

Appendix B

Religiousness and Well-Being

Across Families of Religions and Denominations

Table B1. Religiousness and Well-Being Across Families of Religions (Pew Religious Landscape Study, 2024)

	Monthly Service Attendance		Daily Prayer		Weekly Scripture Reading		Pray with Children		Religion Very Important		Absolutely Believe in God		Deep Sense of Spiritual Peace Once a Week	
	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Parents	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+
Baptist family	55%	46%	75%	59%	48%	37%	62%	60%	69%	60%	86%	79%	63%	47%
Methodist family	43%	40%	55%	39%	25%	15%	49%	34%	49%	34%	70%	54%	44%	33%
Nondenominational family	61%	60%	77%	64%	55%	46%	72%	63%	68%	63%	88%	81%	64%	56%
Lutheran family	47%	40%	51%	36%	22%	13%	57%	35%	50%	35%	68%	62%	40%	26%
Presbyterian family	48%	57%	53%	54%	32%	31%	65%	47%	48%	47%	63%	60%	47%	26%
Pentecostal family	64%	54%	85%	63%	63%	45%	71%	68%	79%	68%	94%	83%	68%	57%
Episcopalian family	38%	45%	49%	42%	16%	16%	39%	31%	40%	31%	60%	45%	42%	36%
Restorationist family	60%	57%	71%	51%	52%	37%	76%	70%	68%	70%	85%	78%	62%	54%
Congregationalist family	42%	45%	43%	39%	20%	22%	46%	50%	35%	50%	57%	62%	45%	25%
Holiness family	71%	62%	82%	72%	70%	52%	90%	61%	87%	61%	95%	67%	79%	63%
Protestant nonspecific family	32%	29%	60%	49%	33%	24%	55%	43%	48%	43%	74%	67%	47%	45%
Catholic	43%	34%	56%	41%	16%	12%	45%	37%	47%	37%	67%	55%	42%	33%
Latter-day Saint	76%	76%	78%	70%	63%	56%	80%	69%	77%	69%	80%	73%	67%	62%
Orthodox Christian	40%	33%	60%	46%	19%	11%	60%	35%	52%	35%	64%	45%	38%	32%
Jewish	17%	31%	20%	25%	12%	18%	39%	35%	21%	35%	30%	31%	29%	28%
Muslim	43%	48%	70%	65%	28%	28%	70%	60%	57%	60%	70%	72%	46%	42%
Buddhist	18%	15%	32%	11%	17%	9%	16%	19%	24%	19%	31%	19%	36%	30%
Hindu	37%	34%	51%	44%	9%	14%	46%	23%	23%	23%	37%	36%	26%	34%
Spiritual but not religious	4%	6%	53%	33%	17%	4%	29%	11%	24%	11%	79%	64%	62%	42%
Atheist/Agnostic	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	3%	0%	0%	0%	4%	3%	19%	14%
Nothing in particular	4%	5%	21%	15%	4%	4%	17%	6%	7%	6%	30%	24%	26%	23%

Table B2. Religiousness and Well-Being Across Denominations (Pew Religious Landscape Study, 2024)

	Monthly Service Attendance		Daily Prayer		Weekly Scripture Reading		Pray with Children	Religion Very Important		Absolutely Believe in God		Deep Sense of Spiritual Peace Once a Week	
	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Parents	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+	Silent-Gen X	Mill+
Latter-day Saint	76%	76%	78%	70%	63%	56%	80%	77%	69%	80%	73%	67%	62%
Southern Baptist Convention	61%	58%	76%	70%	52%	48%	66%	71%	63%	88%	82%	65%	61%
American Baptist Churches (USA)	46%	36%	71%	34%	38%	18%	51%	67%	43%	85%	69%	55%	35%
National Baptist Convention (USA)	60%	32%	82%	67%	59%	39%	71%	80%	64%	88%	79%	71%	50%
United Methodist Church	39%	37%	51%	35%	21%	13%	45%	43%	29%	67%	52%	41%	28%
Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod	52%	55%	56%	43%	28%	21%	72%	55%	47%	72%	76%	44%	36%
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA)	45%	26%	47%	26%	18%	6%	45%	49%	21%	69%	57%	39%	21%
Presbyterian Church in America	60%	70%	67%	69%	51%	42%	82%	61%	67%	72%	87%	58%	25%
Presbyterian Church (USA)	44%	56%	45%	53%	23%	26%	44%	41%	35%	60%	50%	42%	32%
Assemblies of God	62%	63%	85%	71%	65%	52%	72%	76%	76%	95%	87%	71%	61%
Episcopal Church	38%	36%	50%	35%	15%	10%	34%	40%	24%	60%	35%	44%	37%
Churches of Christ	60%	53%	75%	50%	54%	35%	76%	70%	75%	87%	76%	61%	52%
Catholic	43%	34%	56%	41%	16%	12%	45%	47%	37%	67%	55%	42%	33%