Central Illinois District
Chart C - Membership and Giving (adjusted for inflation)

Analysis of the Central Illinois District Charts

* Chart A - Compared to most districts, the Central Illinois District has remained fairly stable in its statistics over the past few decades.

* Chart A - The total number of congregations is up since 1970, though it has decreased slightly in recent years.

* Chart A - Membership numbers rose in the '70s-'90s, but have been declining since.

* Chart B - In the early 2010s, the Central Illinois District closed the gap between total congregations and parish pastors, but in the past few years, the number of pastors has dropped.

* Chart C - Giving in the Central Illinois District has remained closely tied with membership trends.