

5,132

CHURCHES IN
NORTH AMERICA

70

MEDIAN ATTENDEES
ON A REGULAR WEEK

3.7%

GROSS GROWTH
FROM 2024

187

NEW CHURCHES
PLANTED THIS YEAR

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CHURCH STATISTICS

UPCI CHURCHES

Church status

The UPCI has 5,132 churches in North America, which includes 4,312 self-governing churches, 487 daughter works, and 333 preaching points.

Attendance

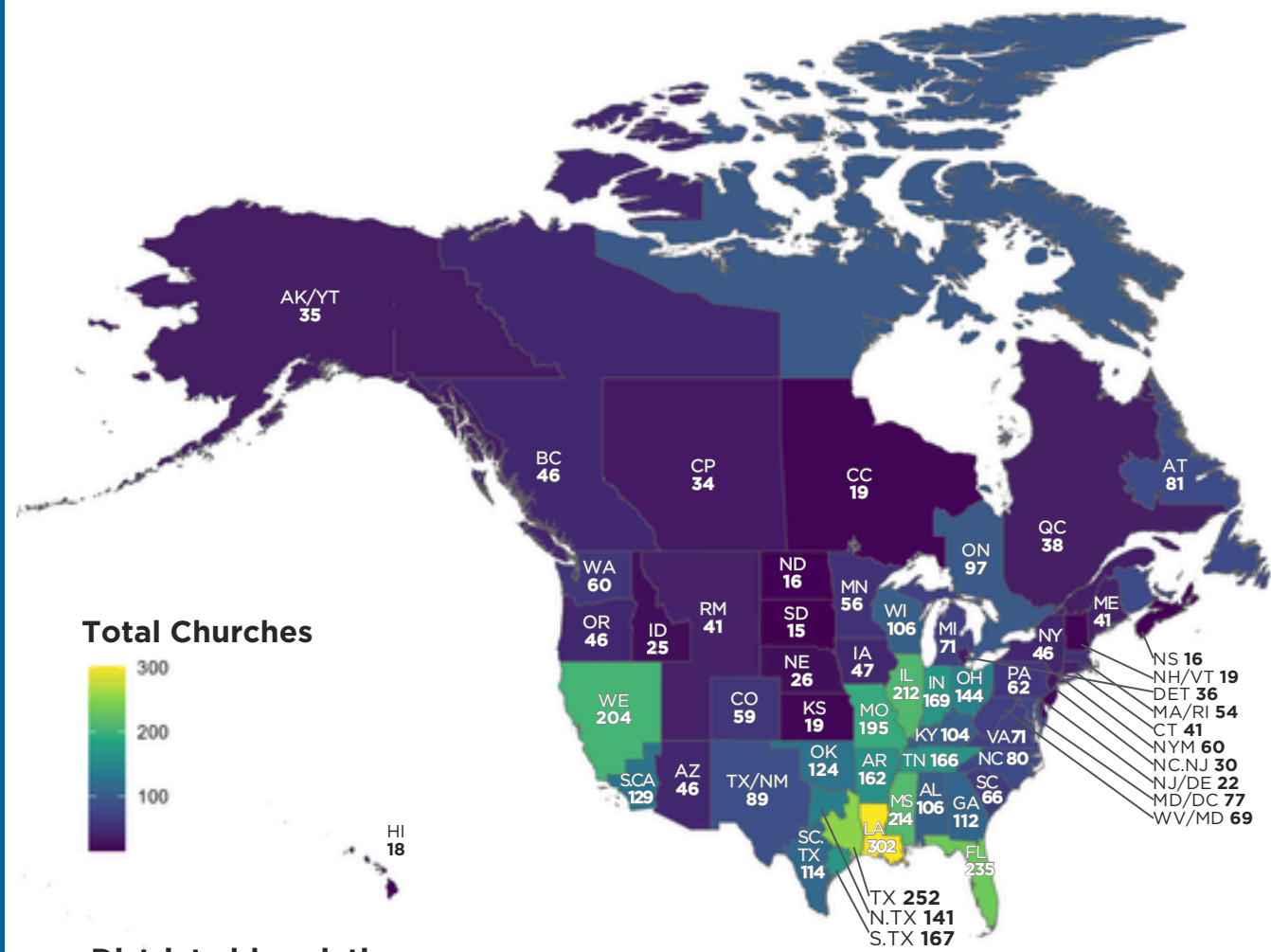
The median typical attendance of UPCI churches is 70. This means that half of churches have fewer weekly attendees, and half have more. Collectively, UPCI congregations have an estimated 467,000 weekly attendees and more than 1 million constituents.

District counts

There are 58 districts in North America. The map to the right shows the number of ministers in each district.

2025 GROWTH

In 2025, the UPCI reached a record report of 5,132 churches. This reflects 1.0% net growth from last year and marks the third consecutive year of positive net growth. Net growth in 2025 is attributed to self-governing churches. A record 64 churches progressed in status—36% more than last year. In the last 12 months, 187 new churches were planted— which ties 2015 as the 8th highest church planting year since 2000.



12,315

MINISTERS IN
NORTH AMERICA

52

MEDIAN AGE OF
UPCI MINISTERS

6.3%

GROSS GROWTH
FROM 2024

759

NEW MINISTERS
LICENSED THIS YEAR

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MINISTER STATISTICS

UPCI MINISTERS

Credential levels

The UPCI has 12,315 ministers in North America, which includes 4,638 locally licensed, 2,936 generally licensed, and 4,741 ordained ministers.

Minister demographics

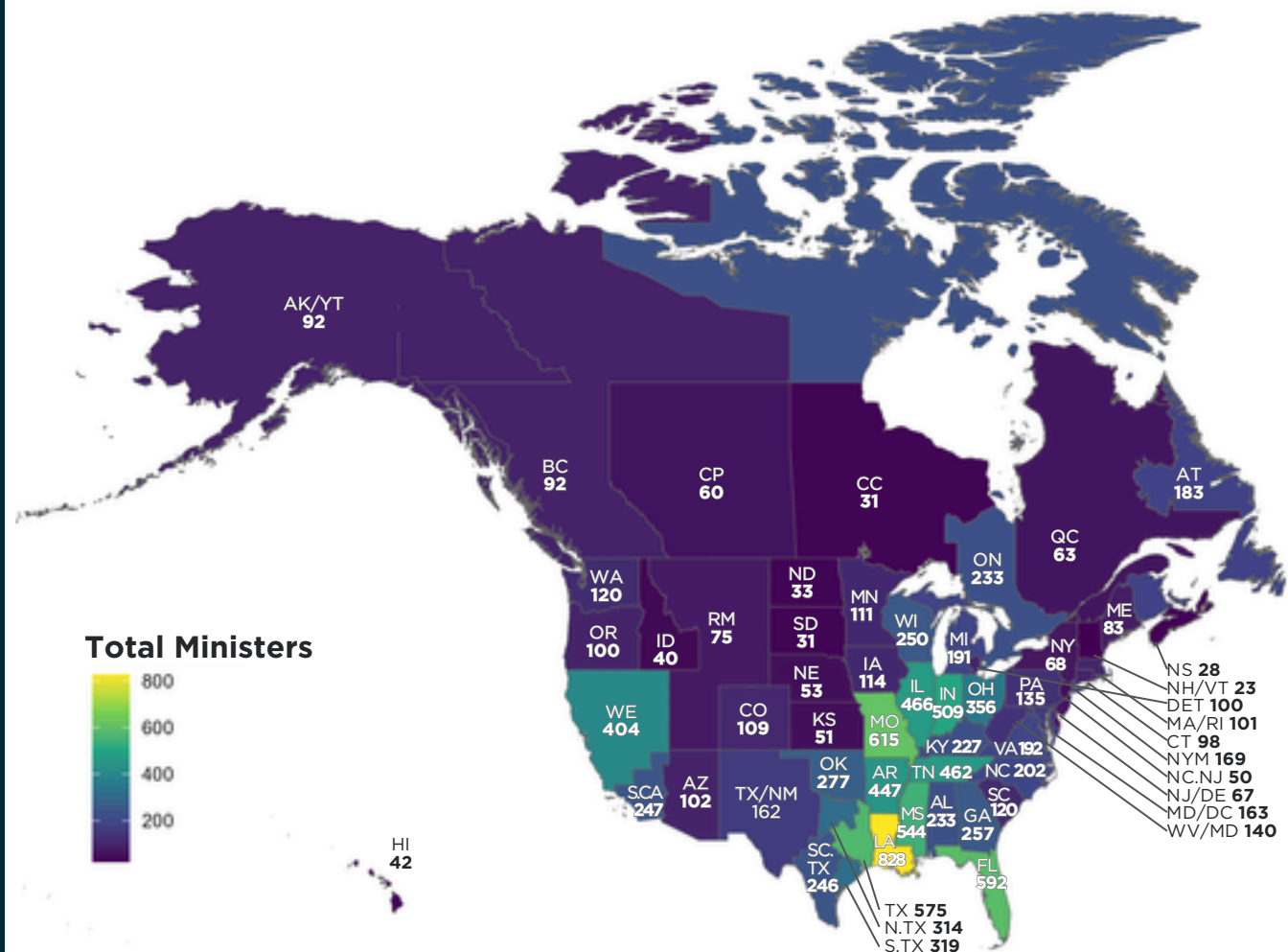
The median age of ministers is 52. More than 90% are male, although over 1,000 are female. The majority identify as White, with significant portions identifying as Hispanic (12%), Black (7%), and Asian (2%).

District counts

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2025 GROWTH

The UPCI now represents a historic high of 12,315 ministers. Net growth of ministers has exceeded 2% for four straight years, while gross growth has topped 5% for at least the past three years. More than 750 new ministers received credentials from the UPCI in the last 12 months. Additionally, more than 200 ministers received a promotion in their level of credentials.



District abbreviations

AL	Alabama	LA	Louisiana	OK	Oklahoma
AK/YT	Alaska-Yukon	ME	Maine	ON	Ontario
AZ	Arizona	MD/DC	Maryland-Washington DC	OR	Oregon
AR	Arkansas	MA/RI	Massachusetts-Rhode Island	PA	Pennsylvania
AT	Atlantic	MI	Michigan	QC	Quebec
BC	British Columbia	MN	Minnesota	RM	Rocky Mountain
CP	Canadian Plains	MS	Mississippi	SC	South Carolina
CC	Central Canadian	MO	Missouri	SC.TX	South Central Texas
CO	Colorado	NE	Nebraska	SD	South Dakota
CT	Connecticut	NH/VT	New Hampshire-Vermont	S.TX	South Texas
DET	Detroit Metro	NJ/DE	New Jersey-Delaware	S.CA	Southern California
FL	Florida	NY	New York	TN	Tennessee
GA	Georgia	NYM	New York Metro	TX	Texas
HI	Hawaii	NC	North Carolina	TX/NM	Texico
ID	Idaho	ND	North Dakota	VA	Virginia
IL	Illinois	N.TX	North Texas	WA	Washington
IN	Indiana	NC.NJ	North/Central Jersey	WV/MD	West Virginia-Western Maryland
IA	Iowa	NS	Nova Scotia	WE	Western
KS	Kansas	OH	Ohio	WI	Wisconsin
KY	Kentucky				

\$63.3 M

IN GIVING TO ALL
UPCI OFFERINGS

\$5,339

MEDIAN GIVING OF
A UPCI CHURCH

95%

PARTICIPATION
RATE IN 2024

4,023

CHURCHES GAVE IN
NORTH AMERICA

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GIVING STATISTICS

UPCI GIVING

The Median Church

Of the 4,023 churches that gave to UPCI offerings in 2024, the median amount was \$5,339. This means that half of participating churches gave less than this amount, and half gave more.

Range of Total Giving

The middle 50% of churches gave between \$1,356 and \$15,255, while the middle 90% gave between \$100 and \$59,173. This illustrates total giving for “most churches”, it only excludes the 5% at the top and the bottom of the range.

Top Giving Churches

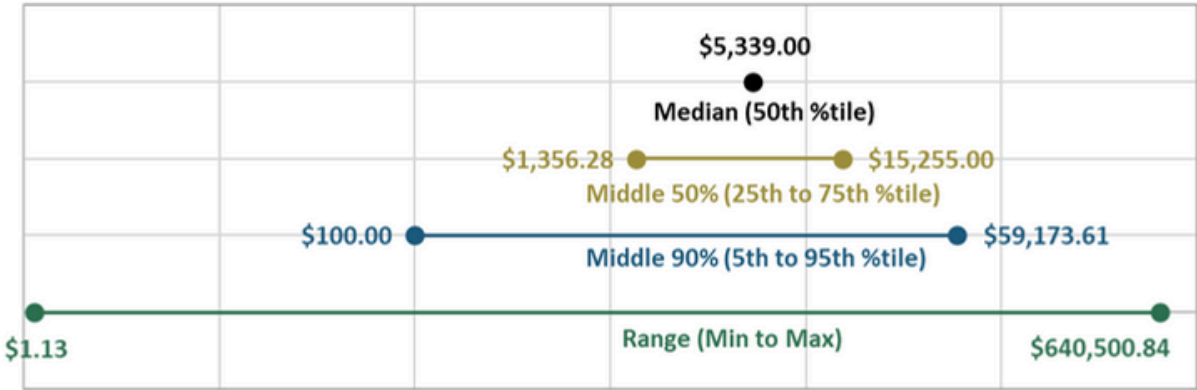
Total giving of the top 100 churches ranged from \$100,258 to \$640,500. The table to the right lists the top 10 churches.

2025 GROWTH

Total giving includes 100% amount of annual ministry offerings, donations from churches, affiliated giving, and direct offering credit. In the 2024 report, total giving increased by nearly \$1 million. A record number of churches participated in 2024, and the average and median giving by participating churches increased by about \$100.

Percentiles for Total Giving

shown on a log scale



Top 10 Giving Churches

#	Church	Total
1	Atlanta West Pentecostal Church, Lithia Springs, GA (Darrell W. Johns)	\$640,500.84
2	Pentecostals of Alexandria, Alexandria, LA (Anthony Mangun, Gentry Mangun)	\$584,721.33
3	First Pentecostal Church of Pensacola, Pensacola, FL (Brian Kinsey)	\$471,301.16
4	The First Church of Pearland, Pearland, TX (Ken Gurley, Tyler Walea)	\$446,147.31
5	Bethel United Pentecostal Church, Old Westbury, NY (D. D. Davis, Sr, Doug Davis, Jr)	\$434,469.01
6	Greater Faith Church, New Albany, IN (J. Todd Nichols)	\$406,573.77
7	New Life Fellowship, Terre Haute, IN (Jeffrey Harpole)	\$380,777.89
8	Calvary Apostolic Church, Westerville, OH (Jimmy Stark, James Stark)	\$358,091.57
9	Capital Community Church, Fredericton, NB (Jack Leaman)	\$341,003.87
10	Woodlawn United Pentecostal Church, Columbia, MS (Jerron Carney)	\$291,496.98