

Births and Deaths Report Q3 2021

**Ratio of Births to Deaths
Q3 2021**

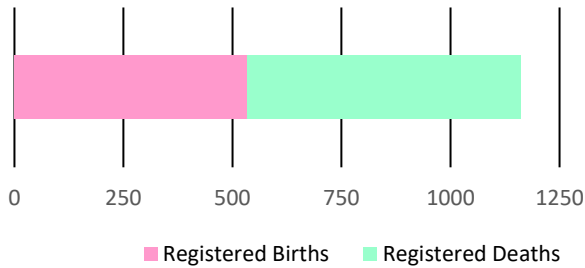


Figure 1

There was a **14.4 percent** contraction in registered births moving from **624** in 2020 to **534**. The number of births with regards to males fell off by **13.3 percent**, similarly for females, where decrease of **15.5 percent** was recorded.

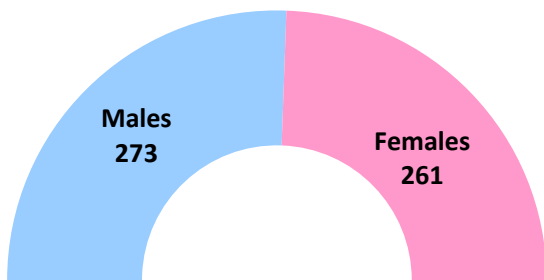
The number of registered deaths showed a decline of **3.4 percent** for the period under review. Males recorded a fall off of **7.6 percent**, while females expanded just **under 1 percent**.

Table 1: Monthly Population Change

Month	Births	Deaths	Natural Increase
July	163	143	20
August	180	248	(68)
September	191	236	(45)
TOTAL	534	627	(93)

Table 2: Quarterly Population Change

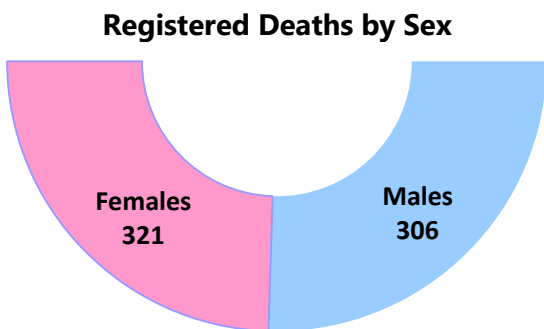
	Male	Female	Total
Estimated Population at Q2 2021	130,502	139,699	270,201
Births	273	261	534
Deaths	306	321	627
Estimated Population at Q3 2021	130,375	139,508	269,883



Registered Births by Sex

Figure 2

For the third quarter in 2021, there were **261** female registered births, **12** less than that of males (**273**); conversely, in the same quarter of 2020, **315** males were registered in comparison to the **309** females.



Registered Deaths by Sex

Figure 3

Registered deaths in the period under review for 2021 were reported as follows, males – **306** and females – **321**. Whereas in the equivalent period one year prior, the number of females recorded was higher than that of males, **318** and **331**, in that order.

Table: 3 Births by Age of Mother and Father

Age Group	Q3 2021		Q3 2020	
	Age of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother	Age of Father
19 and Under	41	4	52	13
20 - 29	249	174	299	234
30 - 39	217	201	241	257
40 - 49	27	105	32	84
50 - 59	0	20	0	24
60 - 69	0	0	0	4
Not Stated	0	30	0	8

The average age of a mother giving birth was **28.4** years, with **46.6 percent (249)** of the births coming from mothers in the 20-29 age group.

The number of births from mothers in the 40-49 age group decreased by **5** from **32** to **27**.

For the period July to September 2021, the youngest mother was **13 years**, followed by **one 15 year old**, while the oldest mother registered was **45 years**, which was **47**, one year before. In 2020, the youngest mother was also **15 years**.

There were two **18 year olds** recorded as the youngest fathers, followed by **two 19 year olds**, while the oldest was **70 years** during the third quarter of 2021. For 2020, the oldest father was **63 years old**, while the youngest was **18 years old**.

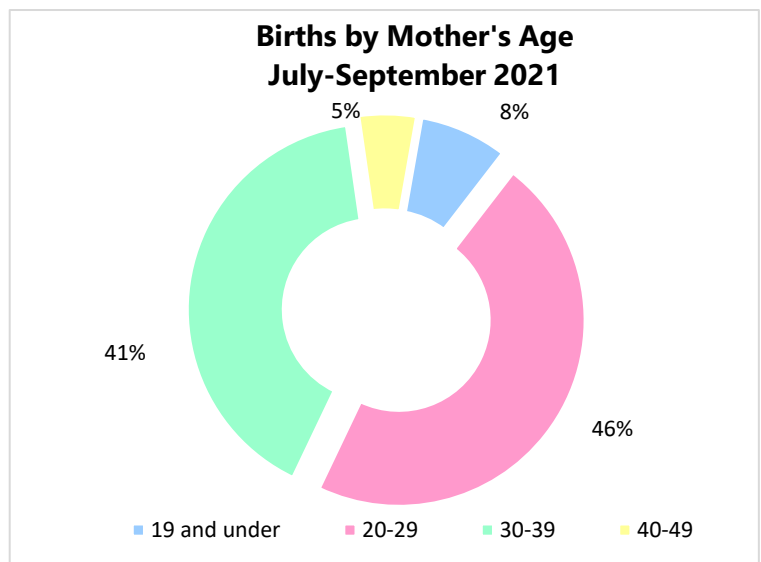


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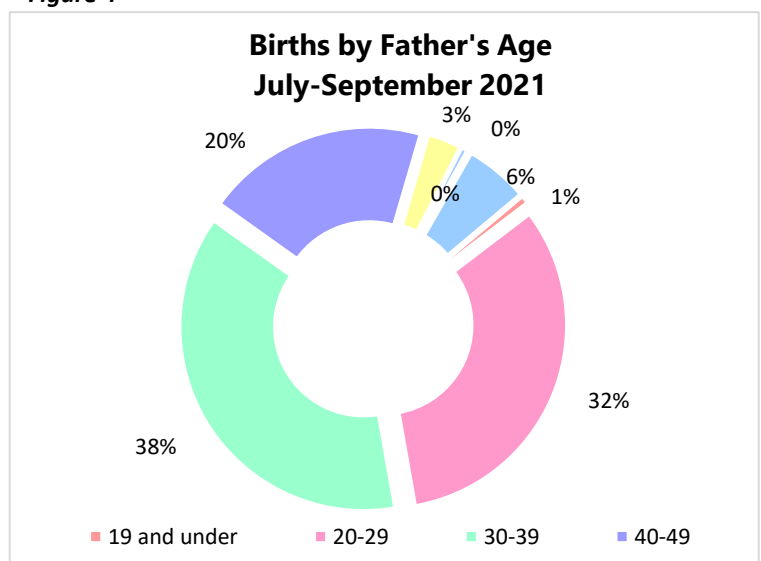
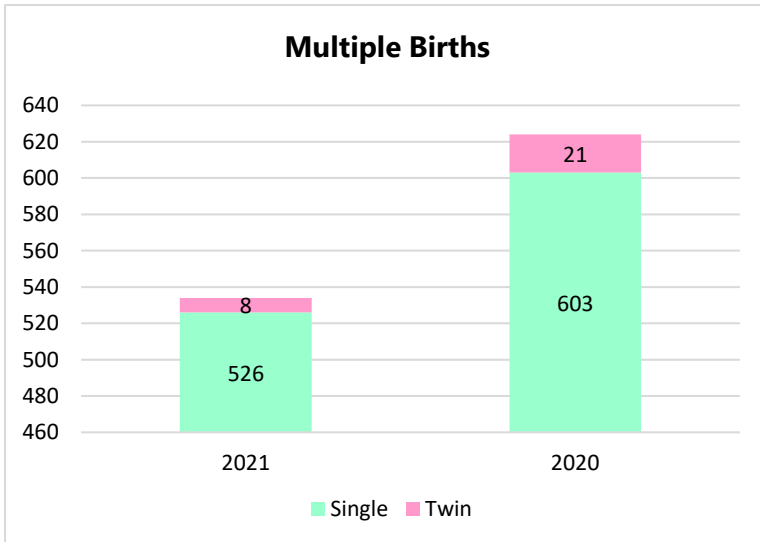


Figure 5



A reduction was noted in the number of single babies registered in the review period, moving from **603** in 2020 to **526**, representing a **12.8 percent** drop.

The number of twins fell significantly in 2021 to **8** from **21** in the third quarter of 2020.

No triplets were born in the period under review in 2021.

Figure 6

Quarter 3 of 2021 reported decreases in births in all but one parish, St. Peter; which reported an expansion in registered births of **43.8 percent**.

The number of babies from St. Michael fell to **182 (7.1 percent)**, although remaining the parish with the highest number of births.

The number of babies for the quarter under review born in St. George, St. Joseph, St. Lucy and St. Thomas contracted by **39.6 percent**, **33.3 percent**, **26.9 percent** and **26.3 percent**, respectively.

St. Andrew reported the least number of births for the third quarter of 2021, which was **7**.

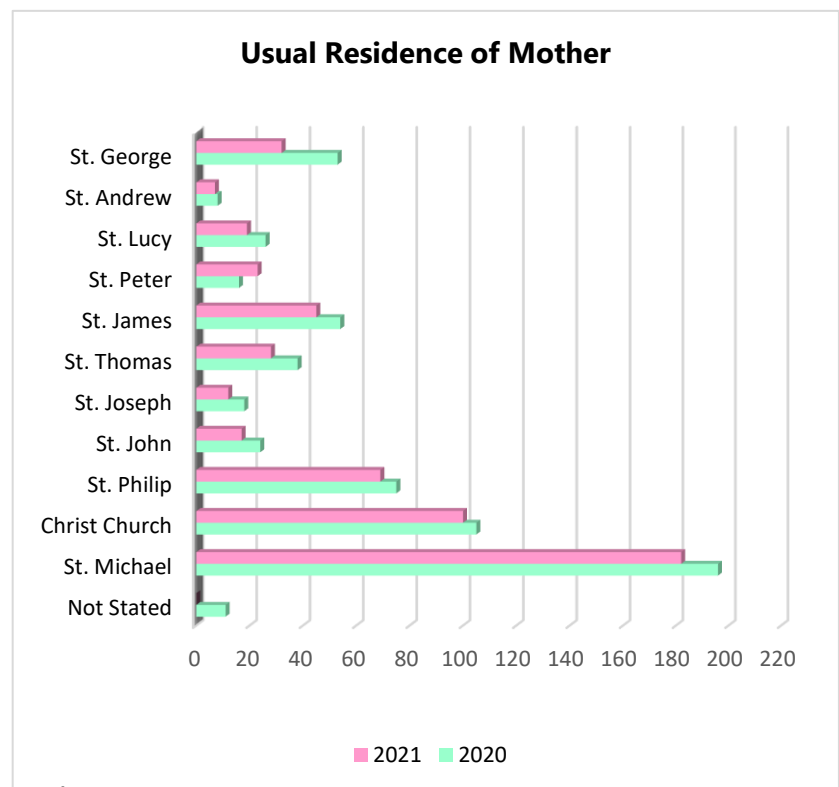


Figure 7

Table: 4 Live Births vs Still-Borns

	Q3 2021	Q3 2020
Live Births	533	624
Still-Borns	1	0
Total	534	624

There was **1** still-birth recorded in the third quarter of 2021, when compared to the **0** still births in 2020.

The number of deaths in the period under review dropped by **3.4 percent**.

The average age of death during the period was **73.7 years**.

The highest total increase in registered deaths was seen in the **80-89 age group (19 persons)**, while the largest contraction was recorded in the **60-69 age group (22 persons)**.

In July to September 2021, the larger number of deaths was attributed to males – **306**, when compared to **321** females; whereas in the same period for 2019, **331** males passed away, along with **318** females.

With regards to marital status in 2021, the single persons accounted for **41 percent** of all deaths, followed by married which stood at **26 percent**.

For the third quarter of 2021, **St. Michael**, recorded the largest number of registered deaths – **237** and **221** for 2020. However, the least number of deaths in 2021 and 2020 were seen in **St. Andrew** – **9** and **13**, in that order.

Table: 5 Deaths by Age Group

Age Group	2021	2020
9 and Under	1	9
10-19	0	5
20-29	9	15
30-39	22	11
40-49	21	27
50-59	58	58
60-69	93	115
70-79	150	138
80-89	168	149
90-99	91	99
100-109	10	13
110 and Over	1	0
Not Stated	3	8
TOTAL	627	649

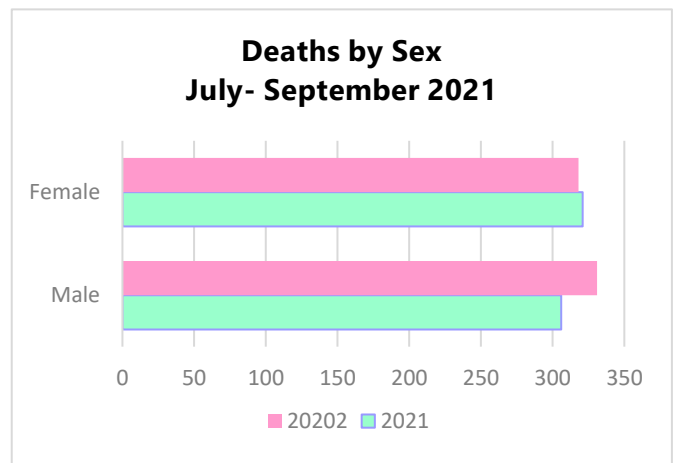


Figure 8

Table: 6 Deaths by Residence

Parish	2021	2020
St. Michael	237	221
Christ Church	119	116
St. Philip	47	71
St. John	20	30
St. Joseph	14	16
St. Thomas	28	29
St. James	52	66
St. Peter	27	23
St. Lucy	25	19
St. Andrew	9	13
St. George	42	41
Not Stated	7	4
TOTAL	627	649

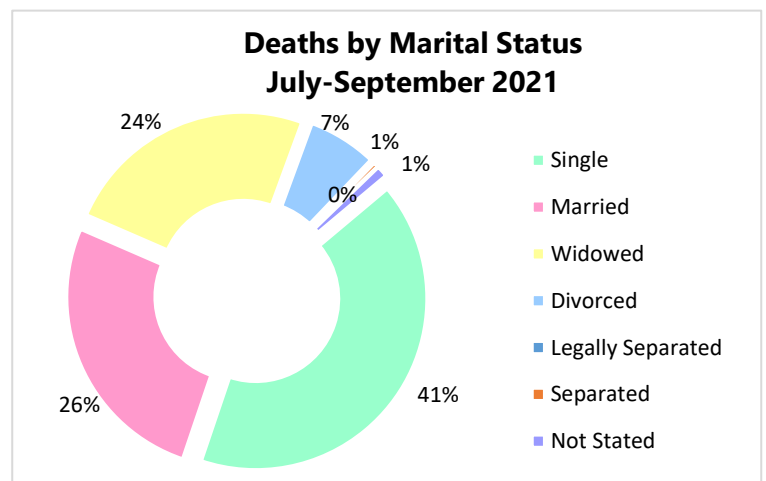


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