

RACE AND ETHNICITY* OF AG U.S. CHURCHES, 2018
National Totals

<u>Race</u>	<u>Churches</u>	<u>Percent of Total Churches</u>	<u>Conversions</u>	<u>Avg Attend per Church</u>
ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER	570	4.379	5,703	110
BLACK	463	3.557	24,241	183
HISPANIC	2,907	22.332	68,291	148
NATIVE AMERICAN	183	1.406	1,507	48
WHITE	8,233	63.248	272,484	174
OTHER/ANY RACE	661	5.078	113,469	404
Totals	13,017		485,695	

<u>Ethnic Group</u>	<u>Churches</u>	<u>Percent of Total Churches</u>	<u>Conversions</u>	<u>Avg Attend per Church</u>
ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER	570	4.379	5,703	110
Chinese	15	.115	55	60
Fijian	14	.108	30	49
Filipino	84	.645	1,300	120
Hawaiian	15	.115	124	87
Indonesian	8	.061	0	0
Japanese	2	.015	0	8
Korean	154	1.183	504	103
Marshallese	15	.115	32	70
Samoan	103	.791	1,375	149
South Asian	56	.430	118	79
Bengali	1	.008	0	0
East Indian	40	.307	105	81
Pakistani	2	.015	0	120
South Asian, misc**	13	.100	13	65
Southeast Asian	57	.438	1,787	122
Burmese	6	.046	1,313	165
Cambodian	1	.008	0	0
Hmong	17	.131	67	93
Malaysian	1	.008	0	0
Vietnamese	14	.108	65	57
Southeast Asian, misc**	18	.138	342	182
Tongan	16	.123	114	50
Asian & Pacific Islander, misc**	31	.238	264	105
BLACK	463	3.557	24,241	183
African	150	1.152	1,018	119
Ethiopian/Falasha	8	.061	53	320
Ghanaian	4	.031	24	114

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Nigerian	4	.031	9	104
Somalian	1	.008	0	3
African, misc**	133	1.022	932	112
Caribbean	13	.100	1,844	361
Caribbean, misc**	13	.100	1,844	361
Guyanese	14	.108	211	206
Haitian	26	.200	1,735	288
Black, misc**	260	1.997	19,433	191
HISPANIC	2,907	22.332	68,291	148
Central American	3	.023	49	133
Cuban	3	.023	265	325
Mexican	148	1.137	4,133	160
Puerto Rican	246	1.890	2,925	90
South American	2	.015	32	67
Hispanic, other	171	1.314	14,608	298
Hispanic, misc**	2,334	17.930	46,279	141
NATIVE AMERICAN	183	1.406	1,507	48
American Indian	118	.907	1,051	49
Eskimo	14	.108	57	26
Native Alaskan, misc**	7	.054	19	28
Native American, misc**	44	.338	380	57
WHITE	8,233	63.248	272,484	174
Albanian	2	.015	12	51
Anglo (White)	8,102	62.242	270,818	174
Armenian	9	.069	80	79
Bulgarian	1	.008	2	40
French	1	.008	5	125
German	26	.200	601	80
Greek	2	.015	56	115
Italian	4	.031	22	43
Romanian	11	.085	39	299
Scandinavian	1	.008	22	230
Slavic	74	.568	827	220
Belarusian	2	.015	10	675
Polish	3	.023	5	98
Russian	22	.169	123	215
Ukrainian	22	.169	447	233
Slavic, misc**	25	.192	242	190

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Arabic	10	.077	48	50
Assyrian	2	.015	0	0
Brazilian	101	.776	587	74
Deaf Culture	40	.307	73	27
Gypsy	1	.008	10	50
Gypsy, misc**	1	.008	10	50
Iranian	3	.023	0	38
Jewish	9	.069	90	66
Portuguese	16	.123	217	148
No Single Majority	479	3.680	112,444	524
Totals	13,017		485,695	

*See last page for explanatory notes.

**From miscellaneous countries.

----- Churches by Race -----

<u>District/Network</u>	<u>Asian and Pacific Islander</u>	<u>Black</u>	<u>Hispanic</u>	<u>Native American</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Other/ Any Race</u>	<u>Total Churches</u>
Alabama		12	4		314	1	331
Alaska	3		2	24	39	3	71
Appalachian					100	2	102
Arizona	8	3	24	37	141	11	224
Arkansas		19			388		407
Brazilian			6		2	57	65
Central District/Distrito			122			1	123
Central Pacific	1		146			5	152
Florida Multicultural			178				178
Georgia	2	21	5		176	8	212
German	1	2	3		27	1	34
Hawaii	52		1		5	50	108
Illinois	8	22	18	1	225	11	285
Indiana	3	4	4		219	6	236
Iowa	1	3	2		114	1	121
Kansas	2		6		135	1	144
Kentucky		1	6		138		145
Korean	101				1	1	103
Louisiana		10	7	2	180	7	206
Michigan	7	7	4	1	223	9	251
Midwest Latin American		1	79				80
Minnesota	11	12	4	6	204	10	247
Mississippi	1	9	2	1	137	3	153
Montana		1		8	72		81
National Slavic			1		59	1	61
Nebraska		3	7		76		86
New Jersey	23	36	52	1	89	46	247
New Mexico			26	16	44	10	96
New York	25	48	17	2	188	46	326
North Carolina	3	19	51	22	176	9	280
North Dakota	1	2	1	6	54		64
North Texas	13	37	70	2	465	45	632
Northern California-Nevada	72	6	29	5	274	55	441
Northern Missouri				1	86	1	88
Northern New England					100	2	102
Northwest	17	4	15	8	296	9	349
Northwest Hispanic			59				59
Ohio	1	12			261	5	279
Oklahoma	4	6	33	19	403	12	477

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Oregon	5		4	2	178	1	190
Peninsular Florida	2	36	30		244	31	343
Pennsylvania-Delaware	9	18	8	1	345	24	405
Potomac	5	30	12		278	27	352
Puerto Rico			196				196
Rocky Mountain	7	6	11	1	134	8	167
Samoan	68						68
Second Korean	38						38
South Carolina		6	1		78	3	88
South Central Hispanic			111				111
South Dakota		1		7	40		48
South Texas	4	14	55		183	24	280
Southern California	55	11	141	3	215	49	474
Southern Idaho			5	1	57		63
Southern Latin			66				66
Southern Missouri	4	14	2		330	10	360
Southern New England	3	12	8		124	37	184
Southern Pacific			339		1	1	341
Southwest			50	1	1		52
Spanish Eastern	1		487			4	492
Tennessee	2	6	21		186	3	218
Texas Gulf Hispanic			136				136
Texas Louisiana Hispanic			123		1		124
West Florida	1	3			154	1	159
West Texas		1	27		70	5	103
West Texas and Plains			84		1		85
Wisconsin-Northern Michiga	6	4	6	5	165	3	189
Wyoming		1			37	1	39
<u>Region</u>							
Great Lakes	19	46	32	2	1,166	33	1,298
Gulf	7	58	32	3	1,221	23	1,344
Language-East Spanish	1	1	1,006			4	1,012
Language-Other	208	2	10		89	60	369
Language-West Spanish	1		1,170	1	4	7	1,183
North Central	19	25	20	25	739	15	843
Northeast	65	144	97	4	1,124	182	1,616
Northwest	25	6	26	43	679	14	793

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South Central	23	58	217	37	1,300	97	1,732
Southeast	8	97	91	22	1,142	53	1,413
Southwest	194	26	206	46	769	173	1,414
Language Regions Totals	210	3	2,186	1	93	71	2,564
National Totals	570	463	2,907	183	8,233	661	13,017
% of total churches	4.379	3.557	22.332	1.406	63.248	5.078	

*Explanatory Notes:

1. Race is estimated from ethnic group. For example, the Black race includes the African, Black, Caribbean, Ethiopian/Falasha, Ghanaian, Guyanese, Haitian, Jamaican, Malagasy, Nigerian, Somalian and Trinidadian ethnic groups.
2. The ethnic group is based on the majority (51% or more) of the congregation.
3. Hispanics may be of any race, but in this report they are listed as a single category.
4. NOTE: Percentages may not total 100.0 due to rounding.
5. Conversions reported do not include those occurring outside of local church ministries.
6. "Avg Attend per Church" represents an ESTIMATE of the average Sunday morning worship attendance of ALL people (not just the major ethnic group) in churches of that particular category. For example, an average of 30 for the black ethnic group means there is an average of 30 persons attending per church, not necessarily 30 black persons. Note: attendance for Parent Affiliated Churches (PACS) is included in their Parent Church totals. In this report attendance displays as zero for PACs.
7. A table of race and ethnic groups follows.

<u>RACE</u>	<u>ETHNIC GROUPS</u> (ethnic group codes are in parentheses)
1. Asian and Pacific Islander	Asian & Pacific Islander/miscellaneous countries (AI), Bengali (BE), Burmese (BR), Cambodian (SC), Chinese (CH), East Indian (EI), Fijian (FJ), Filipino (FL), Hawaiian (HB), Hmong (SH), Indonesian (IN), Japanese (JP), Korean (KO), Laotian (SL), Malaysian (MA), Marshallese (MR), Micronesian (MW), Pakistani (PK, moved from Other/Any Race in 2007), Samoan (SA), South Asian/miscellaneous countries (SM), Southeast Asian/miscellaneous countries (SU), Thai (ST), Tongan (TO), Vietnamese (VI).
2. Black	African/miscellaneous countries, (AF), Black/miscellaneous countries (BL), Caribbean/miscellaneous countries (CU), Ethiopian/Falasha (EV), Ghanaian (GI), Guyanese (GN), Haitian (HA), Jamaican (JM), Malagasy (ML), Nigerian (NG), Somalian (SO), Trinidadian (TR).
3. Hispanic	Central American (HD), Cuban (HC), Mexican (HM), Puerto Rican (HP), South American (HS), Other Hispanic (HT), Hispanic/miscellaneous countries (HU).
4. Native American	Aleut (NA), American Indian (NI), Eskimo (NE), Native Alaskan/miscellaneous countries (NK), Native American/miscellaneous countries (NU).
5. White	Albanian (AL), Anglo (AN), Armenian (AR), Belarusian (BA), Bulgarian (BG), Estonian (ES), Finnish (FN), French (FR), German (GE), Greek (GK), Hungarian (HV), Italian (IT), Polish (PO), Romanian (RM), Russian (RS), Scandinavian (SK), Slavic/miscellaneous countries (SB), Ukrainian (UK).
6. Other/Any Race	Arabic (AP), Assyrian (AS), Brazilian (BZ), Deaf Culture (DE), Gypsy/miscellaneous countries (GV), Iranian (Persian, Farsi) (IR), Jewish (JW), Portuguese (PT; moved from Hispanic to Other race in 1998), No Single Majority (Z), Other (ZO), Rom (GR), Traveler (GT).