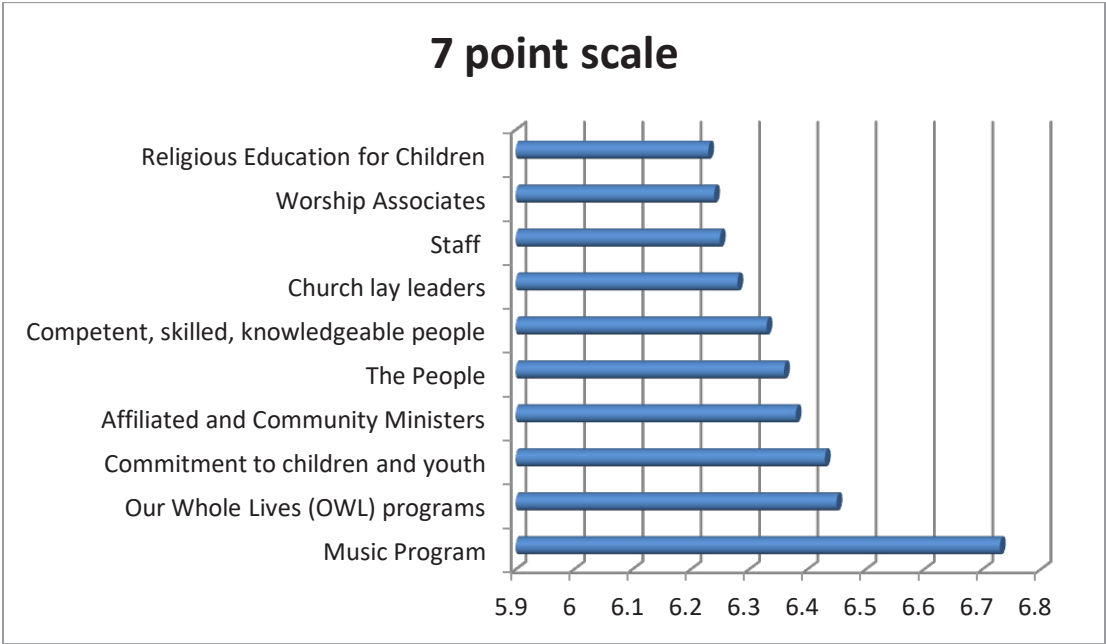
- Music
- Like the people
- Services help build community
- Intellectual Stimulation
- Challenges me to be a better person

Participation in Our Community is Both Broad and Deep

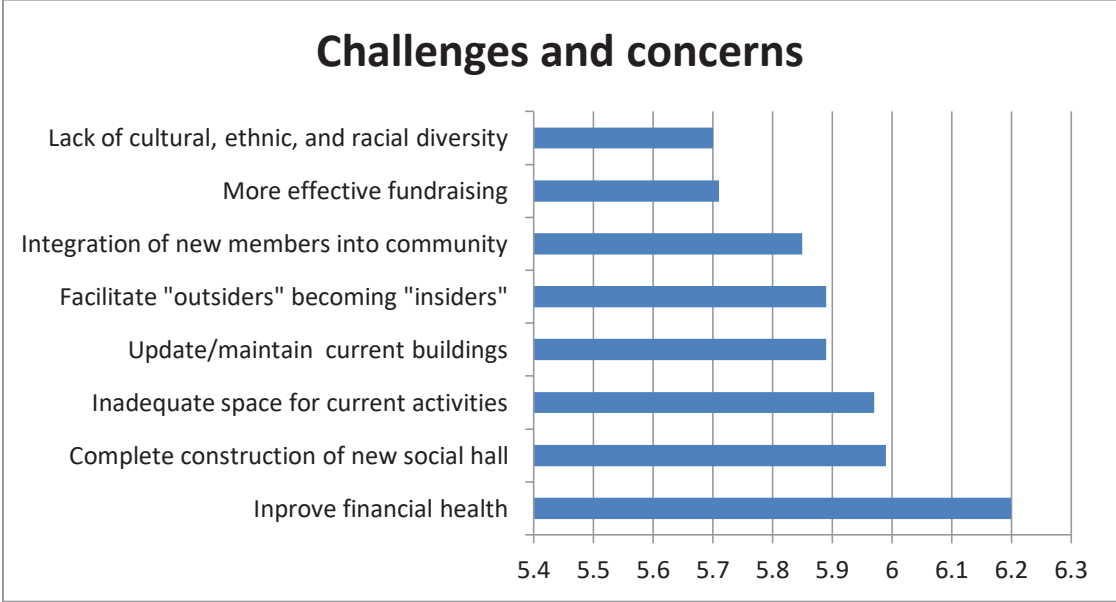
How we participate in the Church Community Outside of Sunday Morning Worship (at least 30% of members said they did these activities in the last year)

Attended Social Hour Between Services	66%
Attended Service Auction (largest fundraiser)	57%
Attended musical event at church	55%
Attended a church dinner	45%
Helped with Social Hour (e.g., provided food)	45%
Contributed items to the Service Auction	40%
Participated in Social Justice Activities	39%
Attended Adult Religious Education	32%
Served in a Leadership Role	32%
Provided food for event other than social hour	32%
Member of Board, Committee, or Task Force	31%

What We View as Church Strengths (top 10 from list of 33 items)



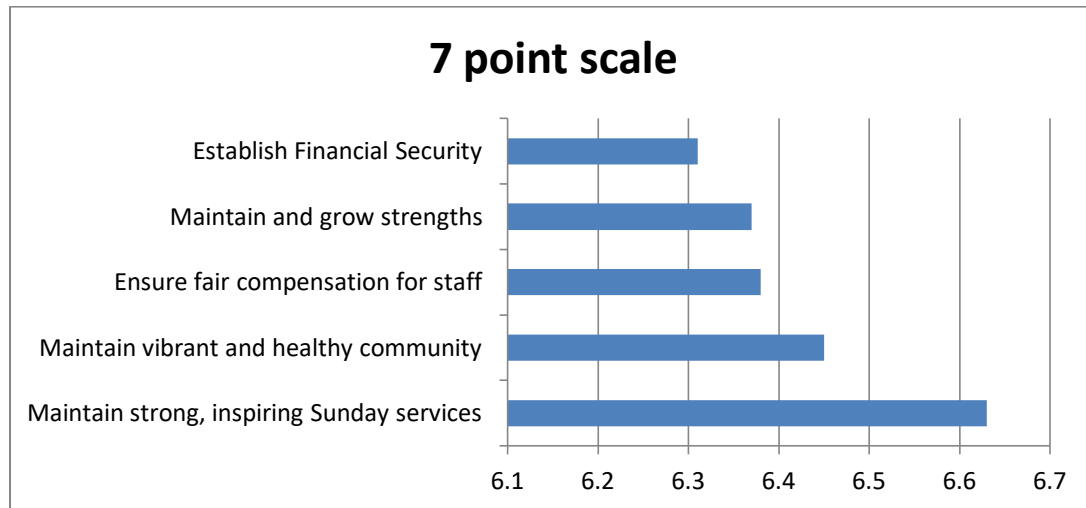
But of course we have areas where we want to improve! (top 8 of 24)



Come Grow With Us!

Hopes for the Future

Hopes for our church community (top 5 from list of 12)



Personal Characteristics We Hope For in Our New Minister (top 5)

Honesty/Integrity
Authentic
Good listener
Respectful
Lifelong learner, curious

Leadership Qualities We Hope For in Our New Minister (top 5)

Present in a crisis
Inspiring Leader
Able to manage conflict
Creates well crafted services
Wants to get to know us

These are some highlights. Our survey contains much more information. You can find the full list of questions and congregational responses in the resources section or at this [link](#).