

# Trinity Church Survey Comparative Results 2011

These results of the annual survey from the beginning of December 2011 provide information about our congregation as it was then. The numbers in ( ) hold data from the last 3 years for comparison.

- Number of Survey forms returned = 87 (70, 70, 88).
- Total number people surveyed = 203 (166, 161, 187) This includes 15 (8, 1, 14) visitors.
- A total of 121 (99, 107, 121) TCE Adults were covered by the survey. However several families/individuals who regularly attend were missed by the survey.

<p><b>Family/Household Ages</b> How many in which age group regularly come to church?</p> <p>0-1    4 (9) 2    10 (9) 3    7 (8)      0-3    21 = 11% (16%, 12%, 10%) 4    8 (6) 5    3 (3) 6    4 (2) 7    2 (5) 8    6 (3) 9    3 (2) 10    3 (2)      4-10    29 = 14% (14%, 12%, 10%) 11-14    10 (9) 15-18    7 (2)      11-18    17 = 8% (7%, 9%, 11%) 19-35    49 = 24% (26%, 29%, 26%) 36-50    52 = 26% (25%, 20%, 20%) 51-65    22 = 11% (8%, 12%, 15%) over 65    11 = 5% (5%, 6%, 8%)</p>	<p><b>Living in the Netherlands/Belgium</b> How much longer do you expect to stay in the Netherlands/Belgium?</p> <p>Less than one year    0 = 0% (1%, 17%, 5%) 1-3 years    28 = 15% (16%, 18%, 21%) Over 3 years    14 = 7% (10%, 8%, 6%) Permanently    71 = 38% (41%, 21%, 35%) Don't know    74 = 40% (31%, 33%, 31%)</p> <p>Year in which you started attending Trinity Church Eindhoven</p> <p>Before 2001    23 = 12% (13%, 20%, 20%) 2002 - 2003    17 = 9% (9%, 14%, 19%) 2004 - 2005    17 = 9% (8%, 10%, 13%) 2006 - 2007    31 = 16% (27%, 24%, 22%) 2008    25 = 13% (10%, 15%, 26%) 2009    26 = 10% (6%, 18%) 2010    22 = 11% (26%) 2011    32 = 17%</p>
<p><b>Church Background (before TCE)</b> How many in which sort?</p> <p>Anglican/CSI/Episcop.    35% (33%, 39%, 28%) Roman Catholic    15% (13%, 19%, 16%) Pentecostal    11% (14%, 9%, 10%) Dutch Protestant    8% (8%, 5%, 7%) Presbyterian    7% (6%, 10%, 3%) Lutheran    7% (1%, 3%, 7%) Baptist    5% (3%, 3%, 4%) Methodist    4% (5%, 3%, 7%) None    2% (6%, 5%, 7%)</p> <p>Others = 6% (12%, 4%)</p>	<p><b>Occupation of TCE Adults</b> Students 19 = 15% (11%, 11%, 12%) Not employed 42 = 32% (37%, 39%, 38%)</p> <p>Total number Employed 70 = 53% (51%, 50%, 57%)</p> <p>Technical 41% (59%, 60%, 60%) of those employed Philips 7 = 10% (12%, 21%, 14%) NXP    3 = 2% (4%, 4%, 11%) ASML    6 = 9% (10%, 9%, 7%) Other    13 = 19% (33%, 15%, 28%)</p> <p>Education 7 = 10% (18%, 17%, 14%) Health    10 = 14% (10%, 8%, 9%) Finance    3 = 4% (0%, 0%, 0%) Other    21 = 30% (14%, 26%, 18%)</p>
<p><b>Marital Status (For those 18 and over)</b> For 132 (105, 108, 130) Adults How many are Married?    94 = 71% (74%, 74%, 75%) Now single (Includes divorced, unmarried, widowed, etc.)?    38 = 29% (26%, 26%, 25%)</p>	<p><b>How did you hear about Trinity Church?</b> Family and Friends    48% (45%, 39%, 44%) Internet    42% (42%, 58%, 44%) Other    10% (13%, 3%, 11%)</p>

## Nationalities

What countries of origin/nationalities are there in your family and how many of each?

Origin / Nationality

Netherlands 52 = **27%** (27%, 25%)/81=37% (30%, 28%)

United Kingdom 27=**14%**(18%,15%)/32=15% (21%,16%)

India 20 = **10%** (11%, 10%) / 18 = **8%** (10%,10%)

United States 13 =**7%** (7%, 14%) /13 =**6%** (7%, 14%)

South Africa 9 =**5%** (1%) / 9 =**4%** (1%)

Nigeria 7 = **4%** (6%, 1%) / 7 =**3%** (6%, 1%)

Somalia 6 = **3%** (0%) / 6 = **3%** (0%)

Liberia 5 = **3%** (3%) / 5 = **2%** (3%)

Kenya 5 = **3%** / 5 = **2%**

South Korea 5 = **3%** / 5 = **2%**

Ghana 6 = **3%** / 1

Belgium 2 / 5

Ireland 3 / 4

New Zealand 3 / 3

Australia 2 / 3

Columbia 2 / 2

China 2 / 2

Malaysia 2 / 2

Spain 2 / 2

Taiwan 2 / 2

Germany 2 / 1

Aruba 2 / 0

Austria 1 / 1

Canada 1 / 1

Philippines 1 / 1

Poland 1 / 1

Slovakia 1 / 1

Tanzania 1 / 1

Uganda 1 / 1

Vietnam 1 / 1

Brazil 1 / 0

Curaçao 1 / 0

Greece 1 / 0

Hong Kong 1 / 0

Indonesia 1 / 0

Kuwait 1 / 0

Romania 1 / 0

Hungary 0 / 1

Total Number of Countries = **38** (32, 31, 31, 26) (with 4 other attendees missing, France, Finland, Ecuador, Mexico)

Includes 23 (9, 13, 21) people with dual nationality

## Continents of Origin

Europe **48%** (54%) Asia **18%** (18%)

Africa **21%** (14%)

North America **7%** (8%)

Australasia **3%** (4%)

South/Central America **3%** (2%)

## English as first Language

For those over 18 73 = 55%

## Fluent Dutch speakers

For those over 18 73 = 55%

## Involvement in Small groups

How many are involved **66** (64, 58, 68)

% of attending adults (not visitors) in groups among those surveyed **55%** (65%, 54%, 56%)

## Church Attendance - times per month

1 3 = **2%** (4%, 0%, 3%)

2 19 = **11%** (12%, 14%, 10%)

3 38 = **22%** (21%, 28%, 15%)

4+ 112 = **65%** (63%, 58%, 72%)

## Serving in TCE

How many over 18 serve our church body in some way? 89 = **74%** (69%, 63%, 62%) of 121 (99, 107, 121) adults present (not including visitors)

## Service Style Preference

Which service style is most helpful to those over 18?

All Age 30 = 22%

Informal 64 = 46%

Formal 44 = 32%