



Vision Night 2018



**We want to reach out to
transform and empower the
next generations through the
love of Jesus**



THE average C of E church has just three children attending, and the smallest 25 per cent have, on average, none at all, according to the latest Statistics for Mission.

In the smallest 25 per cent of churches, the average weekly attendance by children — at church services or Fresh Expressions on Sundays or weekdays — was zero. In the largest 25 per cent it rose to 11; and in the largest five per cent it was 35. The median is just three.



**We want to enable everyone
to flourish through connecting
them with God, each other
and their world**



Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit lives among you?



Ezekiel 47 ⁹ Swarms of living creatures will live wherever the river flows. There will be large numbers of fish, because this water flows there and makes the salt water fresh; so where the river flows everything will live.

¹² Fruit trees of all kinds will grow on both banks of the river. Their leaves will not wither, nor will their fruit fail. Every month they will bear fruit, because the water from the sanctuary flows to them. Their fruit will serve for food and their leaves for healing.'



**We are called to become a
resourcing Church, engaging in
mission in our community and
beyond**