

National Churches Trust Social Value Calculator

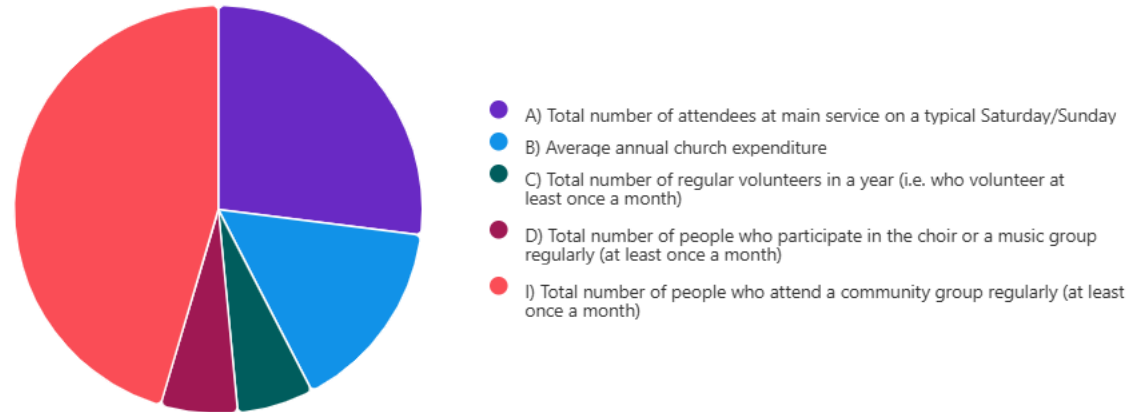
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Social Value

£1,429,859.00



What do these numbers mean?

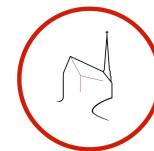
The House of Good: Local calculates the value of the support that your church provides for local people; either directly yourselves or by allowing community organisations to use your building.

The calculator takes the information you have provided, multiplies them by the unit values, and converts it into a monetary equivalent. The unit values in this calculator are based on rigorous economic analysis, using national survey datasets and a wellbeing-based approach endorsed in HM Treasury's Green Book.

Social value looks beyond financial returns to measure how church buildings make life better for people and communities. When we put a monetary value on wellbeing, it's to give it an equal footing with financial metrics. The aim of social values is not to reduce your impacts to money, but to make a credible investment case in a way the funders understand.

For more information please see <https://www.nationalchurchestrust.org/thehouseofgood>.

While State of Life provides assurance of the House of Good: Local, churches take responsibility for their 'inputs' to the model and the use of their reports.



Calculation Summary

REF	Activity	Classifications	Unit Value	Unit	Social Value No.	Social Value £SVA (SV * PV)	Description
The social value of your church's attendance	A) Total number of attendees at main service on a typical Saturday/Sunday	Input: Church attendance	3509	Number of People Attended	110	£385990	
Your church's expenditure	B) Average annual church expenditure	Input: Expenditure	1	Number of £'s Spent	220500	£220500	
The social value of your church's volunteers	C) Total number of regular volunteers in a year (i.e. who volunteer at least once a month)	Input: Volunteers	867	Number of People Volunteered	100	£86700	
The social value of your church's choirs / music groups	D) Total number of people who participate in the choir or a music group regularly (at least once a month)	Input: Choirs/music groups	1454	Number of People Participated	60	£87240	
The social value of your church's community groups	I) Total number of people who attend a community group regularly (at least once a month)	Input: Community groups	1373	Number of People Attended	473	£649429	