



Using the data provided and information found on <http://www.dioceseofraleigh.org> , answer the questions below.

THEN AND NOW	1924	2014
Number of Priests	31	132
Number of Counties Covered by the Diocese	92	54
Number of Religious Sisters	84	40
Number of Parishes	21	78
Number of Missions	40	17
Parochial Schools	8	29
Catholic Population of N.C. (registered)	6,193	222,671
Number of Baptisms	338	5,111
Number of Marriages	70	873

Which year has the highest ratio of Baptism per Catholics, 1924 or 2014? What do you think may cause the difference for one year to be higher than the other?

Which year gives you the answer of 509.25 if you multiply the number of marriages by the number of Sacraments and divide by the number of Apostles? _____

Which year gives you the answer of 40 if you multiply the number of religious sisters by the number of Commandments and divide by the number of Marriages? _____

Can you explain why the number of counties covered by the Diocese in 2014 is less than the number in 1924? (Consult dioceseofraleigh.org)

Compare the ratio of missions per parish. What do you think may cause these numbers to be different?