

Church Area of the EKHN

surface area in km ²	13,360
population within the church region mio.	5,3 Mio.
EKHN members*	1,578,616
proportion of population %	29%
church parishes	1,143
deaneries	36
church districts	6
people who have left the church*	13,882
new members*	3,412

Budget

amount 2015 (<i>not finished</i>)	Mio. €
inclusion 2016	578 Mio. €
planning 20117	600 Mio. €

Stock of Real Estate*

total	4,113
churches	1,283
congregational facilities	962
rectory	962
kindergarten	306
other buildings (e.g. youth hostels, apartments, offices and subsidiary buildings)	600
buildings in direct ownership of the entire church	53

Synod and Church Executive Committees

total number of synod members	152
thereof	
elected members	126
appointed members	12
youth members (without voting rights)	5
elected and appointed women	56
male and female Pastors	46
quota of male and female Pastors	33%

Election of Parish Councils 2009

members of parish councils	9,838
thereof women (58 %)	5,787

Ministers´ Positions

total	1,619
parish ministers	1,030
regional ministers including specialized and school religion educators	404
school chaplains	145
deans positions	35
department for regional work	71
special pastoral care	136
city mission work	9
youth pastors	5
ministry to students	8
ministers in the administration of the entire Church and in leading roles	185

Other Professional Categories

employees with more than a half time job	11,087
thereof	
nursery nurses	5,704
secretaries/adminstrative officers	1,296
nursery (male and female)	703
social- and community worker	645
professional housekeeping	480
cleaners	439
caretakers/sexton	275
church musicians	120
other professions	1,416
employees with less than a half time job (thereof apprentices, trainees, volunteers)	8,123
total	19,210

Volunteers

total	70,563
thereof women (64 %)	47,356

Kindergartens*

number of kindergartens	596
number of places	43,128
busy places	39,286
daycare with lunch	27,586

religion of the children

protestants	40 %
roman catholics	16 %
muslims	13 %
without religion	22%
other religions	8%
confession not specified	2%

children with a migration background	15,814
in %	40%

Special Services*

child baptisms	11,762
adult baptisms	1,473
confirmations	13,787
weddings	3,582
funerals of members	20,430
the Lord´s Supper in conregegational services	14,824
participants	504,872
the Lord´s Supper at hospitals or private homes	1,989
participants	7,989

* Database: 2016

Church services and Devotional Gatherings*

services on Sundays and religious holidays (Christmas Eve excluded)	65,989
thereof family church services	6,210
youth church services	723
children church services (total)	17,119
Christmas Eve church services	2,670

Church Community Groups**

youth groups	925
participants	7,532
children groups	1,183
participants	10,776
other events for children and youth groups	1,191
participants	21,448
parent-child groups	773
participants	7,134
children bible study weeks	500
participants	11,093
bible study weeks	256
participants	8,350
ecumenical and world mission events	1,667
participants	56,783
church music events	4,110
participants	365,790
seminars on the questions of faith	1,971
participants	29,565
seminars on social and political issues	1,038
participants	19,722
events and festivals	2,290
participants	249,610

* Database: 2016

** these are groups and events organized by regional church congregations and deaneries on a regular basis for interested people

Ecumenical Relations

Contact to churches in Ghana, India, Indonesia, Italy, South Africa, South Korea, Tanzania and Czech Republic, USA and Poland

Diaconical Work in Hesse*

facilities total	1,342
employes around	39,000
hospitals	26
facilities for juvenile welfare services	224
facilities for family support	111
care facilities for the elderly	263
care facilities for the handicapped	237
centers for education and formation	27
care centers for persons with particular social problems	196
other facilities	74

* collected figures after the fusion of both diaconical work in Hesse and Nassau and in Kurhessen-Waldeck

Advice: „Evangelische Kirche“ in translation means Protestant Church. It doesn't mean „Evangelical Church“.

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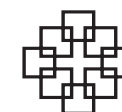
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