Texas District
Chart A - Congregations and Total Membership

Chart B - Congregations and Number of Parish Pastors
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**Chart C - Membership and Giving (adjusted for inflation)**

![Graph showing membership and giving trends over time](chart)

**Analysis of the Texas District Charts**

* Chart A - For most of the past few decades, Texas has seen a steady increase in congregations and members.

* Chart A - While congregations have continued to grow, membership numbers peaked in 1998, and they have been gradually declining since.

Chart B - The number of parish pastors in the Texas District has historically stayed very close to the total number of congregations, even as the number of congregations continues to increase. Texas currently has the most parish pastors.

* Chart C - Giving in the Texas District steadily increased until it peaked in 2000. Though it fell some in the following years, it has recovered and has been fairly well consistent (adjusted for inflation) despite declining membership.