

## BBC LOCAL RADIO – MIRACLES SURVEY

Methodology: ComRes interviewed 2,002 British adults over the telephone (CATI methodology) between 16<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>st</sup> August 2018. Data are weighted to be demographically representative of all UK adults aged 18+. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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**Miracles**  
**CATI Fieldwork : 16th - 26th August 2018**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1  
Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service (excluding special occasions such as marriages, funerals etc.)?  
Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age I						Age II			Region													
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	Scotland (l)	North East (m)	North West (n)	Yorkshire & Humberside (o)	West Midlands (p)	East Midlands (q)	Wales (r)	East-ern (s)	London (t)	South East (u)	South West (v)	NET: England (w)	
Unweighted base	2002	967	1035	173	317	337	363	281	531	490	700	812	184	84	219	171	189	149	98	182	272	272	182	1720	
Weighted base	2002	977	1025	222	346	320	354	296	463	568	674	759	174	84*	230	168	178	146	100*	192	272	282	178	1728	
NET: Ever	825 41%	370 38%	455 44%A	100 45%G	131 38%	137 43%G	143 40%G	94 32%	222 48%DFG	231 41%	280 41%	315 42%	68 39%	33 39%	102 44%	67 40%	77 43%	59 40%	37 37%	70 36%	127 47%Sw	116 41%	70 39%	720 42%	
NET: Monthly+	325 16%	144 15%	181 18%	50 23%DEG	40 11%	45 14%	59 17%dG	31 11%	99 21%DEF	90 16%	104 15%	130 17%	31 18%	12 14%	41 18%	19 11%	35 20%Oqr	18 12%	11 13%	26 13%	60 22%QQR	43 15%	30 17%	283 16%o	
NET: Weekly+	230 11%	101 10%	128 13%	31 14%dg	27 8%	33 10%	38 11%	24 8%	77 17%DEF	58 10%	71 11%	101 13%	21 12%	8 10%	30 13%	17 10%	23 13%	11 8%	8 8%	17 9%	42 15%QsW	30 11%	23 13%	200 12%	
NET: Never	1172 59%	606 62%B	566 55%	121 55%	213 61%H	183 57%	211 60%H	202 60%H	241 68%CEF	334 52%	394 58%	444 58%	104 60%	50 60%	128 56%	101 60%	100 56%	87 59%	63 63%	122 64%T	144 53%	166 59%	108 61%	1006 58%t	
Every day	(365) 1%	17 1%	12 1%	6 1%	-	2 1%	6 2%cG	4 1%g	-	5 1%g	2 *	11 2%l	5 1%	3 2%ps	-	1 *	1 1%	-	1 1%	-	8 3%nPSU	1 *	2 1%	14 1%	
Three or four times a week	(182) 1%	18 1%	7 1%	11 1%	-	3 1%	1 *	2 1%	10 2%ceFg	3 1%	3 *	12 2%J	3 2%	1 1%	2 1%	1 1%	*	2 1%	2 2%	2 1%	1 *	4 1%	1 *	14 1%	
Weekly	(52) 10%	194 10%	82 8%	112 11%a	31 14%DeG	22 6%	26 8%	32 9%	22 7%	61 13%DEFG	53 9%	58 9%	84 11%	15 9%	7 9%	27 12%q	14 9%	22 13%Q	8 6%	7 8%	15 12%q	33 9%	25 9%	20 11%q	172 10%q
Every fortnight	(26) 2%	32 2%	13 1%	19 2%	6 3%	7 2%	3 1%	7 2%	3 1%	6 1%	13 2%	11 2%	9 1%	1 1%	2 3%u	1 1%	2 3%u	5 3%u	1 1%	4 2%u	10 4%u	1 NUW	4 *	2 2%u	30 2%u
Every month	(12) 3%	63 3%	29 3%	34 3%	14 6%DeG	6 2%	8 3%	14 4%d	5 2%	16 3%	20 3%	22 3%	21 3%	8 5%O	1 2%	10 4%O	1 *	8 4%O	5 4%O	1 1%	5 3%	8 3%o	12 4%O	3 2%	53 3%O
Every two or three months	(5) 4%	83 4%	28 3%	55 5%A	9 4%	16 5%	11 3%	10 3%	10 3%	27 6%F	25 4%	21 3%	37 5%	11 6%q	3 3%	7 4%	7 4%	8 4%	3 2%	6 6%q	7 4%	17 6%QW	9 3%	6 3%	66 4%
Once or twice a year	(1.5) 21%	418 21%	198 20%	220 21%	41 18%	75 22%	80 25%G	74 21%	52 18%	96 21%	116 20%	154 23%	148 19%	27 16%	18 22%	54 23%l	41 24%l	34 19%	38 26%Lt	20 20%	37 19%	50 18%	65 23%l	34 19%	371 21%l
Never	(0) 59%	1172 59%	606 62%B	566 55%	121 55%	213 61%H	183 57%	211 60%H	202 68%CEF	334 52%	394 58%	444 58%	104 60%	50 60%	128 56%	101 60%	100 56%	87 59%	63 63%	122 64%T	144 53%	166 59%	108 61%	1006 58%t	
Don't know	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *w	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o/p/q/r/s/t/u/v/w  
Overlap formulae used. \* small base



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Absolutes/col percents

Table 1  
Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service (excluding special occasions such as marriages, funerals etc.)?  
Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age I							Age II			Region											
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	Scotland (l)	North East (m)	North West (n)	Yorkshire & Humberside (o)	West Midlands (p)	East Midlands (q)	Wales (r)	East-ern (s)	London (t)	South East (u)	South West (v)	NET: Eng-land (w)
Weighted base	2002	977	1025	222	346	320	354	296	463	568	674	759	174	84*	230	168	178	146	100*	192	272	282	178	1728
Refused	4*	1*	3*	1*	3 1%h	-	-	1*	-	4 1%j	-	1*	2 1%W	1 1%w	-	-	1*	-	-	-	1*	-	-	2*
Mean	11.24	11.28	11.20	9.11g	8.32	13.29G	11.44g	5.84 G	16.30cD	8.63	12.32	12.22	15.88s	8.09	10.31	8.92	8.78	9.03	7.58	7.08	20.05no PqrSUW	9.36	11.95	10.99
Standard deviation	40.34	44.26	36.23	17.92	34.14	53.07	43.99	19.55	47.88	28.87	48.49	39.66	55.71	24.27	33.11	34.74	19.55	38.41	26.26	22.27	64.71	32.28	42.44	39.16
Standard error	0.90	1.42	1.13	1.37	1.92	2.89	2.31	1.17	2.08	1.31	1.83	1.39	4.12	2.66	2.24	2.66	1.43	3.16	2.65	1.65	3.93	1.96	3.15	0.95

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Table 2  
Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service (excluding special occasions such as marriages, funerals etc.)?  
Base: All respondents

	Total	Socio-Economic Group				To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member?									
		AB (a)	C1 (b)	C2 (c)	DE (d)	Christian (e)	NET: Other (f)	Muslim (g)	Hindu (h)	Jew (i)	Sikh (j)	Buddhist (k)	Other (l)	None (m)	
Unweighted base	2002	713	522	298	469	974	167	61	14	6	11	8	67	729	
Weighted base	2002	546	564	406	486	960	170	62*	14**	8**	11**	7**	68*	738	
NET: Ever	825 41%	241 44%cd	252 45%cd	148 36%	184 38%	561 58%lm	102 60%lm	51 82%eflm	11 79%	5 68%	11 93%	2 23%	22 33%am	114 15%	
NET: Monthly+	325 16%	97 18%	104 18%	56 14%	67 14%	236 25%lm	59 35%elm	37 60%eflm	4 30%	1 17%	6 57%	2 23%	8 12%am	10 1%	
NET: Weekly+	230 11%	61 11%	84 15%d	41 10%	43 9%	171 18%lm	42 25%lm	29 47%eflm	2 16%	1 17%	4 32%	1 12%	5 7%am	6 1%	
NET: Never	1172 59%	304 56%	311 55%	256 63%ab	302 62%ab	399 42%g	68 40%g	11 18%	3 21%	3 32%	1 7%	5 77%	46 67%efg	623 84%efgl	
Every day	(365) 17 1%	5 1%	5 1%	4 1%	3 1%	7 1%am	8 5%em	6 9%elm	2 16%	-	-	-	-	-	
Three or four times a week	(182) 18 1%	6 1%	9 2%	1 *	3 1%	13 1%am	3 2%am	2 3%am	-	-	-	-	1 2%am	-	
Weekly	(52) 194 10%	50 9%	70 12%d	36 9%	38 8%	151 16%lm	30 18%lm	21 34%eflm	-	1 17%	4 32%	1 12%	4 5%am	6 1%	
Every fortnight	(26) 32 2%	12 2%	8 1%	5 1%	7 1%	22 2%am	4 2%am	3 5%am	1 6%	-	-	-	-	1 *	
Every month	(12) 63 3%	23 4%b	12 2%	11 3%	17 3%	43 4%am	13 8%am	5 8%am	1 7%	-	3 25%	1 12%	4 5%am	3 *	
Every two or three months	(5) 83 4%	34 6%cd	22 4%	12 3%	15 3%	60 6%am	8 5%am	3 4%	2 14%	-	2 14%	-	2 3%	7 1%	
Once or twice a year	(1.5) 418 21%	111 20%	125 22%	79 20%	102 21%	265 28%am	34 20%am	11 18%	5 35%	4 51%	3 22%	-	12 17%	96 13%	
Never	(0) 1172 59%	304 56%	311 55%	256 63%ab	302 62%ab	399 42%g	68 40%g	11 18%	3 21%	3 32%	1 7%	5 77%	46 67%efg	623 84%efgl	
Dont know	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	
Refused	4 *	1 *	1 *	3 1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mean	11.24	11.86	13.83d	10.02	8.55	15.02m	32.46elm	60.97eflm	63.31	9.39	20.76	7.60	6.73m	0.74	
Standard deviation	40.34	41.56	43.61	40.73	34.14	39.96	80.97	105.41	138.33	20.34	22.93	18.26	25.54	4.73	
Standard error	0.90	1.56	1.91	2.37	1.58	1.28	6.27	13.50	36.97	8.30	6.91	6.46	3.12	0.18	

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Table 3  
Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service (excluding special occasions such as marriages, funerals etc.)?  
Base: All respondents

	Total	Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service													
		NET: Ever (a)	NET: Monthly+ (b)	NET: Weekly+ (c)	NET: Never (d)	Every day (e)	Three/ Four times a week (f)	Weekly (g)	Every fortnight (h)	Every month (i)	Every two/ three months (j)	Once/ twice a year (k)	Never (l)	Don't know	Refused
Unweighted base	2002	839	334	235	1158	18	21	196	33	66	89	416	1158	1	4
Weighted base	2002	825	325	230	1172	17**	18**	194	32**	63*	83*	418	1172	1*	4*
NET: Ever	825	825	325	230	-	17	18	194	32	63	83	418	-	-	-
	41%	100%cd	100%cd	100%cd	-	100%	100%	100%kl	100%	100%kl	100%kl	100%kl	-	-	-
NET: Monthly+	325	325	325	230	-	17	18	194	32	63	83	-	-	-	-
	16%	39%cd	100%cd	100%cd	-	100%	100%	100%ijkl	100%	100%ijkl	-	-	-	-	-
NET: Weekly+	230	230	230	230	-	17	18	194	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	11%	28%cd	71%cd	100%abcd	-	100%	100%	100%ijkl	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NET: Never	1172	-	-	-	1172	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1172	-	-
	59%	-	-	-	100%abc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%gijk	-	-
Every day	(365) 17	17	17	17	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1%	2%cd	5%cd	8%abd	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Three or four times a week	(182) 18	18	18	18	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1%	2%cd	6%cd	8%abd	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weekly	(52) 194	194	194	194	-	-	-	194	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10%	24%cd	60%cd	85%abcd	-	-	-	100%ijkl	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Every fortnight	(26) 32	32	32	-	-	-	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2%	4%cd	10%acd	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Every month	(12) 63	63	63	-	-	-	-	-	-	63	-	-	-	-	-
	3%	8%cd	19%acd	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%gijkl	-	-	-	-	-
Every two or three months	(5) 83	83	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83	-	-	-	-
	4%	10%bcd	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%gijkl	-	-	-	-
Once or twice a year	(1.5) 418	418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	418	-	-	-
	21%	51%bcd	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%gijl	-	-	-
Never	(0) 1172	-	-	-	1172	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1172	-	-
	59%	-	-	-	100%abc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%gijk	-	-
Don't know	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-
Refused	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%
Mean	11.24	27.19d	65.91ad	86.26abd	0.00	365.00	185.00	52.00	26.00	12.00	5.00	1.50	0.00	-	-
Standard deviation	40.34	59.22	80.30	87.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	-
Standard error	0.90	2.04	4.39	5.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	-

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l  
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## Miracles

### CATI Fieldwork : 16th - 26th August 2018

Absolutes/col percents

Table 4  
**Q2. The Bible contains stories of miracles performed by Jesus. Which of these statements, if any, best reflects your views on this?**  
 Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age I						Age II			Region												
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	Scotland (l)	North East (m)	North West (n)	Yorkshire & Humberside (o)	West Midlands (p)	East Midlands (q)	Wales (r)	East of London (s)	London (t)	South East (u)	South West (v)	NET: England (w)
Unweighted base	2002	967	1035	173	317	337	363	281	531	490	700	812	184	84	219	171	189	149	98	182	272	272	182	1720
Weighted base	2002	977	1025	222	346	320	354	296	463	568	674	759	174	84*	230	168	178	146	100*	192	272	282	178	1728
I do not believe that Jesus performed miracles in any form	922 46%	523 54%B	399 39%	113 51%H	205 59%ceF GH	164 51%H	162 46%H	131 44%H	147 32%	318 56%JK	326 48%K	278 37%	83 48%P	41 49%P	101 44%p	82 49%Ps	60 34%	79 54%nPS TW	55 55%nPS Tw	75 39%	116 43%p w	143 51%PSt	87 49%Ps	784 45%Ps
I believe Jesus made miraculous things happen, but the stories in the Bible contain some content which should not be taken literally	733 37%	311 32%	422 41%A	73 33%	93 27%	101 31%	137 39%De	114 38%De	216 FG	165 47%CDE	238 29%	330 35%I	61 35%	26 32%	83 36%	60 36%	84 47%LMN OqRTUv W	52 36%	30 30%	88 46%IMn oqRTUv W	100 37%	84 30%	65 36%	642 37%U
I believe the miracles of Jesus happened word for word as described in the Bible	229 11%	93 10%	136 13%A	23 10%	29 8%	38 12%	38 11%	28 9%	74 16%	52 9%	76 11%	102 13%I	23 13%Q	7 9%	29 13%Q	17 10%	22 12%q	9 6%	10 10%	15 8%	37 14%Qs	39 14%Qs	20 12%q	196 11%Q
Don't know	68 3%	32 3%	36 4%	9 4%	12 3%	11 3%	8 2%	10 3%	19 4%	20 4%	19 3%	29 4%	2 1%	5 6%IQV	11 5%IqV	6 4%v	9 5%IqV	1 1%	2 2%	12 6%LQV	9 3%v	10 4%v	1 1%	64 4%qV
Refused	49 2%	18 2%	31 3%	5 2%	7 2%	7 2%	9 3%	13 4%H	7 2%	13 2%	16 2%	20 3%	4 3%	4 5%os	6 2%	2 1%	4 2%	5 3%	2 2%	10 1%	4 4%	5 2%	5 3%	42 2%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o/p/q/r/s/t/u/v/w  
 Overlap formulae used. \* small base

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Table 5  
Q2. The Bible contains stories of miracles performed by Jesus. Which of these statements, if any, best reflects your views on this?  
Base: All respondents

	Total	Socio-Economic Group				To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member?								
		AB (a)	C1 (b)	C2 (c)	DE (d)	Christian (e)	NET: Other (f)	Muslim (g)	Hindu (h)	Jew (i)	Sikh (j)	Buddhist (k)	Other (l)	None (m)
Unweighted base	2002	713	522	298	469	974	167	61	14	6	11	8	67	729
Weighted base	2002	546	564	406	486	960	170	62*	14**	8**	11**	7**	68*	738
I do not believe that Jesus performed miracles in any form	922 46%	267 49%	265 47%	182 45%	209 43%	206 22%	57 34% <sup>efg</sup>	8 13%	6 44%	7 83%	* 4%	4 59%	32 47% <sup>efg</sup>	599 81% <sup>efgl</sup>
I believe Jesus made miraculous things happen, but the stories in the Bible contain some content which should not be taken literally	733 37%	212 39%	195 35%	149 37%	177 36%	521 54% <sup>fm</sup>	75 44% <sup>lm</sup>	37 60% <sup>fm</sup>	4 27%	1 17%	7 66% <sup>fm</sup>	3 41%	23 33% <sup>fm</sup>	102 14%
I believe the miracles of Jesus happened word for word as described in the Bible	229 11%	38 7%	76 13% <sup>a</sup>	54 13% <sup>a</sup>	62 13% <sup>a</sup>	185 19% <sup>fm</sup>	20 12% <sup>m</sup>	11 18% <sup>m</sup>	3 20%	-	1 7%	-	6 8% <sup>m</sup>	11 2%
Dont know	68 3%	17 3%	16 3%	10 2%	25 5%	27 3%	15 9% <sup>em</sup>	5 8% <sup>em</sup>	-	-	3 23%	-	7 11% <sup>em</sup>	18 2%
Refused	49 2%	12 2%	12 2%	12 3%	13 3%	19 2%	2 1%	1 2%	1 9%	-	-	-	-	8 1%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m  
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Table 6

Q2. The Bible contains stories of miracles performed by Jesus. Which of these statements, if any, best reflects your views on this?

Base: All respondents

	Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service														
	Total	NET: Ever (a)	NET: Monthly+ (b)	NET: Weekly+ (c)	NET: Never (d)	Every day (e)	Three/ Four times a week (f)	Weekly (g)	Every fort- night (h)	Every month (i)	Every two/ three months (j)	Once/ twice a year (k)	Never (l)	Don't know	Refused
Unweighted base	2002	839	334	235	1158	18	21	196	33	66	89	416	1158	1	4
Weighted base	2002	825	325	230	1172	17**	18**	194	32**	63*	83*	418	1172	1*	4*
I do not believe that Jesus performed miracles in any form	922 46%	191 23%abc	23 7%	13 6%	731 62%abc	3 16%	-	10 5%	1 2%	9 15%g	16 20%g	152 36%gij	731 62%gijk	1 100%	-
I believe Jesus made miraculous things happen, but the stories in the Bible contain some content which should not be taken literally	733 37%	421 51%d	168 52%cd	107 47%cd	312 27%	8 48%	5 29%	93 48%l	19 58%	42 67%gkl	51 62%gkl	202 48%l	312 27%	-	-
I believe the miracles of Jesus happened word for word as described in the Bible	229 11%	165 20%d	119 37%ad	101 44%abd	64 5%	5 28%	12 68%	83 43%ijkl	10 30%	9 14%l	10 12%l	36 9%l	64 5%	-	-
Don't know	68 3%	26 3%	7 2%	4 2%	42 4%	-	*	4 2%	1 2%	2 3%	2 2%	17 4%	42 4%	-	-
Refused	49 2%	22 3%	8 2%	5 2%	23 2%	1 7%	-	3 2%	3 8%	1 1%	3 3%	12 3%	23 2%	-	4 100%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l

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## Miracles

### CATI Fieldwork : 16th - 26th August 2018

Absolutes/col percents

Table 7  
**Q3. Do you believe that miracles are possible today, or not?**  
 Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age I							Age II					Region										
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	Scotland (l)	North East (m)	North West (n)	Yorkshire & Humberside (o)	West Midlands (p)	East Midlands (q)	Wales (r)	East-ern (s)	London (t)	South East (u)	South West (v)	NET: Eng-land (w)	
Unweighted base	2002	967	1035	173	317	337	363	281	531	490	700	812	184	84	219	171	189	149	98	182	272	272	182	1720	
Weighted base	2002	977	1025	222	346	320	354	296	463	568	674	759	174	84*	230	168	178	146	100*	192	272	282	178	1728	
<b>NET: Yes</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>1082</b>	
	<b>62%</b>	54%	<b>71%A</b>	<b>72%DEF</b>	61%	61%	59%	57%	<b>65%FG</b>	<b>65%G</b>	60%	62%	62%	56%	61%	<b>65%Q</b>	<b>71%MnQ</b>	53%	56%	<b>68%mr</b>	59%	<b>66%Q</b>	62%	<b>63%Q</b>	
Yes - I believe that miracles like those performed by Jesus can and do still happen today	258	115	144	27	38	43	47	26	77	65	90	103	16	14	33	14	29	16	9	25	43	39	21	233	
	13%	12%	14%	12%	11%	13%	13%	9%	17%DG	11%	13%	14%	9%	17%lo	14%	8%	16%lO	11%	9%	13%	16%lO	14%	12%	14%	
Yes - I believe that miraculous things happen without any rational explanation, but that miracles like the ones Jesus performed are no longer available to us today	230	95	135	27	27	34	31	35	76	54	65	111	16	8	28	23	31	5	12	23	31	25	29	202	
	11%	10%	13%A	12%	8%	11%	9%	12%	16%DEF	10%	10%	15%lJ	9%Q	9%q	12%Q	14%Q	17%LQUW	3%	12%Q	12%Q	11%Q	9%Q	16%lQU	12%Q	
Yes - I believe that miraculous things can happen, but that they are not necessarily related to God	758	314	444	105	147	120	130	106	149	252	250	256	76	25	79	71	66	56	35	81	87	122	60	647	
	38%	32%	43%A	47%EF	43%H	37%	37%	36%	32%	44%JK	37%	34%	44%MnT	29%	34%	42%MT	37%	39%	35%	42%MT	32%	43%MnT	34%	37%t	
No - I do not believe in miracles in any form	688	418	270	57	117	117	133	114	149	175	250	263	65	31	81	54	46	62	43	53	102	86	64	580	
	34%	43%B	26%	26%	34%c	36%C	38%C	38%Ch	32%	31%	37%l	35%	37%Ps	37%p	35%p	32%	26%	42%oPS	43%oPS	28%	38%PS	31%	36%p	34%Ps	
Dont know	41	23	18	2	11	2	7	8	10	13	10	18	1	1	7	5	4	5	-	7	2	6	3	41	
	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%E	1%	2%	3%e	2%	2%	1%	2%	*	2%	3%lt	3%lt	2%	3%lrt	-	4%Lrt	1%	2%	2%	2%	
Refused	26	12	14	3	6	5	5	7	2	8	10	8	1	4	2	-	2	2	1	2	7	4	1	25	
	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%h	1%	1%	2%H	*	1%	1%	1%	*	5%LNQp	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%lO	1%	1%	1%	

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o/p/q/r/s/t/u/v/w  
 Overlap formulae used. \* small base

**Miracles**  
**CATI Fieldwork : 16th - 26th August 2018**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 8  
Q3. Do you believe that miracles are possible today, or not?  
Base: All respondents

	Total	Socio-Economic Group				To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member?								
		AB (a)	C1 (b)	C2 (c)	DE (d)	Christian (e)	NET: Other (f)	Muslim (g)	Hindu (h)	Jew (i)	Sikh (j)	Buddhist (k)	Other (l)	None (m)
Unweighted base	2002	713	522	298	469	974	167	61	14	6	11	8	67	729
Weighted base	2002	546	564	406	486	960	170	62*	14**	8**	11**	7**	68*	738
<b>NET: Yes</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>329</b>
	<b>62%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>65%<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>66%<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>63%<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>78%<sup>eflm</sup></b>	<b>64%<sup>fm</sup></b>	<b>76%<sup>efm</sup></b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>60%<sup>fm</sup></b>	<b>45%</b>
Yes - I believe that miracles like those performed by Jesus can and do still happen today	258 13%	58 11%	81 14%	48 12%	72 15% <sup>a</sup>	205 21% <sup>m</sup>	32 19% <sup>m</sup>	14 22% <sup>m</sup>	5 34%	-	2 20%	1 13%	10 15% <sup>m</sup>	10 1%
Yes - I believe that miraculous things happen without any rational explanation, but that miracles like the ones Jesus performed are no longer available to us today	230 11%	55 10%	71 13%	45 11%	58 12%	159 17% <sup>m</sup>	34 20% <sup>lm</sup>	27 43% <sup>eflm</sup>	-	2 24%	1 7%	-	5 7%	23 3%
Yes - I believe that miraculous things can happen, but that they are not necessarily related to God	758 38%	195 36%	212 38%	176 43% <sup>a</sup>	176 36%	384 40% <sup>fg</sup>	42 25% <sup>g</sup>	6 10%	2 12%	-	6 54%	2 38%	25 38% <sup>fg</sup>	296 40% <sup>fg</sup>
No - I do not believe in miracles in any form	688 34%	221 40% <sup>bcd</sup>	183 33%	121 30%	163 34%	182 19%	53 31% <sup>eg</sup>	9 15%	6 45%	6 76%	2 18%	3 49%	26 39% <sup>eg</sup>	400 54% <sup>efgl</sup>
Don't know	41 2%	10 2%	12 2%	10 2%	10 2%	21 2%	7 4% <sup>m</sup>	6 10% <sup>efm</sup>	-	-	-	-	1 2%	7 1%
Refused	26 1%	8 1%	5 1%	7 2%	7 1%	10 1%	1 1%	-	1 9%	-	-	-	-	2 *

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m  
Overlap formulae used. \* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

## Miracles

### CATI Fieldwork : 16th - 26th August 2018

Absolutes/col percents

Table 9  
**Q3. Do you believe that miracles are possible today, or not?**  
**Base: All respondents**

	Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service														
	Total	NET: Ever (a)	NET: Monthly+ (b)	NET: Weekly+ (c)	NET: Never (d)	Every day (e)	Three/ Four times a week (f)	Weekly (g)	Every fort- night (h)	Every month (i)	Every two/ three months (j)	Once/ twice a year (k)	Never (l)	Don't know	Refused
Unweighted base	2002	839	334	235	1158	18	21	196	33	66	89	416	1158	1	4
Weighted base	2002	825	325	230	1172	17**	18**	194	32**	63*	83*	418	1172	1*	4*
<b>NET: Yes</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>623</b>	-	-
	<b>62%</b>	<b>76%<sup>d</sup></b>	<b>88%<sup>ad</sup></b>	<b>90%<sup>ad</sup></b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>97%</b>	<b>90%<sup>ijkl</sup></b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>88%<sup>kl</sup></b>	<b>79%<sup>kl</sup></b>	<b>65%<sup>d</sup></b>	<b>53%</b>	-	-
Yes - I believe that miracles like those performed by Jesus can and do still happen today	258 13%	201 24% <sup>d</sup>	141 44% <sup>ad</sup>	123 53% <sup>abd</sup>	57 5%	9 50%	15 81%	99 51% <sup>ijkl</sup>	6 19%	13 21% <sup>kl</sup>	16 19% <sup>kl</sup>	44 11% <sup>l</sup>	57 5%	-	-
Yes - I believe that miraculous things happen without any rational explanation, but that miracles like the ones Jesus performed are no longer available to us today	230 11%	151 18% <sup>d</sup>	79 24% <sup>ad</sup>	55 24% <sup>ad</sup>	79 7%	3 17%	2 11%	50 26% <sup>kl</sup>	7 21%	18 28% <sup>kl</sup>	18 21% <sup>l</sup>	54 13% <sup>l</sup>	79 7%	-	-
Yes - I believe that miraculous things can happen, but that they are not necessarily related to God	758 38%	271 33% <sup>abc</sup>	64 20% <sup>c</sup>	29 13%	487 42% <sup>abc</sup>	1 7%	1 5%	27 14%	11 34%	24 39% <sup>g</sup>	32 39% <sup>g</sup>	175 42% <sup>g</sup>	487 42% <sup>g</sup>	-	-
No - I do not believe in miracles in any form	688 34%	167 20% <sup>abc</sup>	28 9% <sup>c</sup>	14 6%	519 44% <sup>abc</sup>	3 16%	* 3%	11 5%	7 21%	7 11%	14 17% <sup>g</sup>	125 30% <sup>gij</sup>	519 44% <sup>gijk</sup>	1 100%	2 46%
Don't know	41 2%	19 2%	6 2%	6 3%	22 2%	1 3%	-	6 3%	-	-	1 1%	12 3%	22 2%	-	-
Refused	26 1%	16 2% <sup>d</sup>	6 2%	4 2%	9 1%	1 7%	-	2 1%	2 5%	1 1%	2 3%	8 2%	9 1%	-	2 54%

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l  
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**Miracles**  
**CATI Fieldwork : 16th - 26th August 2018**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 10  
**Q4. Some people pray for a miracle, for example in a very difficult situation when a family member is extremely ill. Have you ever prayed for a miracle in any circumstance?**  
Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age I								Age II			Region										
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	Scotland (l)	North East (m)	North West (n)	Yorkshire & Humberside (o)	West Midlands (p)	East Midlands (q)	Wales (r)	East-ern (s)	London (t)	South East (u)	South West (v)	NET: Eng-land (w)
Unweighted base	2002	967	1035	173	317	337	363	281	531	490	700	812	184	84	219	171	189	149	98	182	272	272	182	1720
Weighted base	2002	977	1025	222	346	320	354	296	463	568	674	759	174	84*	230	168	178	146	100*	192	272	282	178	1728
<b>NET: Yes</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>752</b>
	<b>43%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>51%A</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>51%cdE</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>48%ij</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>52%lmN</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>43%</b>
Yes - and the prayer was answered in the way I hoped	395	145	250	42	65	67	68	55	98	107	135	153	34	18	38	28	46	25	12	30	66	56	42	349
	20%	15%	24%A	19%	19%	21%	19%	19%	21%	19%	20%	20%	20%	22%	16%	17%	26%Noq	17%	12%	16%	24%noR	20%	24%nRs	20%r
Yes - but I didn't see anything change as a result	471	195	276	51	80	59	68	76	136	132	128	212	37	12	52	42	47	35	31	56	58	69	33	403
	24%	20%	27%A	23%	23%	19%	19%	26%ef	29%dEF	23%j	19%	28%j	21%	15%	23%	25%lm	26%mv	24%	31%IMt	29%MTV	21%	25%lm	18%	23%lm
No - I have never prayed for a miracle	1064	608	456	123	187	186	206	154	208	310	391	363	99	47	130	94	75	79	53	97	141	148	100	912
	53%	62%B	44%	55%H	54%H	58%H	58%H	52%h	45%	55%K	58%K	48%	57%p	56%p	57%p	56%P	42%	54%P	53%	51%	52%p	53%p	56%P	53%P
Don't know	43	18	25	3	10	5	5	4	16	13	10	20	1	1	7	4	8	4	2	6	3	5	1	39
	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	4%fg	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	3%	3%	4%LTVw	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Refused	28	10	18	3	4	2	8	8	4	7	10	11	2	5	3	-	2	2	1	3	4	4	1	25
	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%h	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	6%LNOP	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o/p/q/r/s/t/u/v/w  
Overlap formulae used. \* small base

**Miracles**  
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Absolutes/col percents

Table 11

**Q4. Some people pray for a miracle, for example in a very difficult situation when a family member is extremely ill. Have you ever prayed for a miracle in any circumstance?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Total	Socio-Economic Group				To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member?								
		AB (a)	C1 (b)	C2 (c)	DE (d)	Christian (e)	NET: Other (f)	Muslim (g)	Hindu (h)	Jew (i)	Sikh (j)	Buddhist (k)	Other (l)	None (m)
Unweighted base	2002	713	522	298	469	974	167	61	14	6	11	8	67	729
Weighted base	2002	546	564	406	486	960	170	62*	14**	8**	11**	7**	68*	738
<b>NET: Yes</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>176</b>
	<b>43%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>46%<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>46%<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>59%<sup>am</sup></b>	<b>53%<sup>am</sup></b>	<b>68%<sup>eflm</sup></b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>48%<sup>am</sup></b>	<b>24%</b>
Yes - and the prayer was answered in the way I hoped	395	104	134	63	93	275	60	34	5	-	3	-	19	38
	20%	19%	24% <sup>c</sup>	16%	19%	29% <sup>am</sup>	35% <sup>am</sup>	55% <sup>eflm</sup>	32%	-	22%	-	27% <sup>am</sup>	5%
Yes - but I didn't see anything change as a result	471	108	123	111	130	287	30	8	3	3	2	*	14	138
	24%	20%	22%	27% <sup>a</sup>	27% <sup>a</sup>	30% <sup>fgrm</sup>	18%	13%	20%	32%	21%	6%	20%	19%
No - I have never prayed for a miracle	1064	317	287	220	240	359	76	20	7	5	6	5	32	547
	53%	58% <sup>bd</sup>	51%	54%	49%	37%	45% <sup>g</sup>	32%	48%	68%	56%	82%	48%	74% <sup>efgl</sup>
Dont know	43	7	13	6	16	26	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	10
	2%	1%	2%	2%	3% <sup>a</sup>	3%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	5%	1%
Refused	28	9	7	5	7	13	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	5
	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	-	-	-	-	12%	-	1%

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## Miracles

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 12  
**Q4. Some people pray for a miracle, for example in a very difficult situation when a family member is extremely ill. Have you ever prayed for a miracle in any circumstance?**  
**Base: All respondents**

	Q1. On average, how often, if at all, would you say you attend a religious service														
	Total	NET: Ever (a)	NET: Monthly+ (b)	NET: Weekly+ (c)	NET: Never (d)	Every day (e)	Three/ Four times a week (f)	Weekly (g)	Every fort- night (h)	Every month (i)	Every two/ three months (j)	Once/ twice a year (k)	Never (l)	Don't know	Refused
Unweighted base	2002	839	334	235	1158	18	21	196	33	66	89	416	1158	1	4
Weighted base	2002	825	325	230	1172	17**	18**	194	32**	63*	83*	418	1172	1*	4*
<b>NET: Yes</b>	<b>867</b> 43%	<b>477</b> 58% <b>cd</b>	<b>229</b> 71% <b>cad</b>	<b>169</b> 73% <b>cad</b>	<b>389</b> 33%	<b>11</b> 64%	<b>16</b> 85%	<b>142</b> 73% <b>kl</b>	<b>18</b> 57%	<b>42</b> 67% <b>kl</b>	<b>51</b> 61% <b>kl</b>	<b>198</b> 47% <b>d</b>	<b>389</b> 33%	-	-
Yes - and the prayer was answered in the way I hoped	395 20%	272 33% <b>d</b>	166 51% <b>ad</b>	133 58% <b>abd</b>	123 10%	10 59%	14 74%	109 56% <b>ijkl</b>	10 31%	23 37% <b>kl</b>	26 31% <b>kl</b>	81 19% <b>l</b>	123 10%	-	-
Yes - but I didn't see anything change as a result	471 24%	205 25% <b>bc</b>	63 19% <b>c</b>	36 16%	266 23% <b>c</b>	1 6%	2 11%	33 17%	8 26%	19 30% <b>g</b>	25 30% <b>g</b>	117 28% <b>gl</b>	266 23%	-	-
No - I have never prayed for a miracle	1064 53%	312 38% <b>bc</b>	83 26%	54 24%	749 64% <b>abc</b>	6 36%	3 15%	45 23%	11 36%	18 28%	28 34%	200 48% <b>gij</b>	749 64% <b>gijk</b>	1 100%	3 67%
Don't know	43 2%	20 2%	6 2%	4 2%	23 2%	-	-	4 2%	1 2%	2 3%	1 1%	13 3%	23 2%	-	-
Refused	28 1%	16 2% <b>d</b>	6 2%	3 1%	10 1%	-	-	3 2%	2 5%	1 2%	4 4% <b>l</b>	7 2%	10 1%	-	1 33%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l  
 Overlap formulae used. \* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing