

Developments in Women's Ministry in 2016-7

Ministry Statistics 2016 Percentage of Incumbents/Incumbent Status Clergy who are female			
		2016	% Change from 2015
1	Diocese of Ely	40%	- 3%
2	Diocese of Truro	34%	+ 1%
3	Diocese of Liverpool	33%	+ 4%
4	Diocese of Hereford	33%	- 1%
5	Diocese of Gloucester	33%	+ 3%
6	Diocese of Peterborough	33%	+ 2%
7	Diocese of Durham	32%	+ 4%
8	Diocese of Manchester	32%	0
9	Diocese of Salisbury	31%	- 1%
10	Diocese of Southwell	30%	- 2%
11	Diocese of St Eds and Ipswich	29%	- 4%
12	Diocese of Sheffield	29%	0
13	Diocese of Portsmouth	29%	- 2%
14	Diocese of Bath and Wells	29%	0
15	Diocese of Lincoln	28.5%	0
16	Diocese of St Albans	28%	- 1%
17	Diocese of Norwich	28%	+ 3%
18	Diocese of Leicester	27%	+ 1%
19	Diocese of Worcester	27%	0
20	Diocese of Derby	27%	0
21	Diocese of Chester	27%	+ 1%
22	Diocese of Leeds	26.5%	- 1.5%
23	Diocese of Guildford	26%	+ 2%
24	Diocese of Southwark	25.5%	+ 1.5%
25	Diocese of Chelmsford	25%	0
26	Diocese of Oxford	24%	- 1%
27	Diocese of York	24%	+ 1%
28	Diocese of Birmingham	23.5%	+ 1.5%
29	Diocese of Canterbury	23%	+ 2%
30	Diocese of Bristol	23%	+ 4%
31	Diocese of Newcastle	23%	0
32	Diocese of Coventry	22%	+ 2%
33	Diocese of Rochester	20%	0
34	Diocese of Exeter	20%	+ 1%
35	Diocese of Lichfield	20%	+ 1%
36	Diocese of Carlisle	19%	0
37	Diocese of Winchester	16%	+ 1%
38	Diocese of Blackburn	15%	0
39	Diocese of London	13%	+ 1%
40	Diocese of Chichester	12%	+ 2%
41	Diocese of Sodor & Man	11%	- 7%
	National Average Total	24.7%	

In 2016 ...

The number of women ordinands entering training increased by 19%.

Twenty dioceses increased their percentage of female incumbents. Ten saw their percentage decrease, and eleven stood still. Only ten dioceses had over 30%. Nine had 20% or fewer.

Eleven dioceses had no women residentiary canons in their cathedrals.

In 2017 ...

Two new diocesan bishops were appointed. Neither of them were women.
Announced for 2018:
Bishop Sarah Mullally to be Bishop of London.

Two new suffragan bishops were appointed, one of them female (Guli Francis-Dehqani - Loughborough)
Announced for 2018:
Helen-Ann Hartley (Ripon)