



FAST FACTS

From Parochial Report Data 2023

	2022	2023
<i>Includes only USA Congregational Data:</i>		
USA Parishes and Missions (Open, Filing)	6,249	6,223
Active Baptized Members	1,432,082	1,394,769
Net Change in Active Membership from Previous Year	-88,306	-37,313
One Year % Change in Active Members	-5.81%	-2.61%
Five Year % Change in Active Members	-15%	-15%
Ten Year % Change in Active Members	-23%	-23%
% of Churches Growing 10%+ in Membership (past 5 years)	12%	11%
% of Churches Declining 10%+ in Membership (past 5 years)	55%	17%
Total Average Sunday Worship Attendance (ASA)	349,157	386,468
Net Change in ASA from Previous Year	56,306	37,311
One Year % Change in ASA	19.23%	10.69%
Five Year % Change in ASA	-34%	-25%
Ten Year % Change in ASA	-44%	-32%
% of Churches with any Increase in ASA (from previous year)	64%	63%
% of Churches with any loss in ASA (from previous year)	24%	24%
% of Churches Growing 10%+ in ASA (past 5 years)	7%	45%
% of Churches Declining 10%+ in ASA (past 5 years)	84%	14%
Largest Active Membership—St. Martin’s, Houston	9,866	10,022
Number of Congregations with 20 Members or Less	544	568
Percent of Congregations with 200 Members or Less	68%	69%
Percent of Congregations with 500 Members or More	10%	10%
Median Active Baptized Members	*112	110
Largest Average Sunday Attendance (ASA)—St Martin’s, Houston	1,118	1,285
Number of Congregations with 10 or less ASA	531	532
Percent of Congregations with ASA of 100 or less	85%	82%
Percent of Congregations with ASA of 300 or more	1%	2%
Median Average Sunday Worship Attendance	37	39
Average Pledge	\$3,658	\$3,650
Average Pledge Five Years earlier	\$2,964	\$3,087
Total Plate & Pledge Income	\$1,336,349,803	\$1,384,929,410
Plate & Pledge % Change from Previous Year	0.05%	3.64%
Average Inflation Rate in Calendar Year	8.00%	4.10%
Total Income	\$2,431,133,740	\$2,546,618,708
Total Expenses	\$2,325,732,792	\$2,432,482,463
Total Investments of Congregations	\$5,744,906,003	\$6,063,406,895

* correction to the 2022 report data