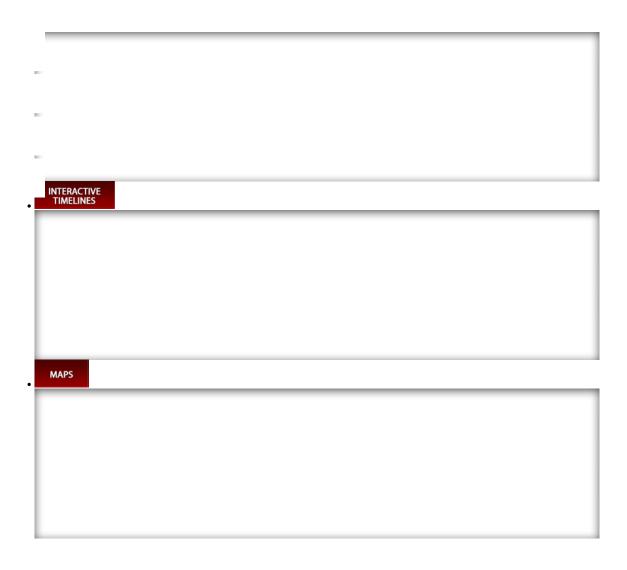


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The main body of Latter-day Saints is headquarted in Salt Lake City, Utah, where the Salt Lake Temple and Tabernacle are located. This church was organized on April 6, 1830 at Fayette, New York by Joseph Smith. Members believe that Joseph Smith was divinely directed to restore the gospel to the earth, and that through him the keys to the Aaronic and Melchizedek priesthoods and temple work also were restored.

Using data from the 1980-2010 Religious Congregations and Membership Studies, this list ranks U.S. states on the highest total number of adherents and the highest percent of the population in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. You can sort the list by clicking on the column headings.

Congregational "Adherents" include all full members, their children, and others who regularly attend services. "Percent" is the percentage of the total population that belongs to that denomination. Note: Adherents are sometimes residents of a county different than the location of their congregation.

[$\underline{\text{More information on the data source}}$]

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Ranking	State [Download CSV]	Adherents	Percent
28	Alabama	34,349	0.72
8	Alaska	32,170	4.53
5	Arizona	392,918	6.15
22	Arkansas	27,559	0.95
13	California	763,818	2.05
12	Colorado	142,473	2.83
36	Connecticut	14,990	0.42
33	Delaware	4,832	0.54
41	District Of Columbia	420	0.07
27	Florida	136,925	0.73
25	Georgia	77,587	0.8
6	Hawaii	69,872	5.14
2	Idaho	409,265	26.11

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	Illinois	55,750	0.43
	Indiana	41,290	0.64
	Iowa	24,614	0.81
	Kansas	34,190	1.2
	Kentucky	31,991	0.74
	Louisiana	28,567	0.63
	Maine	10,684	0.8
۷۷	Maryland	42,614	0.74
	Massachusetts	24,965	0.38
	Michigan	42,319	0.43
32	Minnesota	30,603	0.58
28	Mississippi	21,217	0.72
20	Missouri	66,071	1.1
7	Montana	46,484	4.7
14	Nebraska	23,398	1.28
4	Nevada	175,149	6.49
31	New Hampshire	8,231	0.63
40	New Jersey	31,673	0.36
11	New Mexico	67,637	3.28
37	New York	78,031	0.4
24	North Carolina	76,782	0.81
21	North Dakota	6,930	1.03
34	Ohio	58,605	0.51
18	Oklahoma	43,033	1.15
10	Oregon	147,965	3.86
38	Pennsylvania	49,794	0.39
40	Rhode Island	3,833	0.36
24	South Carolina	37,391	0.81
15	South Dakota	9,812	1.21
28	Tennessee	45,675	0.72
17	Texas	296,141	1.18
1	Utah	1,910,504	69.12
29	Vermont	4,384	0.7
19	Virginia	89,800	1.12
9	Washington	267,267	3.97
23	West Virginia	16,710	0.9
35	Wisconsin	24,496	0.43
3	Wyoming	62,804	11.14

^{*} In an effort to better match the ASARB standards for adherents, a few religious bodies changed the way their adherents were reported in 2010, including Amish groups, Friends groups, Jewish groups, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Non-denominational Christian Churches, and the United Methodist Church. This change does not affect any of the data in the newly released 2010 U.S. Religion Census: Religious Congregations & Membership Study. In fact, the data for these groups are now more comparable to that of other bodies than it was in previous decadal reports.

However, the change in methodology can distort assessments on growth or decline between 2000 and 2010 for each of these groups. County-level 2000 data using the new methodology are not readily available. ASARB staff has adjusted some 2000 county-level adherent statistics to allow for a more accurate picture on growth or decline. The revised maps and charts are now available on-line at www.usreligioncensus.org for those who are interested in these trends.

Source

2010 data were collected by the <u>Association of Statisticians of American Religious Bodies (ASARB)</u> and include statistics for 236 religious groups, providing information on the number of their congregations and adherents within each state and county in the United States. Clifford Grammich, Kirk Hadaway, Richard Houseal, Dale E. Jones, Alexei Krindatch, Richie Stanley and Richard H. Taylor supervised the collection. These data originally appeared in 2010 U.S. Religion Census: Religious Congregations & Membership Study, published by the <u>Association of Statisticians of American Religious Bodies (ASARB)</u>. [More information on the data collection]

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