

Catholics:

1953 - 55,000. At an annual increase of more than 10,000 annually until 1967.

1967 - 240,000.

1974 - at the climax of 265,000.

(2009 - a new calculation gets the figure of 350,000 + 110,000 domestic helpers)

from **1980**, the baptism number is about 4,000 to 5,000 annually.

Churches:

80 – 100

Clergy:

Average number: 300 priests and 800 – 500 sisters

(diocesan priest from 130 - 70)

Schools:

1955, schools: 135, students: 44,000

1974, schools: 221, students: 260,000

1990, schools: 280, students: 310,000

1996, schools: 329, students: 280,000