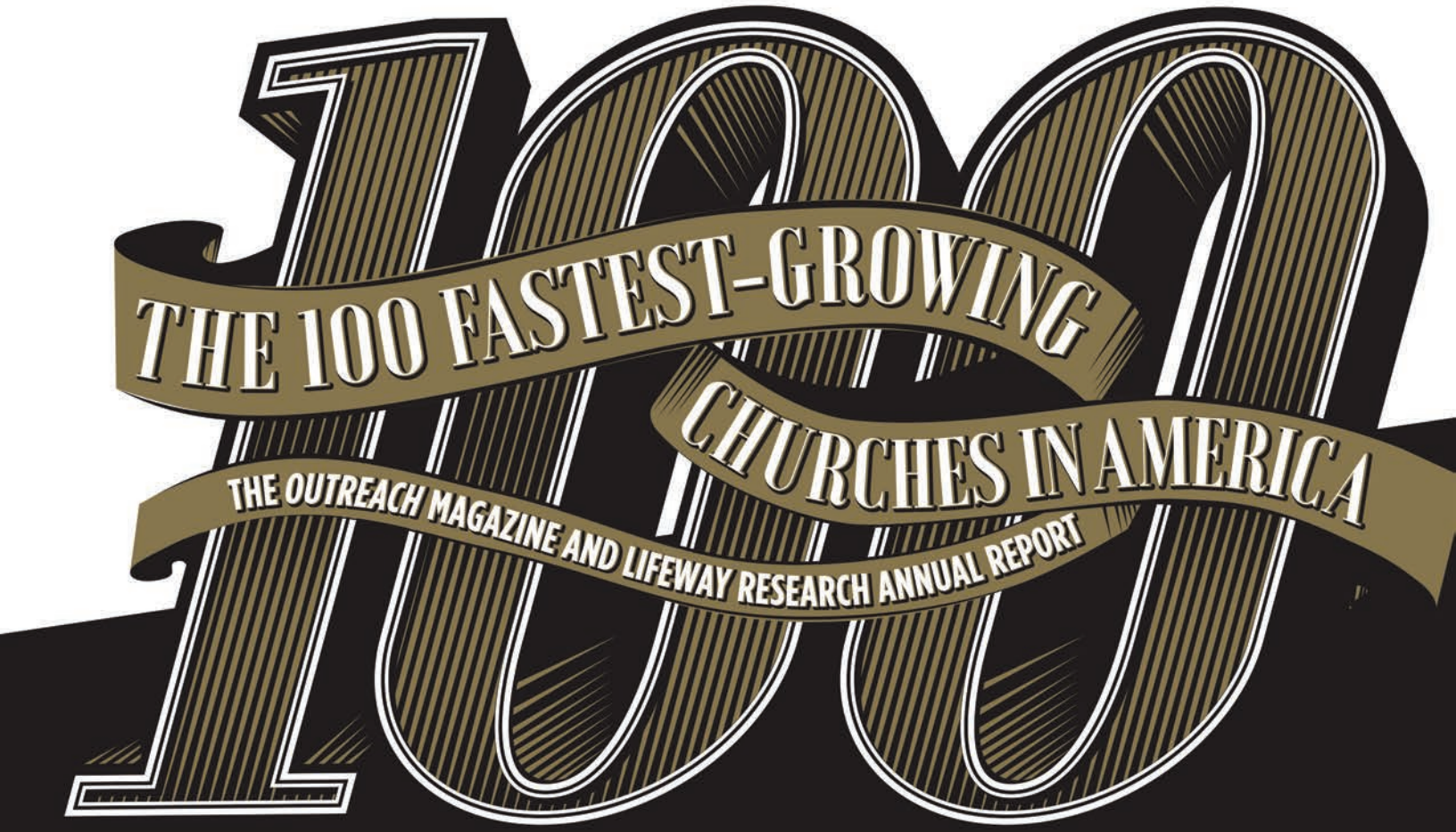


What is The Outreach 100?
The Outreach 100 is a collaboration between *Outreach* magazine and our friends at LifeWay Research, which is led by missiologist and *Outreach* contributing editor Ed Stetzer. It's our attempt to identify and learn from the country's fastest-growing churches. The LifeWay Research team surveys churches, verifies the numbers, calculates the results and compiles the lists. The *Outreach* editorial team conducts interviews with many of the pastors and reports on those conversations in The Outreach 100 special issue and at OutreachMagazine.com/Church-Profiles, in addition to other features on the churches and their leadership. *Tell me more »*

What is your methodology?
In preparation for this annual report, we solicit participation from more than 27,000 churches. Through the process, they are contacted by fax, email, letter, phone and certified mail. The Outreach 100 is a self-reported survey, based on attendance averages, not membership. Churches that participate provide weekend attendance averages for February and March, excluding Easter. These figures are then compared with the previous year's averages for the same months. The final rankings reflect an average of numerical gain and percentage gain. Although we go to great lengths to confirm data, the information is reported by pastors, staff or church officers, and as such, reflects their perception—their churches as they see them. This year's Fastest-Growing list includes surveyed churches with attendance greater than 1,000, a numerical gain of 150 or more, and a percentage gain of at least 4 percent. The Largest list includes all churches participating in the survey with attendance of 5,269 or more.

Why don't I see _____ Church on the list?
We seek the broadest possible participation from evangelical Protestant churches, but since The Outreach 100 is a self-reported survey, not an independent investigation, there are omissions. Some churches chose not to respond to multiple interview and data requests for a variety of reasons (though overall, more churches participated this year than have in the past). If you notice the absence of a high-profile evangelical church, chances are they were invited to participate and opted out.

So, is this just a celebration of numbers?
Certainly The Outreach 100 is a celebration of numbers, a recognition of church addition and multiplication. Ultimately, though, The Outreach 100 is not so much about numbers as it is the individuals those numbers represent—people who have found hope in Christ and the churches pointing them to him. If you glean insight from those churches and catch something of their passion for outreach, The Outreach 100 project will have fulfilled its purpose.

Read much more at Outreach100.com »

THE 100 FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES IN AMERICA

THE FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES

2015

TOP 10 GREATEST PERCENTAGE GAIN

1 Venue Church
Chattanooga, Tenn.
216%

2 Mercy Hill Church
Greensboro, N.C.
164%

3 Life Church Green Bay
De Pere, Wis.
144%

4 Cape Cod Church
East Falmouth, Mass.
107%

5 Calvary Fellowship
Miramar, Fla.
89%

6 Next Level Church
Somersworth, N.H.
51%

7 Embrace Church
Sioux Falls, S.D.
48%

8 Discovery Church Colorado
Colorado Springs, Colo.
46%

9 Word of Restoration
Rosharon, Texas
39%

10 The Church of Eleven22
Jacksonville, Fla.
35%

STATES WITH MOST FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES

21 TEXAS

11 FLORIDA

6 MICHIGAN

5 CALIFORNIA

4 ARIZONA

GEORGIA

INDIANA

NORTH CAROLINA

TENNESSEE

TOTAL ATTENDANCE

560,776

THIS YEAR'S FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES ADDED A COMBINED **73,715** TO THEIR ATTENDANCE COMPARED TO THEIR COMBINED 2014 ATTENDANCE, FOR A PERCENTAGE GAIN OF **24 PERCENT.**

TOP 10 GREATEST NUMERICAL GAIN

1 Church of the Highlands
Birmingham, Ala. **+5,947**

2 Crossroads
Cincinnati, Ohio **+5,674**

3 North Point Ministries
Alpharetta, Ga. **+3,270**

4 The Village Church
Flower Mound, Texas **+2,883**

5 New Life Church
Conway, Ark. **+2,012**

6 Eagle Brook Church
Lino Lakes, Minn. **+1,981**

7 Northview Church
Carmel, Ind. **+1,775**

8 Elevation Church
Matthews, N.C. **+1,727**

9 Gateway Church
Southlake, Texas **+1,673**

10 Celebration Church
Jacksonville, Fla. **+1,541**

YOUNGEST SENIOR PASTOR
Andrew Hopper
Mercy Hill Church
Greensboro, N.C.

BORN
1983

FOUNDING DATE OLDEST CHURCH
1842
First Baptist Raytown
Raytown, Mo.

FOUNDING DATE YOUNGEST CHURCH
2013
Venue Church
Chattanooga, Tenn.

TOTAL NUMBER OF CHURCHES THAT ARE

NONDENOMINATIONAL **50**

SOUTHERN BAPTIST **22**

INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN **7**

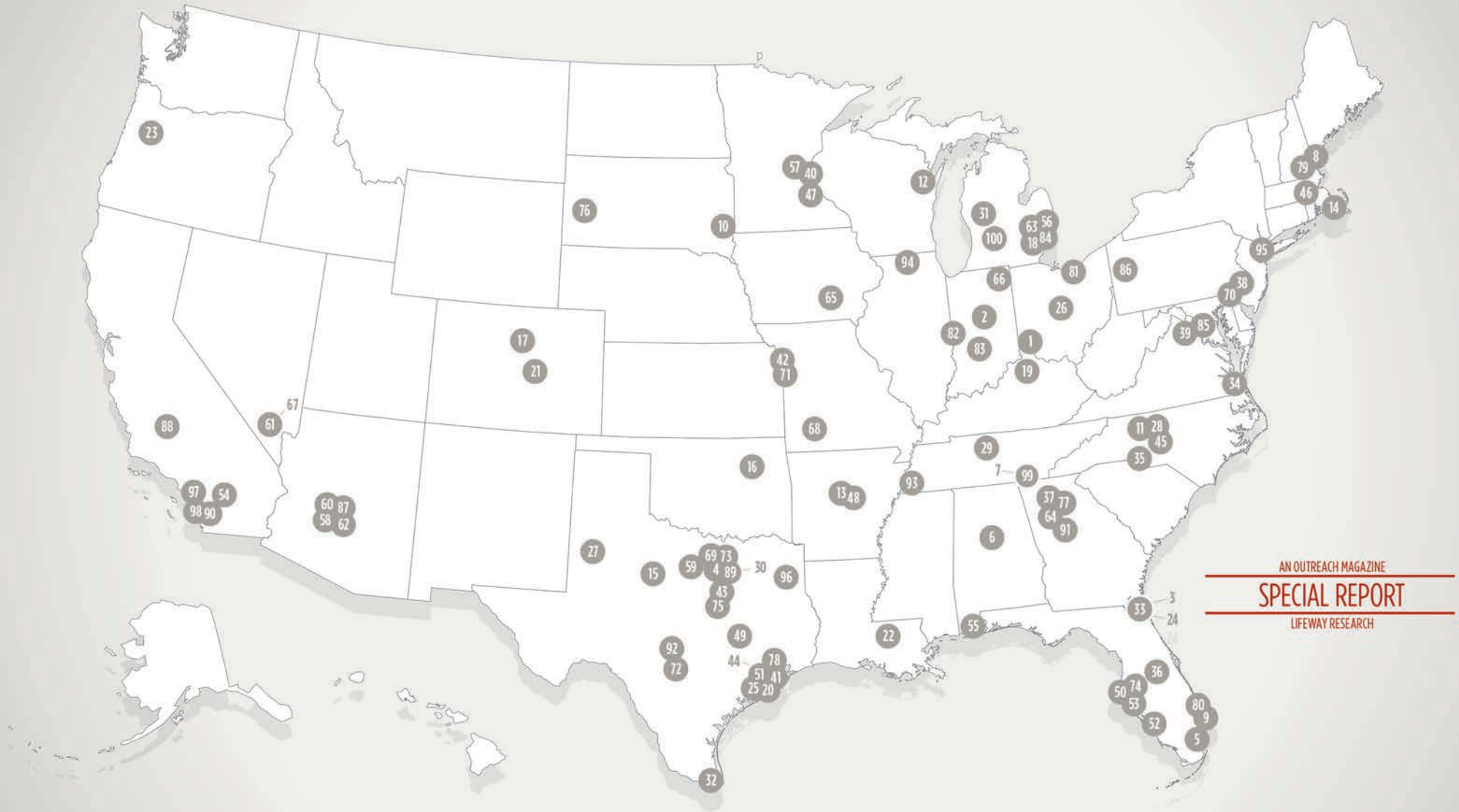
TOTAL ATTENDANCE
FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES

Alabama	33,276	Florida	71,107	Louisiana	6,315	New Hampshire	5,223	South Dakota	4,948
Arkansas	13,619	Georgia	58,217	Maine	2,203	Nevada	11,005	Tennessee	17,279
Arizona	10,846	Iowa	1,112	Michigan	22,196	Ohio	28,617	Texas	101,744
California	52,285	Illinois	3,976	Minnesota	30,429	Oklahoma	4,192	Virginia	6,210
Colorado	9,160	Indiana	13,104	Missouri	6,915	Oregon	2,619	Wisconsin	1,057
Delaware	1,227	Kentucky	2,606	North Carolina	34,942	Pennsylvania	4,347	**TOTAL**	**560,776**

2015

THE FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES IN AMERICA

100 THE FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES IN AMERICA



THE FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES IN AMERICA **2015**

RANK	CHURCH	CITY	STATE	PASTOR	WEBSITE	ATTENDANCE	GROWTH BY #	GROWTH BY %	FOUNDED
1	Crossroads	Cincinnati	OH	Brian Tome	Crossroads.net	22,738	5,674	33%	1995
2	Northview Church	Carmel	IN	Steve Poe	NorthviewChurch.us	7,140	1,775	33%	1980
3	The Church of Eleven22	Jacksonville	FL	Joby Martin	COE22.com	5,720	1,482	35%	2012
4	The Village Church	Flower Mound	TX	Matt Chandler	TheVillageChurch.net	13,079	2,883	28%	1979
5	Calvary Fellowship	Miramar	FL	Bob Franquiz	MyCalvary.com	2,094	987	89%	2000
6	Church of the Highlands	Birmingham	AL	Chris Hodges	ChurchOfTheHighlands.com	30,807	5,947	24%	2001
7	Venue Church	Chattanooga	TN	Tavner Smith	VenueChurch.com	1,063	727	216%	2013
8	Next Level Church	Somersworth	NH	Joshua Gagnon	NLC.tv	2,187	739	51%	2008
9	Family Church	West Palm Beach	FL	Jimmy Scroggins	GoFamilyChurch.org	3,145	802	34%	1901
10	Embrace Church	Sioux Falls	SD	Adam Weber	IAmEmbrace.com	2,114	687	48%	2006
11	Mercy Hill Church	Greensboro	NC	Andrew Hopper	MercyHillGSO.com	1,013	630	165%	2012
12	Life Church Green Bay	De Pere	WI	Shawn Hennessy	LifeChurchGreenBay.com	1,057	624	144%	2008
13	New Life Church	Conway	AR	Rick Bezet	NewLifeChurch.tv	12,271	2,012	20%	2001
14	Cape Cod Church	East Falmouth	MA	Ben Feldott	CapeCodChurch.com	1,190	616	107%	1992
15	Beltway Park Church	Abilene	TX	David McQueen	Beltway.org	3,950	815	26%	1985
16	theChurch.at	Broken Arrow	OK	Alex Himaya	theChurch.at	4,192	844	25%	1967
17	Red Rocks Church	Golden	CO	Shawn Johnson	RedRocksChurch.com	7,654	1,358	22%	2005
18	2|42 Community Church	Brighton	MI	David Dummitt	242Community.com	4,746	902	23%	2005
19	Immanuel Baptist Church	Lexington	KY	Ron Edmondson	IBCLex.com	2,606	625	32%	1909
20	Word of Restoration	Rosharon	TX	Charles E. Perry Jr.	WORIC.org	1,855	518	39%	2001
21	Discovery Church Colorado	Colorado Springs	CO	Greg Lindsey	MeTooPlace.com	1,506	474	46%	2003
22	Healing Place Church	Baton Rouge	LA	Mike Haman	HealingPlaceChurch.org	6,315	943	18%	1992
23	Peoples Church	Salem	OR	Scott Erickson	PeoplesChurch.com	2,619	544	26%	1953
24	Celebration Church	Jacksonville	FL	Stovall Weems	Celebration.org	11,929	1,541	15%	1998
25	River Pointe Church	Richmond	TX	Patrick Kelley	RiverPointe.org	4,789	785	20%	1996
26	Rock City Church	Columbus	OH	Chad Fisher	RockCityChurch.tv	1,984	449	29%	2011
27	Church on the Rock	Lubbock	TX	Jackie White	COTRLubbock.com	1,943	419	27%	1985
28	The Summit Church	Durham	NC	J.D. Greear	SummitRDu.com	8,275	993	14%	1962
29	Cross Point Church	Nashville	TN	Pete Wilson	CrossPoint.tv	6,515	805	14%	2002
30	Watermark Community Church	Dallas	TX	Todd Wagner	Watermark.org	10,876	1,201	12%	1999
31	Cornerstone United Methodist Church	Caledonia	MI	Brad Kalajainen	CornerstoneMI.org	2,282	427	23%	1990
32	Cross Church	San Benito	TX	Jaime Loya	CrossChurchOnline.com	1,935	394	26%	1995
33	Elevate Life Church	Jacksonville	FL	Tim Staier	ElevateLife.tv	1,526	346	29%	2010
34	Community Church	Chesapeake	VA	Michael Brueseke	CommunityChurch.info	2,506	427	21%	1989
35	Elevation Church	Matthews	NC	Steven Furtick	ElevationChurch.org	17,569	1,727	11%	2006
36	Real Life Christian Church	Clermont	FL	Justin Miller	Real.life	5,436	670	14%	1961
37	North Point Ministries	Alpharetta	GA	Andy Stanley	NorthPointMinistries.org	34,558	3,270	10%	1995
38	Epic Church	Philadelphia	PA	Kent Jacobs	EpicWired.net	1,482	328	28%	2008
39	The Life Church	Manassas	VA	David Baird	WeLoveChurch.com	2,205	404	22%	1999
40	Eagle Brook Church	Lino Lakes	MN	Bob Merritt	EagleBrookChurch.com	21,010	1,981	10%	1949
41	Silverlake Church	Pearland	TX	Reginald DeVaughn	TheSilverlakeChurch.net	2,684	424	19%	1995
42	First Baptist Raytown	Raytown	MO	Brandon Park	FirstBaptistRaytown.com	2,202	373	20%	1842
43	The Avenue Church	Waxahachie	TX	David Brown	TheAvenueChurch.com	3,093	421	16%	1941
44	Kingsland Baptist Church	Katy	TX	Ryan Rush	Kingsland.org	2,803	395	16%	1977
45	Hope Community Church	Raleigh	NC	Mike Lee	GetHope.net	8,085	793	11%	1994
46	Lifesong Church	Sutton	MA	David Payne	LifesongOnline.org	1,013	256	34%	2006
47	River Valley Church	Apple Valley	MN	Rob Ketterling	RiverValley.org	6,319	633	11%	1995
48	The Summit Church	North Little Rock	AR	Bill Elliff	TheSummitChurch.org	1,348	279	26%	1998
49	Brazos Fellowship	College Station	TX	Will Lewis	BrazosFellowship.com	1,475	286	24%	2005
50	Citylife Church	Tampa	FL	Tony Stewart	CitylifeChurch.cc	2,478	351	17%	1927

RANK	CHURCH	CITY	STATE	PASTOR	WEBSITE	ATTENDANCE	GROWTH BY #	GROWTH BY %	FOUNDED
51	Bear Creek Baptist Church	Katy	TX	David Welch	BearCreekChurch.tv	2,708	360	15%	1977
52	Next Level Church	Fort Myers	FL	Matt Keller	NextLevelChurch.com	3,152	396	14%	2002
53	Bayside Community Church	Bradenton	FL	Randy Bezet	BaysideCommunity.org	6,531	623	11%	2002
54	Southwest Church	Indian Wells	CA	Gerald Sharon	SouthwestChurch.com	3,626	405	13%	1972
55	3Circle Church	Fairhope	AL	Chris Bell	3CircleChurch.com	2,469	320	15%	2000
56	Woodside Bible Church	Troy	MI	Douglas Schmidt	WoodsideBible.org	8,262	701	9%	1955
57	Emmanuel Christian Center	Spring Lake Park	MN	Nate Ruch	EmmanuelCC.org	3,100	364	13%	1963
58	Broadway Christian Church	Mesa	AZ	John Enabnit	BCCMesa.com	1,648	271	20%	1978
59	North Side Baptist Church	Weatherford	TX	Van N. Houser	NSBCWeatherford.com	1,325	253	24%	1897
60	North Ridge Community Church	Cave Creek	AZ	Mike Burnidge	NorthRidge.org	1,250	241	24%	1994
61	Canyon Ridge Christian Church	Las Vegas	NV	Kevin Odor	CanyonRidge.org	6,850	599	10%	1993
62	Rock Point Church	Queen Creek	AZ	Bill Bush	RockPointChurch.com	2,088	284	16%	2002
63	Oak Pointe Church	Novi	MI	Bob Shirock	OakPointe.org	3,294	358	12%	1997
64	House of Hope Atlanta	Decatur	GA	E. Dewey Smith Jr.	HouseOfHopeAtl.org	5,455	491	10%	1876
65	The Bridge Church	Ottumwa	IA	Marty Schmidt	TheBridge.cc	1,112	224	25%	2007
66	County Line Church of God	Auburn	IN	Stuart Kruse	CountyLineChurch.org	1,689	254	18%	1897
67	Hope Church	Las Vegas	NV	Vance Pitman	HopeChurchOnline.com	2,290	289	14%	2001
68	Ridgecrest Baptist Church	Springfield	MO	Chad Grayson	RidgecrestBaptist.org	1,884	262	16%	1986
69	Gateway Church	Southlake	TX	Robert Morris	GatewayPeople.com	26,830	1,673	7%	2000
70	The Journey	Newark	DE	Mark Johnston	YourJourney.tv	1,227	222	22%	2007
71	Vineyard Church	Kansas City	MO	Fred Herron	VineyardKCNorth.com	2,829	301	12%	1990
72	CityChurch	San Antonio	TX	David Saathoff	BRCC.net	6,336	506	9%	1992
73	Hope Fellowship	Frisco	TX	John McKinzie	HopeFellowship.net	5,713	472	9%	2000
74	Grace Family Church	Lutz	FL	Craig Altman	GFCOnline.com	7,580	577	8%	1994
75	Antioch Community Church of Waco	Waco	TX	Jimmy Seibert	AntiochCC.com	3,096	314	11%	1999
76	Fountain Springs Church	Rapid City	SD	David Kinnan	FountainSpringsChurch.com	2,834	297	12%	1982
77	12Stone Church	Lawrenceville	GA	Kevin Myers	12Stone.com	16,657	1,011	6%	1987
78	First Baptist Church of Pasadena	Pasadena	TX	Charles Redmond	FBP.org	2,885	298	12%	1901
79	Manchester Christian Church	Manchester	NH	Bo Chancey	ManchesterChristian.com	3,036	301	11%	1961
80	Christ Fellowship Church	Palm Beach Gardens	FL	Todd Mullins	GoChristFellowship.com	21,516	1,256	6%	1984
81	Grace Church	Middleburg Heights	OH	Jonathan Schaeffer	GraceCMA.org	3,895	347	10%	1958
82	Maryland Community Church	Terre Haute	IN	Scot Longyear	MCCTH.org	1,754	227	15%	1925
83	Sherwood Oaks Christian Church	Bloomington	IN	Tom Ellsworth	SOCC.org	2,521	268	12%	1962
84	Heritage Church	Sterling Heights	MI	Jeff Forester	ExperienceHeritage.org	1,935	238	14%	2000
85	New Life Christian Church	Chantilly	VA	Brett Andrews	NewLife4Me.com	1,499	204	16%	1993
86	Victory Family Church	Cranberry Township	PA	John Nuzzo	LifeAtVictory.com	2,865	283	11%	1993
87	Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	Chandler	AZ	Linn Winters	CornerstoneOnline.com	5,860	432	8%	1995
88	Valley Bible Fellowship	Bakersfield	CA	Ron Vietti	VBF.org	11,625	699	6%	1975
89	Park Cities Baptist Church	Dallas	TX	Jeff Warren	PCBC.org	2,247	250	13%	1939
90	North Coast Church	Vista	CA	Larry Osborne, Chris Brown	NorthCoastChurch.com	10,357	635	7%	1978
91	Turning Point Church	McDonough	GA	Michael Turner	TurningPointChurch.tv	1,547	201	15%	2003
92	Nineteen:Ten church	Boerne	TX	Jason Brown	1910Church.com	1,116	161	17%	2006
93	Bellevue Baptist Church	Cordova	TN	Steve Gaines	Bellevue.org	7,006	456	7%	1903
94	Rockford First	Rockford	IL	Jeremy DeWeerdt	RockfordFirst.com	3,976	327	9%	1929
95	International Christian Center	Staten Island	NY	Ron Squibb	ICCNYC.org	1,865	215	13%	1947
96	Grace Creek Church	Longview	TX	Matt Benson	GraceCreekChurch.com	1,006	150	18%	2009
97	Saddleback Church	Lake Forest	CA	Rick Warren	Saddleback.com	25,031	1,051	4%	1980
98	New Song Community Church	Oceanside	CA	Hal Seed	NewsongChurch.com	1,646	201	14%	1992
99	Calvary Chapel Chattanooga	Chattanooga	TN	Frank Ramseur	CalvaryChatt.com	2,695	260	11%	2000
100	Victory Life Church	Battle Creek	MI	James Sunnock	VictoryLifeBC.com	1,677	201	14%	2002

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BY REGION

The Fastest-Growing Churches in America

Total Churches: **9**
Total Attendance: **73,204**
Average Attendance: **8,134**
Growth by Number: **6,255**
Growth by Percent: **16%**

West

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
CA	Bakersfield	Valley Bible Fellowship	88
CA	Indian Wells	Southwest Church	54
CA	Lake Forest	Saddleback Church	97
CA	Oceanside	New Song Community Church	98
CA	Vista	North Coast Church	90
CO	Colorado Springs	Discovery Church Colorado	21
CO	Golden	Red Rocks Church	17
NV	Las Vegas	Canyon Ridge Christian Church	61
NV	Las Vegas	Hope Church	67
OR	Salem	Peoples Church	23

Total Churches: **26**
Total Attendance: **116,782**
Average Attendance: **4,492**
Growth by Number: **15,050**
Growth by Percent: **18%**

Southwest

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
AZ	Cave Creek	North Ridge Community Church	60
AZ	Chandler	Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	87
AZ	Mesa	Broadway Christian Church	58
AZ	Queen Creek	Rock Point Church	62
OK	Broken Arrow	theChurch.at	16
TX	Abilene	Beltway Park Church	15
TX	Boerne	Nineteen:Ten church	92
TX	College Station	Brazos Fellowship	49
TX	Dallas	Park Cities Baptist Church	89
TX	Dallas	Watermark Community Church	30
TX	Flower Mound	The Village Church	4
TX	Frisco	Hope Fellowship	73
TX	Katy	Bear Creek Baptist Church	51
TX	Katy	Kingsland Baptist Church	44
TX	Longview	Grace Creek Church	96
TX	Lubbock	Church on the Rock	27
TX	Pasadena	First Baptist Church of Pasadena	78
TX	Pearland	Silverlake Church	41
TX	Richmond	River Pointe Church	25
TX	Rosharon	Word of Restoration	20
TX	San Antonio	CityChurch	72
TX	San Benito	Cross Church	32
TX	Southlake	Gateway Church	69
TX	Waco	Antioch Community Church of Waco	75
TX	Waxahachie	The Avenue Church	43
TX	Weatherford	North Side Baptist Church	59

100 BY REGION

The Fastest-Growing Churches in America

Total Churches: **24**
Total Attendance: **112,354**
Average Attendance: **4,681**
Growth by Number: **17,894**
Growth by Percent: **24%**

Midwest

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
IA	Ottumwa	The Bridge Church	65
IL	Rockford	Rockford First	94
IN	Auburn	County Line Church of God	66
IN	Bloomington	Sherwood Oaks Christian Church	83
IN	Carmel	Northview Church	2
IN	Terre Haute	Maryland Community Church	82
MI	Battle Creek	Victory Life Church	100
MI	Brighton	2|42 Community Church	18
MI	Caledonia	Cornerstone United Methodist Church	31
MI	Novi	Oak Pointe Church	63
MI	Sterling Heights	Heritage Church	84
MI	Troy	Woodside Bible Church	56
MN	Apple Valley	River Valley Church	47
MN	Lino Lakes	Eagle Brook Church	40
MN	Spring Lake Park	Emmanuel Christian Center	57
MO	Kansas City	Vineyard Church	71
MO	Raytown	First Baptist Raytown	42
MO	Springfield	Ridgecrest Baptist Church	68
OH	Cincinnati	Crossroads	1
OH	Columbus	Rock City Church	26
OH	Middleburg Heights	Grace Church	81
SD	Rapid City	Fountain Springs Church	76
SD	Sioux Falls	Embrace Church	10
WI	De Pere	Life Church Green Bay	12

Total Churches: **32**
Total Attendance: **243,571**
Average Attendance: **7,612**
Growth by Number: **31,556**
Growth by Percent: **30%**

Southeast

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
AL	Birmingham	Church of the Highlands	6
AL	Fairhope	3Circle Church	55
AR	Conway	New Life Church	13
AR	North Little Rock	The Summit Church	48
FL	Bradenton	Bayside Community Church	53
FL	Clermont	Real Life Christian Church	36
FL	Fort Myers	Next Level Church	52
FL	Jacksonville	Celebration Church	24
FL	Jacksonville	The Church of Eleven22	3
FL	Jacksonville	Elevate Life Church	33
FL	Lutz	Grace Family Church	74
FL	Miramar	Calvary Fellowship	5
FL	Palm Beach Gardens	Christ Fellowship Church	80
FL	West Palm Beach	Family Church	9
GA	Alpharetta	North Point Ministries	37
GA	Decatur	House of Hope Atlanta	64
GA	Lawrenceville	12Stone Church	77
GA	McDonough	Turning Point Church	91
KY	Lexington	Immanuel Baptist Church	19
LA	Baton Rouge	Healing Place Church	22
NC	Durham	The Summit Church	28
NC	Greensboro	Mercy Hill Church	11
NC	Matthews	Elevation Church	35
NC	Raleigh	Hope Community Church	45
TN	Chattanooga	Calvary Chapel Chattanooga	99
TN	Chattanooga	Venue Church	7
TN	Cordova	Bellevue Baptist Church	93
TN	Nashville	Cross Point Church	29
VA	Chantilly	New Life Christian Church	85
VA	Chesapeake	Community Church	34
VA	Manassas	The Life Church	39

Total Churches: **8**
Total Attendance: **14,865**
Average Attendance: **1,858**
Growth by Number: **2,960**
Growth by Percent: **35%**

Northeast

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
DE	Newark	The Journey	70
MA	East Falmouth	Cape Cod Church	14
MA	Sutton	Lifesong Church	46
NH	Manchester	Manchester Christian Church	79
NH	Somersworth	Next Level Church	8
NY	Staten Island	International Christian Center	95
PA	Cranberry Township	Victory Family Church	86
PA	Philadelphia	Epic Church	38

BY AFFILIATION

The Fastest-Growing Churches in America

CHURCH	CITY	STATE	RANK
ASSEMBLIES OF GOD			
Emmanuel Christian Center	Spring Lake Park	MN	57
International Christian Center	Staten Island	NY	95
Peoples Church	Salem	OR	23
River Valley Church	Apple Valley	MN	47
Rockford First	Rockford	IL	94
BAPTIST			
Cape Cod Church	East Falmouth	MA	14
First Baptist Church of Pasadena	Pasadena	TX	78
House of Hope Atlanta	Decatur	GA	64
Park Cities Baptist Church	Dallas	TX	89
BAPTIST - CONVERGE WORLDWIDE			
Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	Chandler	AZ	87
Eagle Brook Church	Lino Lakes	MN	40
BAPTIST – SOUTHERN BAPTIST			
3Circle Church	Fairhope	AL	55
The Avenue Church	Waxahachie	TX	43
Bear Creek Baptist Church	Katy	TX	51
Bellevue Baptist Church	Cordova	TN	93
Beltway Park Church	Abilene	TX	15
Brazos Fellowship	College Station	TX	49
Calvary Fellowship	Miramar	FL	5
Elevation Church	Matthews	NC	35
Family Church	West Palm Beach	FL	9
First Baptist Raytown	Raytown	MO	42
Hope Church	Las Vegas	NV	67
Immanuel Baptist Church	Lexington	KY	19
Kingsland Baptist Church	Katy	TX	44
Mercy Hill Church	Greensboro	NC	11
New Song Community Church	Oceanside	CA	98
North Side Baptist Church	Weatherford	TX	59
Ridgecrest Baptist Church	Springfield	MO	68
Saddleback Church	Lake Forest	CA	97
The Summit Church	Durham	NC	28
The Summit Church	North Little Rock	AR	48
theChurch.at	Broken Arrow	OK	16
The Village Church	Flower Mound	TX	4
CHRISTIAN - INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN CHURCHES			
2|42 Community Church	Brighton	MI	18
Broadway Christian Church	Mesa	AZ	58
Canyon Ridge Christian Church	Las Vegas	NV	61
Maryland Community Church	Terre Haute	IN	82
New Life Christian Church	Chantilly	VA	85
Real Life Christian Church	Clermont	FL	36
Sherwood Oaks Christian Church	Bloomington	IN	83
CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE			
Grace Church	Middleburg Heights	OH	81
CHURCH OF GOD - ANDERSON			
County Line Church of God	Auburn	IN	66
CHURCH OF GOD - CLEVELAND			
Citylife Church	Tampa	FL	50
EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH IN AMERICA			
Southwest Church	Indian Wells	CA	54
METHODIST – UNITED METHODIST			
Cornerstone United Methodist Church	Caledonia	MI	31
Embrace Church	Sioux Falls	SD	10

CHURCH	CITY	STATE	RANK
NONDENOMINATIONAL			
Antioch Community Church of Waco	Waco	TX	75
Bayside Community Church	Bradenton	FL	53
The Bridge Church	Ottumwa	IA	65
Calvary Chapel Chattanooga	Chattanooga	TN	99
Celebration Church	Jacksonville	FL	24
Christ Fellowship Church	Palm Beach Gardens	FL	80
The Church of Eleven22	Jacksonville	FL	3
Church of the Highlands	Birmingham	AL	6
Church on the Rock	Lubbock	TX	27
CityChurch	San Antonio	TX	72
Community Church	Chesapeake	VA	34
Cross Church	San Benito	TX	32
Cross Point Church	Nashville	TN	29
Crossroads	Cincinnati	OH	1
Discovery Church Colorado	Colorado Springs	CO	21
Elevate Life Church	Jacksonville	FL	33
Epic Church	Philadelphia	PA	38
Gateway Church	Southlake	TX	69
Grace Creek Church	Longview	TX	96
Grace Family Church	Lutz	FL	74
Healing Place Church	Baton Rouge	LA	22
Heritage Church	Sterling Heights	MI	84
Hope Community Church	Raleigh	NC	45
Hope Fellowship	Frisco	TX	73
The Journey	Newark	DE	70
Life Church Green Bay	De Pere	WI	12
The Life Church	Manassas	VA	39
Lifesong Church	Sutton	MA	46
Manchester Christian Church	Manchester	NH	79
New Life Church	Conway	AR	13
Next Level Church	Fort Myers	FL	52
Next Level Church	Somersworth	NH	8
Nineteen:Ten church	Boerne	TX	92
North Point Ministries	Alpharetta	GA	37
North Ridge Community Church	Cave Creek	AZ	60
Northview Church	Carmel	IN	2
Oak Pointe Church	Novi	MI	63
Red Rocks Church	Golden	CO	17
River Pointe Church	Richmond	TX	25
Rock City Church	Columbus	OH	26
Rock Point Church	Queen Creek	AZ	62
Silverlake Church	Pearland	TX	41
Turning Point Church	McDonough	GA	91
Valley Bible Fellowship	Bakersfield	CA	88
Venue Church	Chattanooga	TN	7
Victory Family Church	Cranberry Township	PA	86
Victory Life Church	Battle Creek	MI	100
Watermark Community Church	Dallas	TX	30
Woodside Bible Church	Troy	MI	56
Word of Restoration	Rosharon	TX	20
VINEYARD			
Vineyard Church	Kansas City	MO	71
WESLEYAN			
12Stone Church	Lawrenceville	GA	77
Fountain Springs Church	Rapid City	SD	76

BY CHURCH NAME

The Fastest-Growing Churches in America

CHURCH	CITY	STATE	RANK
12Stone Church	Lawrenceville	GA	77
2|42 Community Church	Brighton	MI	18
3Circle Church	Fairhope	AL	55
Antioch Community Church of Waco	Waco	TX	75
The Avenue Church	Waxahachie	TX	43
Bayside Community Church	Bradenton	FL	53
Bear Creek Baptist Church	Katy	TX	51
Bellevue Baptist Church	Cordova	TN	93
Beltway Park Church	Abilene	TX	15
Brazos Fellowship	College Station	TX	49
The Bridge Church	Ottumwa	IA	65
Broadway Christian Church	Mesa	AZ	58
Calvary Chapel Chattanooga	Chattanooga	TN	99
Calvary Fellowship	Miramar	FL	5
Canyon Ridge Christian Church	Las Vegas	NV	61
Cape Cod Church	East Falmouth	MA	14
Celebration Church	Jacksonville	FL	24
Christ Fellowship Church	Palm Beach Gardens	FL	80
The Church of Eleven22	Jacksonville	FL	3
Church of the Highlands	Birmingham	AL	6
Church on the Rock	Lubbock	TX	27
CityChurch	San Antonio	TX	72
Citylife Church	Tampa	FL	50
Community Church	Chesapeake	VA	34
Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	Chandler	AZ	87
Cornerstone United Methodist Church	Caledonia	MI	31
County Line Church of God	Auburn	IN	66
Cross Church	San Benito	TX	32
Cross Point Church	Nashville	TN	29
Crossroads	Cincinnati	OH	1
Discovery Church Colorado	Colorado Springs	CO	21
Eagle Brook Church	Lino Lakes	MN	40
Elevate Life Church	Jacksonville	FL	33
Elevation Church	Matthews	NC	35
Embrace Church	Sioux Falls	SD	10
Emmanuel Christian Center	Spring Lake Park	MN	57
Epic Church	Philadelphia	PA	38
Family Church	West Palm Beach	FL	9
First Baptist Church of Pasadena	Pasadena	TX	78
First Baptist Raytown	Raytown	MO	42
Fountain Springs Church	Rapid City	SD	76
Gateway Church	Southlake	TX	69
Grace Church	Middleburg Heights	OH	81
Grace Creek Church	Longview	TX	96
Grace Family Church	Lutz	FL	74
Healing Place Church	Baton Rouge	LA	22
Heritage Church	Sterling Heights	MI	84
Hope Church	Las Vegas	NV	67
Hope Community Church	Raleigh	NC	45
Hope Fellowship	Frisco	TX	73
House of Hope Atlanta	Decatur	GA	64
Immanuel Baptist Church	Lexington	KY	19
International Christian Center	Staten Island	NY	95
The Journey	Newark	DE	70
Kingsland Baptist Church	Katy	TX	44
The Life Church	Manassas	VA	39
Life Church Green Bay	De Pere	WI	12
Lifesong Church	Sutton	MA	46
Manchester Christian Church	Manchester	NH	79
Maryland Community Church	Terre Haute	IN	82
Mercy Hill Church	Greensboro	NC	11
New Life Christian Church	Chantilly	VA	85
New Life Church	Conway	AR	13
New Song Community Church	Oceanside	CA	98
Next Level Church	Fort Myers	FL	52
Next Level Church	Somersworth	NH	8
Nineteen:Ten church	Boerne	TX	92
North Coast Church	Vista	CA	90
North Point Ministries	Alpharetta	GA	37
North Ridge Community Church	Cave Creek	AZ	60
North Side Baptist Church	Weatherford	TX	59
Northview Church	Carmel	IN	2
Oak Pointe Church	Novi	MI	63
Park Cities Baptist Church	Dallas	TX	89
Peoples Church	Salem	OR	23
Real Life Christian Church	Clermont	FL	36
Red Rocks Church	Golden	CO	17
Ridgecrest Baptist Church	Springfield	MO	68
River Pointe Church	Richmond	TX	25
River Valley Church	Apple Valley	MN	47
Rock City Church	Columbus	OH	26
Rock Point Church	Queen Creek	AZ	62
Rockford First	Rockford	IL	94
Saddleback Church	Lake Forest	CA	97
Sherwood Oaks Christian Church	Bloomington	IN	83
Silverlake Church	Pearland	TX	41
Southwest Church	Indian Wells	CA	54
The Summit Church	Durham	NC	28
The Summit Church	North Little Rock	AR	48
theChurch.at	Broken Arrow	OK	16
Turning Point Church	McDonough	GA	91
Valley Bible Fellowship	Bakersfield	CA	88
Venue Church	Chattanooga	TN	7
Victory Family Church	Cranberry Township	PA	86
Victory Life Church	Battle Creek	MI	100
The Village Church	Flower Mound	TX	4
Vineyard Church	Kansas City	MO	71
Watermark Community Church	Dallas	TX	30
Woodside Bible Church	Troy	MI	56
Word of Restoration	Rosharon	TX	20

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THE 100 FASTEST-GROWING CHURCHES IN AMERICA

THE LARGEST CHURCHES

2015

FOUNDING DATE OLDEST CHURCH

1834

The Greater Allen Cathedral of New York
Jamaica, N.Y.

FOUNDING DATE YOUNGEST CHURCH

2012

The Church of Eleven22
Jacksonville, Fla.

TOTAL ATTENDANCE

1,075,581

MOST LOCATIONS

Saddleback Church 14
Lake Forest, Calif.

Church of the Highlands 11
Birmingham, Ala.

NewSpring Church 11
Anderson, S.C.

New Life Church 10
Conway, Ark.

Woodside Bible Church 10
Troy, Mich.

12Stone Church 9
Lawrenceville, Ga.

Christ Fellowship Church 9
Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.

The Crossing 9
Quincy, Ill.

Elevation Church 9
Matthews, N.C.

Cathedral of Faith 8
San Jose, Calif.

Shadow Mountain Community Church 8
El Cajon, Calif.

The Summit Church 8
Durham, N.C.

Voices of Faith Ministries 8
Stone Mountain, Ga.

STATES WITH MOST LARGEST CHURCHES

15 CALIFORNIA

15 TEXAS

10 FLORIDA

6 GEORGIA

6 TENNESSEE

5 ARIZONA

4 ILLINOIS & NORTH CAROLINA

TOTAL NUMBER OF CHURCHES THAT ARE

NONDENOMINATIONAL **45**

SOUTHERN BAPTIST **20**

INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN **14**

LARGEST AND FASTEST-GROWING

33 churches are listed as both Largest and Fastest-Growing. Here are the 10 largest.

North Point Ministries
Alpharetta, Ga.
No. 1 Largest
No. 37 Fastest-Growing
34,558

Church of the Highlands
Birmingham, Ala.
No. 2 Largest
No. 6 Fastest-Growing
30,807

Gateway Church
Southlake, Texas
No. 4 Largest
No. 69 Fastest-Growing
26,830

Saddleback Church
Lake Forest, Calif.
No. 6 Largest
No. 97 Fastest-Growing
25,031

Crossroads
Cincinnati, Ohio
No. 9 Largest
No. 1 Fastest-Growing
22,738

Christ Fellowship Church
Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
No. 10 Largest
No. 80 Fastest-Growing
21,516

Eagle Brook Church
Lino Lakes, Minn.
No. 11 Largest
No. 40 Fastest-Growing
21,010

Elevation Church
Matthews, N.C.
No. 15 Largest
No. 35 Fastest-Growing
17,569

12Stone Church
Lawrenceville, Ga.
No. 16 Largest
No. 77 Fastest-Growing
16,657

The Village Church
Flower Mound, Texas
No. 24 Largest
No. 4 Fastest-Growing
13,079

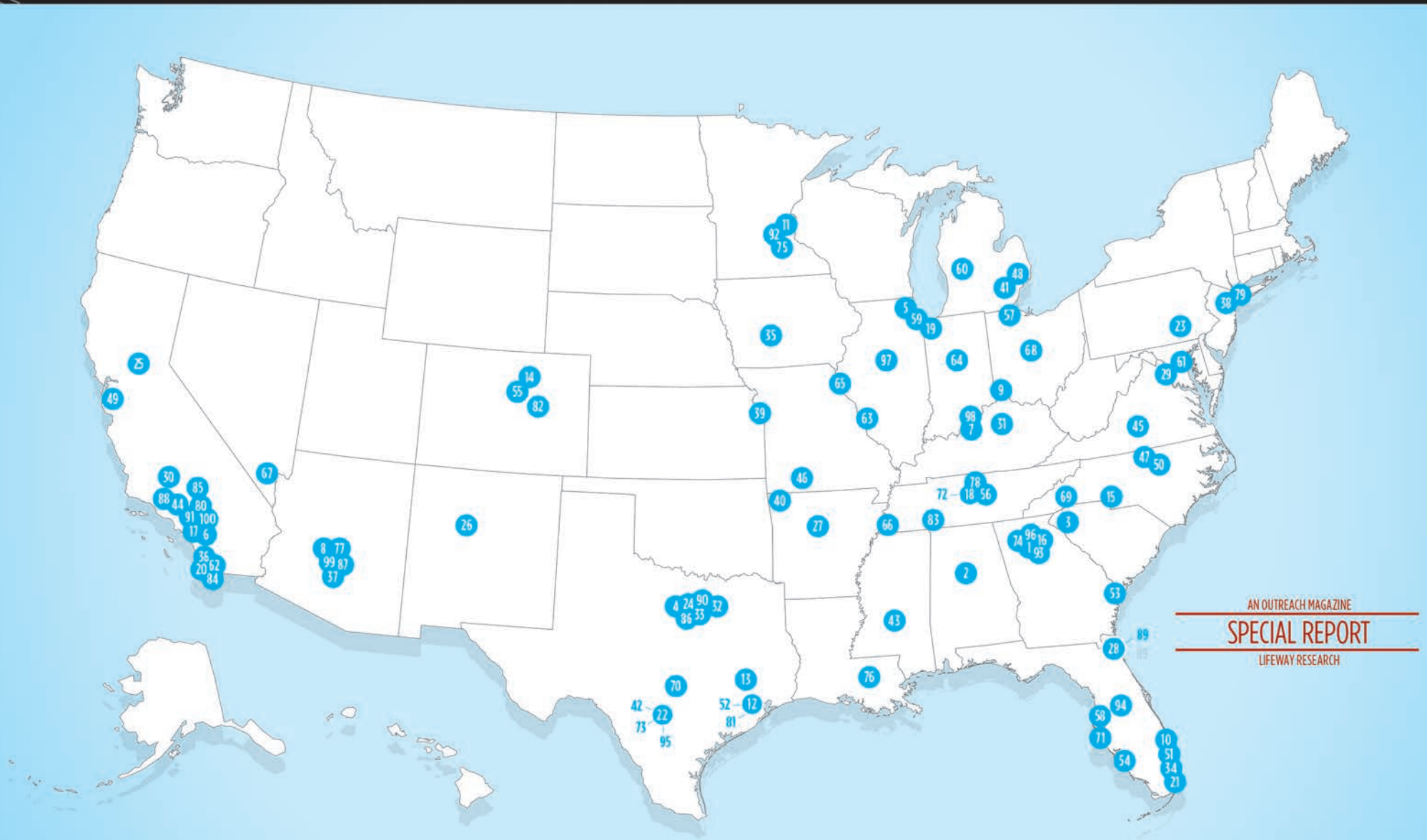
TOTAL ATTENDANCE
LARGEST CHURCHES

Alabama	30,807	Georgia	76,214	Louisiana	6,315	North Carolina	40,632	Pennsylvania	14,011
Arkansas	21,494	Iowa	10,783	Maryland	7,435	New Jersey	10,100	South Carolina	27,836
Arizona	50,517	Illinois	45,100	Michigan	24,751	New Mexico	12,477	Tennessee	49,592
California	149,383	Indiana	28,083	Minnesota	32,842	Nevada	6,850	Texas	167,580
Colorado	31,320	Kansas	9,621	Missouri	15,619	New York	6,280	Virginia	20,467
Florida	99,656	Kentucky	33,915	Mississippi	8,791	Ohio	37,100	**TOTAL**	**1,075,571**

2015

THE LARGEST CHURCHES IN AMERICA

100



THE LARGEST CHURCHES IN AMERICA **2015**

RANK	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	CITY	STATE	PASTOR	WEBSITE	FOUNDED
1	34,558	North Point Ministries	Alpharetta	GA	Andy Stanley	NorthPointMinistries.org	1995
2	30,807	Church of the Highlands	Birmingham	AL	Chris Hodges	ChurchOfTheHighlands.com	2001
3	27,836	NewSpring Church	Anderson	SC	Perry Noble	NewSpring.cc	2000
4	26,830	Gateway Church	Southlake	TX	Robert Morris	GatewayPeople.com	2000
5	25,172	Willow Creek Community Church	South Barrington	IL	Bill Hybels	WillowCreek.org	1975
6	25,031	Saddleback Church	Lake Forest	CA	Rick Warren	Saddleback.com	1980
7	23,012	Southeast Christian Church	Louisville	KY	Dave Stone	SoutheastChristian.org	1962
8	22,877	Christ's Church of the Valley	Peoria	AZ	Donald J. Wilson	CCV.church	1982
9	22,738	Crossroads	Cincinnati	OH	Brian Tome	Crossroads.net	1995
10	21,516	Christ Fellowship Church	Palm Beach Gardens	FL	Todd Mullins	GoChristFellowship.com	1984
11	21,010	Eagle Brook Church	Lino Lakes	MN	Bob Merritt	EagleBrookChurch.com	1949
12	19,507	Second Baptist Church	Houston	TX	H. Edwin Young	Second.org	1927
13	19,284	Woodlands Church	The Woodlands	TX	Kerry Shook	WoodlandsChurch.tv	1993
14	17,623	Flatirons Community Church	Lafayette	CO	Jim Burgen	FlatironsChurch.com	1983
15	17,569	Elevation Church	Matthews	NC	Steven Furtick	ElevationChurch.org	2006
16	16,657	12Stone Church	Lawrenceville	GA	Kevin Myers	12Stone.com	1987
17	16,305	Mariners Church	Irvine	CA	Kenton Beshore	MarinersChurch.org	1963
18	16,111	Mount Zion Baptist Church	Nashville	TN	Joseph W. Walker III	MtZionNashville.org	1866
19	15,600	Family Christian Center	Munster	IN	Steve Munsey	FCC4Me.com	1953
20	14,608	The Rock Church	San Diego	CA	Miles McPherson	SDRock.com	2000
21	14,332	King Jesus International Ministry	Miami	FL	Guillermo Maldonado	KingJesusMinistry.org	1996
22	14,070	Community Bible Church	San Antonio	TX	Robert Emmitt	CommunityBible.com	1990
23	14,011	LCBC Church	Manheim	PA	David Ashcraft	LCBCChurch.com	1986
24	13,079	The Village Church	Flower Mound	TX	Matt Chandler	TheVillageChurch.net	1979
25	12,520	Bayside Church	Roseville	CA	Ray Johnston	BaysideOnline.com	1995
26	12,477	Calvary Albuquerque	Albuquerque	NM	Skip Heitzig	CalvaryAbq.org	1982
27	12,271	New Life Church	Conway	AR	Rick Bezet	NewLifeChurch.tv	2001
28	11,929	Celebration Church	Jacksonville	FL	Stovall Weems	Celebration.org	1998
29	11,867	McLean Bible Church	Vienna	VA	Lon Solomon	McLeanBible.org	1961
30	11,625	Valley Bible Fellowship	Bakersfield	CA	Ron Vietti	VBF.org	1975
31	10,903	Southland Christian Church	Nicholasville	KY	Jon Weece	SouthlandChristian.org	1956
32	10,899	Lake Pointe Church	Rockwall	TX	Steve Stroope	LakePointe.org	1979
33	10,876	Watermark Community Church	Dallas	TX	Todd Wagner	Watermark.org	1999
34	10,857	Potential Church	Cooper City	FL	Troy Gramling	PotentialChurch.com	1981
35	10,783	Lutheran Church of Hope	West Des Moines	IA	Mike Housholder	HopeWDM.org	1994
36	10,357	North Coast Church	Vista	CA	Larry Osborne, Chris Brown	NorthCoastChurch.com	1978
37	10,144	Central Christian Church	Mesa	AZ	Cal Jernigan	CentralAZ.com	1959
38	10,100	Faith Fellowship Ministries World Outreach Center	Sayreville	NJ	David T. Demola	FFMWOC.org	1980
39	9,621	The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection	Leawood	KS	Adam Hamilton	COR.org	1990
40	9,223	Cross Church	Springdale	AR	Ronnie Floyd	CrossChurch.com	1870
41	8,988	NorthRidge Church	Plymouth	MI	Brad Powell	NorthRidgeChurch.com	1928
42	8,961	Oak Hills Church	San Antonio	TX	Randy Frazee, Max Lucado	OakHillsChurch.com	1958
43	8,791	Pinelake Church	Brandon	MS	Chip Henderson	Pinelake.org	1971
44	8,755	Shepherd Church	Porter Ranch	CA	Dudley Rutherford	ShepherdChurch.com	1995
45	8,600	Thomas Road Baptist Church	Lynchburg	VA	Jonathan Falwell	TRBC.org	1956
46	8,384	James River Church	Ozark	MO	John Lindell	JamesRiver.org	1991
47	8,275	The Summit Church	Durham	NC	J.D. Greear	SummitRDu.com	1962
48	8,262	Woodside Bible Church	Troy	MI	Douglas Schmidt	WoodsideBible.org	1955
49	8,200	Cathedral of Faith	San Jose	CA	Ken Foreman	CathedralOfFaith.org	1959
50	8,085	Hope Community Church	Raleigh	NC	Mike Lee	GetHope.net	1994

RANK	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	CITY	STATE	PASTOR	WEBSITE	FOUNDED
51	8,079	Church by the Glades	Coral Springs	FL	David Hughes	CBGlades.com	1981
52	8,019	Houston's First Baptist Church	Houston	TX	Gregg Matte	HoustonsFirst.org	1841
53	7,818	Savannah Christian Church	Savannah	GA	Cam Huxford	SavannahChristian.com	1963
54	7,676	First Assembly of God	Ft. Myers	FL	Dan Betzer	FamFM.com	1946
55	7,654	Red Rocks Church	Golden	CO	Shawn Johnson	RedRocksChurch.com	2005
56	7,650	World Outreach Church	Murfreesboro	TN	G. Allen Jackson	WOChurch.org	1980
57	7,588	CedarCreek Church	Perrysburg	OH	Lee Powell	CedarCreek.tv	1995
58	7,580	Grace Family Church	Lutz	FL	Craig Altman	GFCOnline.com	1994
59	7,554	Parkview Christian Church	Orland Park	IL	Timothy Harlow	ParkviewChurch.com	1951
60	7,501	Ada Bible Church	Ada	MI	Jeff Manion	AdaBible.org	1978
61	7,435	Reid Temple AME Church	Glenn Dale	MD	Lee P. Washington	ReidTemple.org	1969
62	7,327	Shadow Mountain Community Church	El Cajon	CA	David Jeremiah	ShadowMountain.org	1973
63	7,235	Faith Church	St. Louis	MO	David Crank, Nicole Crank	FaithChurch.com	2003
64	7,140	Northview Church	Carmel	IN	Steve Poe	NorthviewChurch.us	1980
65	7,027	The Crossing	Quincy	IL	Jerry Harris	TheCrossing.net	1974
66	7,006	Bellevue Baptist Church	Cordova	TN	Steve Gaines	Bellevue.org	1903
67	6,850	Canyon Ridge Christian Church	Las Vegas	NV	Kevin Odor	CanyonRidge.org	1993
68	6,774	Vineyard Columbus	Westerville	OH	Rich Nathan	VineyardColumbus.org	1974
69	6,703	Biltmore Baptist Church	Arden	NC	Bruce Frank	BiltmoreBaptist.org	1888
70	6,541	The Austin Stone Community Church	Austin	TX	Matthew Carter	AustinStone.org	2002
71	6,531	Bayside Community Church	Bradenton	FL	Randy Bezet	BaysideCommunity.org	2002
72	6,515	Cross Point Church	Nashville	TN	Pete Wilson	CrossPoint.tv	2002
73	6,336	CityChurch	San Antonio	TX	David Saathoff	BRCC.net	1992
74	6,326	First Baptist Church	Woodstock	GA	Johnny Hunt	FBCW.org	1837
75	6,319	River Valley Church	Apple Valley	MN	Rob Ketterling	RiverValley.org	1995
76	6,315	Healing Place Church	Baton Rouge	LA	Mike Haman	HealingPlaceChurch.org	1992
77	6,296	Scottsdale Bible Church	Scottsdale	AZ	Jamie Rasmussen	ScottsdaleBible.com	1962
78	6,282	Long Hollow Baptist Church	Hendersonville	TN		LongHollow.com	1977
79	6,280	The Greater Allen Cathedral of New York	Jamaica	NY	Floyd H. Flake	AllenCathedral.org	1834
80	6,170	Water of Life Community Church	Fontana	CA	Danny Carroll	WaterOfLifeCC.org	1990
81	6,159	The Church Without Walls	Houston	TX	Ralph D. West	ChurchWithoutWalls.org	1987
82	6,043	Cherry Hills Community Church	Highlands Ranch	CO	Shane Farmer	CHCC.org	1982
83	6,028	Hope Presbyterian Church	Memphis	TN	Rufus Smith	HopeChurchMemphis.com	1988
84	6,008	EastLake Church	Chula Vista	CA	Mike Meeks	EastLakeChurch.com	1991
85	5,956	High Desert Church	Victorville	CA	Tom Mercer	HighDesertChurch.com	1960
86	5,895	Crossroads Christian Church	Grand Prairie	TX	Barry L. Cameron	CrossroadsChristian.org	1970
87	5,860	Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	Chandler	AZ	Linn Winters	CornerstoneOnline.com	1995
88	5,728	Real Life Church	Valencia	CA	Rusty George	RealLifeChurch.org	2000
89	5,720	The Church of Eleven22	Jacksonville	FL	Joby Martin	COE22.com	2012
90	5,713	Hope Fellowship	Frisco	TX	John McKinzie	HopeFellowship.net	2000
91	5,534	Christ's Church of the Valley	San Dimas	CA	Jeff Vines	CCVSoCal.com	1952
92	5,513	Hosanna Lutheran Church	Lakeville	MN	Bill Bohline	HosannaLC.org	1980
93	5,455	House of Hope Atlanta	Decatur	GA	E. Dewey Smith Jr.	HouseofHopeAtl.org	1876
94	5,436	Real Life Christian Church	Clermont	FL	Justin Miller	Real.life	1961
95	5,411	Westover Hills Assembly of God	San Antonio	TX	Jim Rion	WHAG.net	1986
96	5,400	Voices of Faith Ministries	Stone Mountain	GA	Gary Hawkins Sr.	VoicesFaith.org	1994
97	5,347	Eastview Christian Church	Normal	IL	Mike Baker	EastviewChurch.net	1954
98	5,343	Northside Christian Church	New Albany	IN	George Ross	MyNorthside.com	1970
99	5,340	Mission Community Church	Gilbert	AZ	Joel Thomas	Mission68.org	1995
100	5,269	Crossroads Christian Church	Corona	CA	Chuck Booher	CrossroadsChurch.com	1892

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BY REGION

The Largest Churches in America

Total Churches: **19**
Total Attendance: **187,563**
Average Attendance: **9,872**

West

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
CA	Bakersfield	Valley Bible Fellowship	30
CA	Chula Vista	EastLake Church	84
CA	Corona	Crossroads Christian Church	100
CA	El Cajon	Shadow Mountain Community Church	62
CA	Fontana	Water of Life Community Church	80
CA	Irvine	Mariners Church	17
CA	Lake Forest	Saddleback Church	6
CA	Porter Ranch	Shepherd Church	44
CA	Roseville	Bayside Church	25
CA	San Diego	The Rock Church	20
CA	San Dimas	Christ's Church of the Valley	91
CA	San Jose	Cathedral of Faith	49
CA	Valencia	Real Life Church	88
CA	Victorville	High Desert Church	85
CA	Vista	North Coast Church	36
CO	Golden	Red Rocks Church	55
CO	Highlands Ranch	Cherry Hills Community Church	82
CO	Lafayette	Flatirons Community Church	14
NV	Las Vegas	Canyon Ridge Christian Church	67

Total Churches: **22**
Total Attendance: **239,562**
Average Attendance: **10,899**

Southwest

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
AZ	Chandler	Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	87
AZ	Gilbert	Mission Community Church	99
AZ	Mesa	Central Christian Church	37
AZ	Peoria	Christ's Church of the Valley	8
AZ	Scottsdale	Scottsdale Bible Church	77
MI	Plymouth	NorthRidge Church	41
NM	Albuquerque	Calvary Albuquerque	26
TX	Austin	The Austin Stone Community Church	70
TX	Dallas	Watermark Community Church	33
TX	Flower Mound	The Village Church	24
TX	Frisco	Hope Fellowship	90
TX	Grand Prairie	Crossroads Christian Church	86
TX	Houston	The Church Without Walls	81
TX	Houston	Houston's First Baptist Church	52
TX	Houston	Second Baptist Church	12
TX	Rockwall	Lake Pointe Church	32
TX	San Antonio	CityChurch	73
TX	San Antonio	Community Bible Church	22
TX	San Antonio	Oak Hills Church	42
TX	San Antonio	Westover Hills Assembly of God	95
TX	Southlake	Gateway Church	4
TX	The Woodlands	Woodlands Church	13

BY REGION

The Largest Churches in America

Total Churches: **19**
Total Attendance: **194,911**
Average Attendance: **10,258**

Midwest

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
IA	West Des Moines	Lutheran Church of Hope	35
IL	Normal	Eastview Christian Church	97
IL	Orland Park	Parkview Christian Church	59
IL	Quincy	The Crossing	65
IL	South Barrington	Willow Creek Community Church	5
IN	Carmel	Northview Church	64
IN	Munster	Family Christian Center	19
IN	New Albany	Northside Christian Church	98
KS	Leawood	The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection	39
MI	Ada	Ada Bible Church	60
MI	Troy	Woodside Bible Church	48
MN	Apple Valley	River Valley Church	75
MN	Lakeville	Hosanna Lutheran Church	92
MN	Lino Lakes	Eagle Brook Church	11
MO	Ozark	James River Church	46
MO	St. Louis	Faith Church	63
OH	Cincinnati	Crossroads	9
OH	Perrysburg	CedarCreek Church	57
OH	Westerville	Vineyard Columbus	68

Total Churches: **4**
Total Attendance: **37,826**
Average Attendance: **9,457**

Northeast

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
MD	Glenn Dale	Reid Temple AME Church	61
NJ	Sayreville	Faith Fellowship Ministries World Outreach Center	38
NY	Jamaica	The Greater Allen Cathedral of New York	79
PA	Manheim	LCBC Church	23

Total Churches: **36**
Total Attendance: **415,719**
Average Attendance: **11,548**

Southeast

STATE	CITY	CHURCH	RANK
AL	Birmingham	Church of the Highlands	2
AR	Conway	New Life Church	27
AR	Springdale	Cross Church	40
FL	Bradenton	Bayside Community Church	71
FL	Clermont	Real Life Christian Church	94
FL	Cooper City	Potential Church	34
FL	Coral Springs	Church by the Glades	51
FL	Ft. Myers	First Assembly of God	54
FL	Jacksonville	Celebration Church	28
FL	Jacksonville	The Church of Eleven22	89
FL	Lutz	Grace Family Church	58
FL	Miami	King Jesus International Ministry	21
FL	Palm Beach Gardens	Christ Fellowship Church	10
GA	Alpharetta	North Point Ministries	1
GA	Decatur	House of Hope Atlanta	93
GA	Lawrenceville	12Stone Church	16
GA	Savannah	Savannah Christian Church	53
GA	Stone Mountain	Voices of Faith Ministries	96
GA	Woodstock	First Baptist Church	74
KY	Louisville	Southeast Christian Church	7
KY	Nicholasville	Southland Christian Church	31
LA	Baton Rouge	Healing Place Church	76
MS	Brandon	Pinelake Church	43
NC	Arden	Biltmore Baptist Church	69
NC	Durham	The Summit Church	47
NC	Matthews	Elevation Church	15
NC	Raleigh	Hope Community Church	50
SC	Anderson	NewSpring Church	3
TN	Cordova	Bellevue Baptist Church	66
TN	Hendersonville	Long Hollow Baptist Church	78
TN	Memphis	Hope Presbyterian Church	83
TN	Murfreesboro	World Outreach Church	56
TN	Nashville	Cross Point Church	72
TN	Nashville	Mount Zion Baptist Church	18
VA	Lynchburg	Thomas Road Baptist Church	45
VA	Vienna	McLean Bible Church	29

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AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL			
The Greater Allen Cathedral of New York	Jamaica	NY	79
Reid Temple AME Church	Glenn Dale	MD	61
ASSEMBLIES OF GOD			
First Assembly of God	Ft. Myers	FL	54
James River Church	Ozark	MO	46
River Valley Church	Apple Valley	MN	75
Westover Hills Assembly of God	San Antonio	TX	95
BAPTIST			
The Austin Stone Community Church	Austin	TX	70
House of Hope Atlanta	Decatur	GA	93
Mount Zion Baptist Church	Nashville	TN	18
BAPTIST – CONVERGE WORLDWIDE			
Cornerstone Christian Fellowship	Chandler	AZ	87
Eagle Brook Church	Lino Lakes	MN	11
BAPTIST – SOUTHERN BAPTIST			
Bellevue Baptist Church	Cordova	TN	66
Biltmore Baptist Church	Arden	NC	69
Church by the Glades	Coral Springs	FL	51
The Church Without Walls	Houston	TX	81
Cross Church	Springdale	AR	40
Elevation Church	Matthews	NC	15
First Baptist Church	Woodstock	GA	74
Houston's First Baptist Church	Houston	TX	52
Lake Pointe Church	Rockwall	TX	32
Long Hollow Baptist Church	Hendersonville	TN	78
NewSpring Church	Anderson	SC	3
Pinelake Church	Brandon	MS	43
Potential Church	Cooper City	FL	34
Saddleback Church	Lake Forest	CA	6
Second Baptist Church	Houston	TX	12
Shadow Mountain Community Church	El Cajon	CA	62
The Summit Church	Durham	NC	47
Thomas Road Baptist Church	Lynchburg	VA	45
The Village Church	Flower Mound	TX	24
Woodlands Church	The Woodlands	TX	13
CALVARY CHAPEL			
Calvary Albuquerque	Albuquerque	NM	26
CHRISTIAN – INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN CHURCHES			
Canyon Ridge Christian Church	Las Vegas	NV	67
Central Christian Church	Mesa	AZ	37
Christ's Church of the Valley	San Dimas	CA	91
The Crossing	Quincy	IL	65
Crossroads Christian Church	Corona	CA	100
Crossroads Christian Church	Grand Prairie	TX	86
Eastview Christian Church	Normal	IL	97
Northside Christian Church	New Albany	IN	98
Parkview Christian Church	Orland Park	IL	59
Real Life Christian Church	Clermont	FL	94
Real Life Church	Valencia	CA	88
Savannah Christian Church	Savannah	GA	53
Southeast Christian Church	Louisville	KY	7
Southland Christian Church	Nicholasville	KY	31
EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH			
Bayside Church	Roseville	CA	25
EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH IN AMERICA			
North Coast Church	Vista	CA	36

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LUTHERAN			
Hosanna Lutheran Church	Lakeville	MN	92
LUTHERAN – EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA (ELCA)			
Lutheran Church of Hope	West Des Moines	IA	35
METHODIST – UNITED METHODIST			
The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection	Leawood	KS	39
NONDENOMINATIONAL			
Ada Bible Church	Ada	MI	60
Bayside Community Church	Bradenton	FL	71
Cathedral of Faith	San Jose	CA	49
CedarCreek Church	Perrysburg	OH	57
Celebration Church	Jacksonville	FL	28
Christ Fellowship Church	Palm Beach Gardens	FL	10
Christ's Church of the Valley	Peoria	AZ	8
The Church of Eleven22	Jacksonville	FL	89
Church of the Highlands	Birmingham	AL	2
CityChurch	San Antonio	TX	73
Community Bible Church	San Antonio	TX	22
Cross Point Church	Nashville	TN	72
Crossroads	Cincinnati	OH	9
EastLake Church	Chula Vista	CA	84
Faith Church	St. Louis	MO	63
Faith Fellowship Ministries World Outreach Center	Sayreville	NJ	38
Family Christian Center	Munster	IN	19
Flatirons Community Church	Lafayette	CO	14
Gateway Church	Southlake	TX	4
Grace Family Church	Lutz	FL	58
Healing Place Church	Baton Rouge	LA	76
High Desert Church	Victorville	CA	85
Hope Community Church	Raleigh	NC	50
Hope Fellowship	Frisco	TX	90
King Jesus International Ministry	Miami	FL	21
LCBC Church	Manheim	PA	23
Mariners Church	Irvine	CA	17
McLean Bible Church	Vienna	VA	29
Mission Community Church	Gilbert	AZ	99
New Life Church	Conway	AR	27
North Point Ministries	Alpharetta	GA	1
NorthRidge Church	Plymouth	MI	41
Northview Church	Carmel	IN	64
Oak Hills Church	San Antonio	TX	42
Red Rocks Church	Golden	CO	55
The Rock Church	San Diego	CA	20
Scottsdale Bible Church	Scottsdale	AZ	77
Shepherd Church	Porter Ranch	CA	44
Valley Bible Fellowship	Bakersfield	CA	30
Voices of Faith Ministries	Stone Mountain	GA	96
Water of Life Community Church	Fontana	CA	80
Watermark Community Church	Dallas	TX	33
Willow Creek Community Church	South Barrington	IL	5
Woodside Bible Church	Troy	MI	48
World Outreach Church	Murfreesboro	TN	56
Valley Bible Fellowship	Bakersfield	CA	30
PRESBYTERIAN – EVANGELICAL			
Cherry Hills Community Church	Highlands Ranch	CO	82
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