

1737

The article by Jason Nicolle refers to a single sheet of paper in the University of Cambridge Library giving population estimates for ten parishes in 1737. No figures were given for St Ouen or St Helier. The information on this sheet is reproduced below (not including breakdown by vingtaine for each parish).

PARISH	HOUSES	MEN	WOMEN	UNDER 14S	IN NEW FO- UNDLAND	AT SEA OR IN SERVICE	TOTAL POPULATION
GROUVILLE	242	372	455	306	37	12	1,182
ST MARY	179	230	397	249	70	26	972
ST JOHN	253	340	529	382	60	14	1,325
TRINITY	376	586	823	636	62	10	2,117
ST PETER	322	374	628	472	132	10	1,616
ST LAWRENCE	286	507	606	439	80	22	1,654
ST CLEMENT	105	150	210	130	15	10	515
ST MARTIN					33		1,510
ST SAVIOUR					0		1,316
ST BRELADE					156		1,435
TOTAL	1,763	2,529	3,648	2,614	645	104	13,642

[Note by Mark Boleat. The total population for the ten parishes in 1788 was 13,936, very similar to the 13,642 in the table. Allowing for differences in methodology between the two sentence it is probably the case that the population was little changed between 1737 and 1788.]