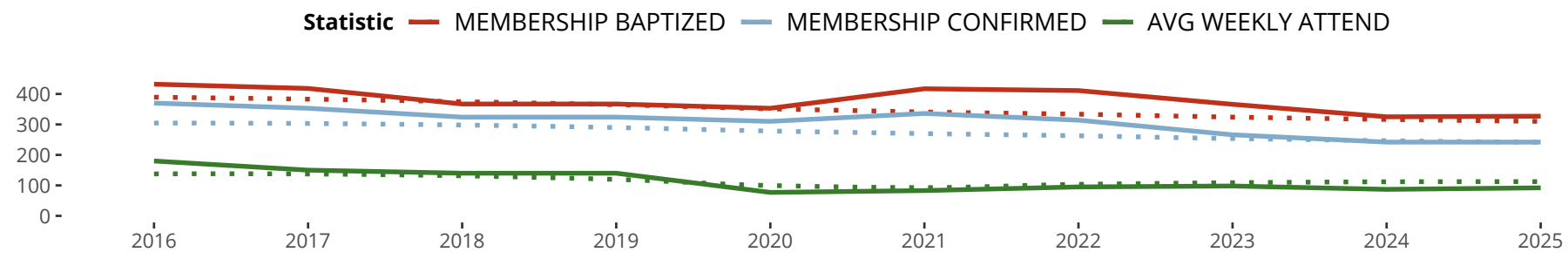
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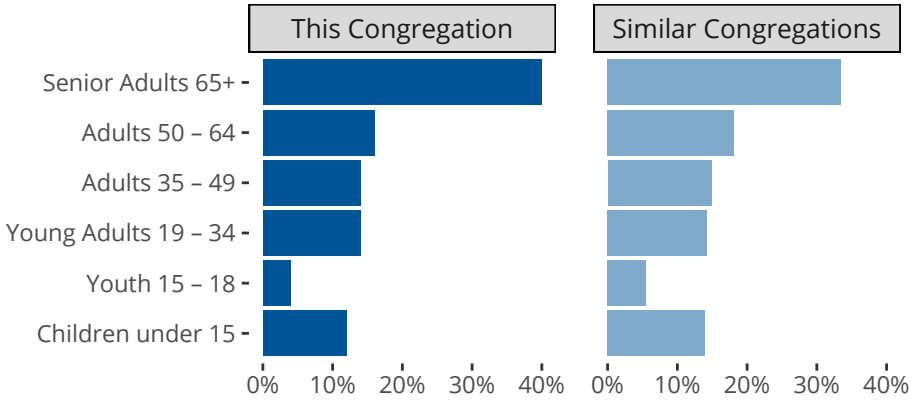
Ten Year Trends for the Congregation in Membership and Attendance



	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
B	432	418	367	367	353	417	411	366	325	327
C	370	353	324	324	310	336	314	266	242	242
A	180	150	140	140	77	83	95	98	87	92

The dotted lines represent the average statistics of congregations with similar Confirmed Membership today.

Comparing Age Demographics of Members



Attendance and Annual Gains

	Congregation	Similar
Attendance		
Weekly Average	92	112
Weekly Visitors	7	10
Percent Visitors	7.6%	7.6%
Gains		
Child Baptisms	2	4
Junior Confirmations	0	3
Adult Confirmations	0	3

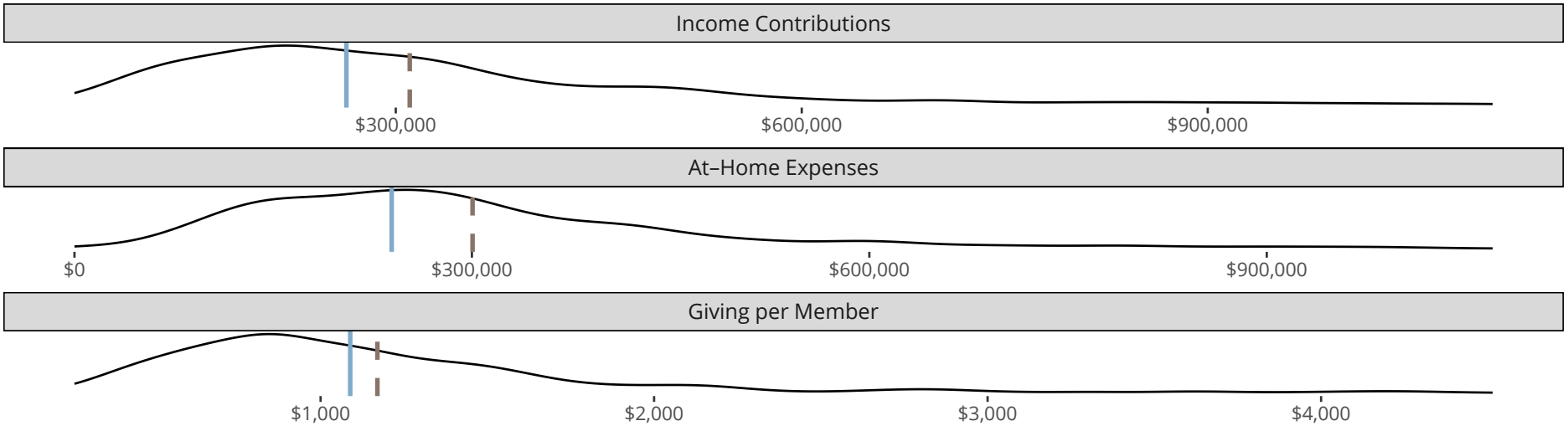
Similar congregations are other LCMS congregations with similar Confirmed Membership to this congregation.

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Financial Comparison with Similar Size Congregations



The curve represents the distribution of congregations with similar Confirmed Membership.
The solid blue line represents the value of this congregation's current statistic.
The dashed gray line represents the average value among similar congregations.

Statistical Comparison With District and Synod

People	Value	Percentile District	Percentile Synod
Baptized Membership	327	73%	76%
Confirmed Membership	242	67%	73%
Worship Attendance	92	74%	69%
Attendance : Baptized Ratio	28%	37%	24%

Financials	Value	Percentile District	Percentile Synod
Contributions	$263,502	67%	64%
Contribs per Cnf. Member	$1,089	54%	37%
At-Home Expenses	$239,443	64%	58%
Expenses per Bpt. Member	$732	31%	25%

Percentile is the congregation's rank as a percentage of the whole (e.g. 50% would be the middle ranking and 99% would be the highest).

If any data on this report is missing, it most likely means the data was not reported for the given year.