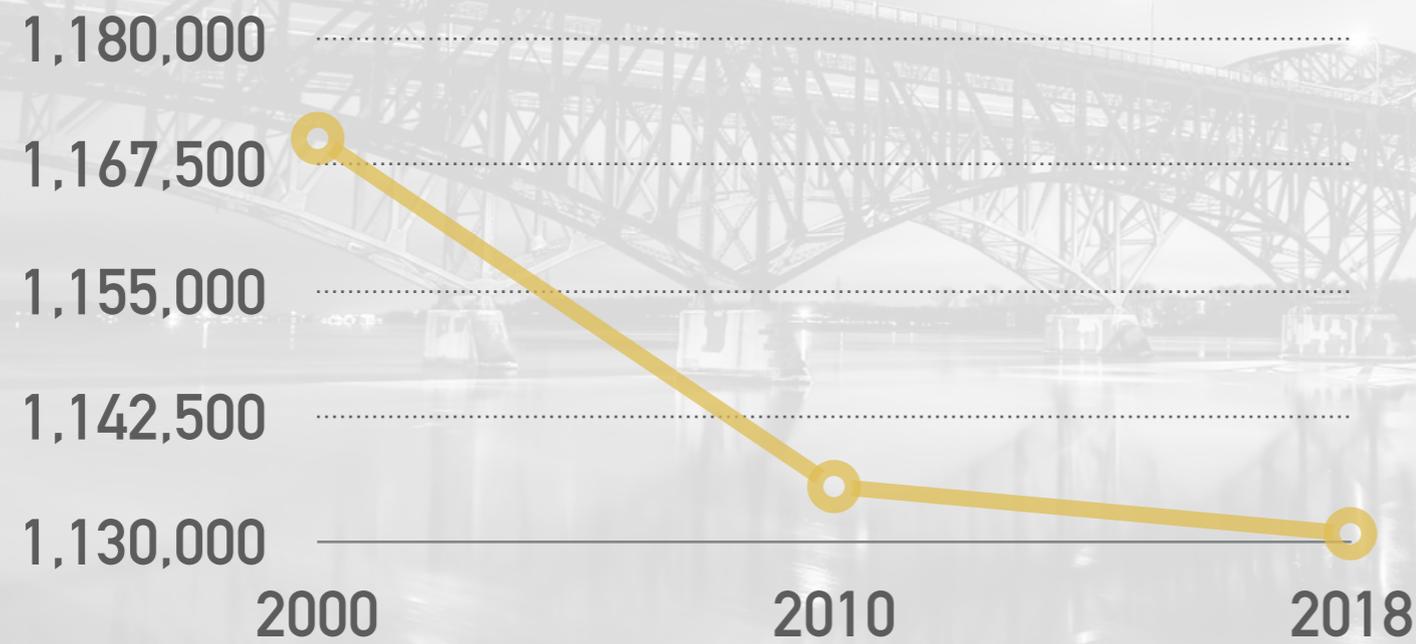




WESTERN NEW YORK

Church Attendance 2008 - 2018

Erie & Niagara County Population 2000-2018*



*-0.4%
Population
Increase*

* 2018 Ministry Area Profile, The Percept Group

FAST FACTS

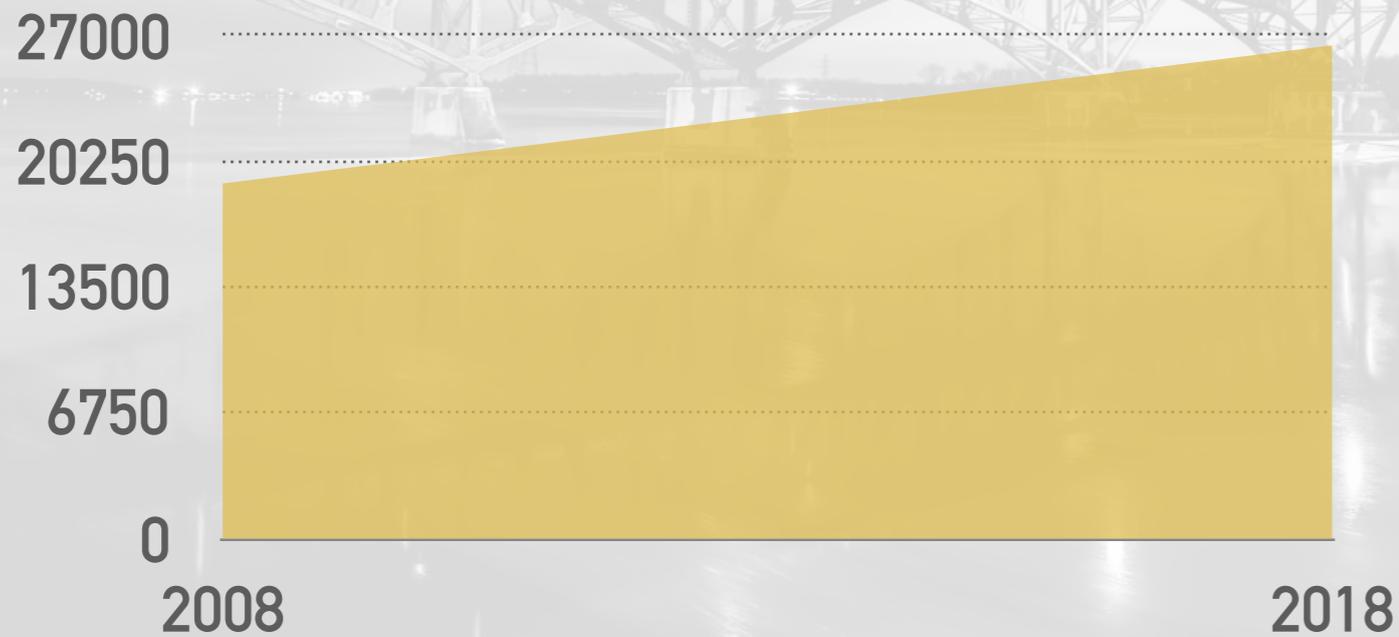
- *90 churches surveyed**
- *31 churches surveyed were planted after 2008*
- *50 churches surveyed existed before 2008*

**9 churches unable to provide updated data*

DATA

- Total church attendance grew from 19,055 to 26,468

Total Church Attendance 2008 - 2018



28%
*Attendance
Increase*

DATA

- **57%** (n=4,272 of 7,413) attendance increase through church planting
- **42%** (n=3,141 of 7,413) attendance increase through existing churches
- Attendance of 25 churches decreased in the last decade
- Attendance of 4 churches remained the same
- 4 churches have 2018 attendance but none for 2008
- 2 churches had no attendance figures for 2008 or 2018
- **Attendance of 55 churches increased over the last decade**