



National Churches Trust

METHODOLOGY NOTE

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Churches Poll

ONLINE Fieldwork: 16th-17th December 2015

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

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Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
Unweighted base	2038	1055	983	163	316	345	383	301	530	599	591	333	515	214	845
Weighted base	2038	993	1045	237	353	335	363	294	457	548	548	444	497	245	909
NET: Any	1269	592	678	168	228	200	215	169	289	380	353	249	287	169	564
	62%	60%	65%A	71%EFGh	65%	60%	59%	57%	63%	69%jKL	64%KL	56%	58%	69%n	62%
A friendly welcome	884	385	499	116	149	134	150	119	216	247	250	176	212	114	375
	43%	39%	48%A	49%e	42%	40%	41%	40%	47%eg	45%	46%	40%	43%	47%	41%
Toilets	686	333	353	91	104	101	130	91	169	213	173	131	170	78	292
	34%	34%	34%	38%d	30%	30%	36%	31%	37%Deg	39%JK	31%	29%	34%	32%	32%
Café or refreshment area	657	320	337	82	114	111	123	93	133	198	177	124	158	82	303
	32%	32%	32%	35%	32%	33%	34%	32%	29%	36%K	32%	28%	32%	34%	33%
Comfortable seating	591	277	314	82	100	91	105	74	138	182	165	112	132	88	247
	29%	28%	30%	35%g	28%	27%	29%	25%	30%	33%KL	30%	25%	26%	36%N	27%
Access to useful visitor information (e.g. details of things to see or do, opening hours, directions)	572	255	318	70	95	85	114	77	130	174	153	102	143	72	248
	28%	26%	30%A	30%	27%	26%	31%	26%	29%	32%K	28%	23%	29%k	29%	27%
Heating	530	253	277	71	93	63	92	70	142	167	135	99	129	63	211
	26%	25%	27%	30%E	26%E	19%	25%e	24%	31%EFG	30%JK	25%	22%	26%	26%	23%
WiFi	283	129	154	63	87	53	40	18	23	91	80	57	55	41	150
	14%	13%	15%	27%EFGH	25%EFGH	16%fGH	11%GH	6%	5%	17%L	15%	13%	11%	17%	17%
Easy access for people with disabilities	269	128	140	37	35	39	54	47	57	59	73	50	87	33	104
	13%	13%	13%	16%	10%	12%	15%d	16%D	13%	11%	13%	11%	17%lJK	14%	11%
None of these would encourage me to visit a church, chapel or meeting house	769	401	368	68	125	134	148	125	167	168	196	195	210	76	344
	38%	40%B	35%	29%	35%	40%C	41%C	43%C	37%c	31%	36%i	44%lJ	42%lJ	31%	38%m

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	Region													To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?								
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	East-ern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)	Christian (n)	NET: Other (o)	Muslim (p)	Hindu (q)	Jewish (r)	Sikh (s)	Buddhist (t)	Other (u)	None (v)
Unweighted base	2038	190	100	1748	78	214	199	176	154	220	229	298	180	1081	110	39	12	12	2	11	34	810
Weighted base	2038	177	104*	1757	86*	234	173	183	151	197	269	285	179	1066	108*	39*	12**	11**	3**	10**	34**	821
NET: Any	1269 62%	108 61%	56 54%	1106 63%b	48 56%	149 64%	107 62%	112 61%	98 65%	126 64%	175 65%b	180 63%	111 62%	779 73%V	81 75%V	33 85%V	10 82%	6 54%	2 59%	7 73%	23 69%	378 46%
A friendly welcome	884 43%	76 43%	36 34%	772 44%b	34 40%	106 45%	72 42%	79 43%	68 45%	97 49%B	113 42%	121 43%	81 45%	590 55%OV	47 44%V	20 52%V	5 45%	3 29%	2 59%	7 73%	10 29%	224 27%
Toilets	686 34%	54 31%	28 27%	604 34%	25 29%	73 31%	52 30%	53 29%	61 40%bgh	71 36%	99 37%	108 38%bh	61 34%	389 36%V	57 53%NV	19 50%V	10 82%	6 54%	-	6 61%	16 48%	222 27%
Café or refreshment area	657 32%	69 39%dB	24 23%	564 32%b	23 26%	84 36%BH	56 32%	47 25%	64 43%BEg	64 32%	78 29%	93 33%	56 31%	372 35%V	38 35%	13 33%	4 33%	4 36%	-	4 40%	13 39%	230 28%
Comfortable seating	591 29%	60 34%BL	21 20%	510 29%b	20 24%	64 27%	48 28%	59 32%b	47 31%b	59 30%	92 34%BL	70 24%	51 28%	365 34%V	38 35%V	13 34%v	7 58%	3 29%	2 59%	5 47%	8 25%	167 20%
Access to useful visitor information (e.g. details of things to see or do, opening hours, directions)	572 28%	41 23%	17 17%	514 29%B	18 21%	69 29%B	46 26%b	59 32%aBe	52 34%ABe	56 28%B	75 28%B	85 30%B	54 30%B	341 32%V	36 34%V	14 36%v	6 48%	4 36%	-	6 54%	7 22%	185 23%
Heating	530 26%	55 31%bei	20 19%	455 26%	16 19%	69 30%b	44 25%	46 25%	32 21%	59 30%be	69 26%	68 24%	51 28%	314 29%V	42 39%nV	15 39%V	4 32%	5 48%	2 59%	5 47%	11 33%	162 20%
WiFi	283 14%	33 19%BHJl	6 6%	244 14%B	9 10%	40 17%BhJ	26 15%B	19 10%	26 17%Bj	19 10%	42 16%Bj	35 12%b	28 16%Bj	113 11%	29 26%NV	17 43%NV	4 33%	1 8%	-	2 17%	6 16%	131 16%N
Easy access for people with disabilities	269 13%	26 15%	8 7%	235 13%	6 7%	35 15%be	19 11%	28 15%be	27 18%BE	23 11%	31 12%	38 13%	28 16%be	181 17%V	18 17%V	9 22%V	4 31%	2 17%	2 59%	1 6%	2 6%	61 7%
None of these would encourage me to visit a church, chapel or meeting house	769 38%	69 39%	48 46%dk	651 37%	38 44%	85 36%	66 38%	71 39%	52 35%	71 36%	94 35%	105 37%	68 38%	287 27%	27 25%	6 15%	2 18%	5 46%	1 41%	3 27%	11 31%	443 54%ONP

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Table 2
Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

Summary

Base: All respondents/ "Sample A" respondents/ "Sample B" respondents

	Statements							
	The UK's churches, chapels and meeting houses are an important part of the UK's heritage and history	The UK's places of worship are an important part of the UK's heritage and history	The Government should give financial support to churches, chapels and meeting houses in order to protect their heritage and history for future generations	The Government should give financial support to places of worship in order to protect their heritage and history for future generations	Churches, chapels and meeting houses are important for society, as they provide a space in which community activities such as playgroups, ... as well as worship	It would have a negative impact on my local community if my local church, chapel, or meeting house was no longer there	Repairing and restoring churches, chapels and meeting houses only benefits churchgoers	It is difficult to find useful visitor information, such as directions, opening hours, and details of things to see and do about churches, chapels and meeting houses
Unweighted base	1018	1020	1018	1020	2038	2038	2038	2038
Weighted base	1025	1013	1025	1013	2038	2038	2038	2038
NET: Agree	859 84%	834 82%	615 60%	569 56%	1683 83%	1255 62%	711 35%	943 46%
Strongly agree (4)	414 40%	400 40%	226 22%	189 19%	722 35%	516 25%	215 11%	211 10%
Tend to agree (3)	444 43%	434 43%	390 38%	380 37%	962 47%	738 36%	496 24%	732 36%
Tend to disagree (2)	62 6%	69 7%	187 18%	190 19%	125 6%	273 13%	857 42%	386 19%
Strongly disagree (1)	31 3%	37 4%	87 9%	108 11%	52 3%	128 6%	242 12%	73 4%
NET: Disagree	93 9%	106 10%	274 27%	299 29%	176 9%	401 20%	1100 54%	460 23%
Don't know	73 7%	73 7%	135 13%	146 14%	179 9%	382 19%	227 11%	635 31%
Mean	3.30	3.27	2.85	2.75	3.27	2.99	2.38	2.77
Standard deviation	0.73	0.76	0.91	0.94	0.70	0.89	0.86	0.76
Standard error	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02

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Table 3

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

The UK's churches, chapels and meeting houses are an important part of the UK's heritage and history

Base: All "Sample A" respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
Unweighted base	1018	524	494	76	164	171	196	138	273	301	277	168	272	105	413
Weighted base	1025	491	534	113*	187	168	179	139	239	275	255	226	268	123*	451
NET: Agree	859 84%	396 81%	462 87%A	89 78%	144 77%	138 83%	152 85%d	118 85%	217 91%CDEf	239 87%k	217 85%	180 80%	223 83%	109 89%n	367 82%
Strongly agree	(4) 414 40%	190 39%	224 42%	34 30%	71 38%	70 42%	78 43%c	52 38%	109 45%C	113 41%	115 45%k	82 36%	104 39%	50 41%	182 40%
Tend to agree	(3) 444 43%	206 42%	238 45%	55 48%	72 39%	68 41%	75 42%	66 47%	108 45%	126 46%	102 40%	98 43%	119 44%	59 48%	185 41%
Tend to disagree	(2) 62 6%	32 7%	30 6%	14 12%FH	12 6%	10 6%	8 4%	12 9%H	7 3%	19 7%	13 5%	21 9%L	10 4%	4 3%	36 8%
Strongly disagree	(1) 31 3%	22 5%B	8 2%	2 2%	5 3%	7 4%	7 4%	6 4%	5 2%	8 3%	8 3%	5 2%	11 4%	3 2%	13 3%
NET: Disagree	93 9%	55 11%b	39 7%	16 14%H	17 9%	17 10%h	14 8%	18 13%H	12 5%	26 10%	21 8%	25 11%	21 8%	7 6%	49 11%
Don't know	73 7%	40 8%	33 6%	9 8%g	26 14%fGH	13 8%G	12 7%g	3 2%	10 4%	10 4%	17 7%	21 9%i	24 9%i	6 5%	35 8%
Mean	3.30	3.25	3.35a	3.16	3.30	3.30	3.34	3.21	3.40CG	3.30	3.36	3.25	3.30	3.34	3.29
Standard deviation	0.73	0.79	0.67	0.71	0.75	0.77	0.75	0.78	0.66	0.73	0.73	0.73	0.75	0.67	0.75
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04

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Unweighted base	1018	90	49	879	42	104	100	87	78	114	121	138	95	542	57	23	8	6	1	5	14	397
Weighted base	1025	84*	54*	887	49*	112*	84*	90*	81*	104*	142	129	95*	542	57*	23**	7**	6**	1**	6**	14**	401
NET: Agree	859 84%	65 77%	43 80%	750 85%	38 79%	94 84%	70 83%	73 81%	75 92% Abe hl	91 88% a	118 83%	106 82%	85 90% A	493 91% OV	45 80%	17 73%	6 79%	6 100%	1 100%	5 86%	10 77%	302 75%
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Tend to disagree	(2) 62 6%	9 10% dgl	5 8%	49 6%	4 9%	9 8%	3 3%	8 8%	4 5%	5 5%	6 4%	5 4%	5 5%	20 4%	3 6%	3 15%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	39 10% N
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NET: Disagree	93 9%	13 15% DiJ K	5 10%	75 8%	7 13%	12 10%	9 11%	10 11%	5 6%	6 6%	9 6%	11 9%	7 7%	29 5%	5 9%	5 22%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	56 14% N
Don't know	73 7%	6 7%	5 10% i	61 7%	4 8%	6 6%	5 6%	8 8%	1 2%	7 6%	15 11% lm	12 10% im	3 3%	20 4%	7 12% N	1 5%	2 21%	- -	- -	1 14%	3 23%	43 11% N
Mean	3.30	3.04	3.21	3.33A	3.12	3.36A	3.32A	3.33A	3.37A	3.42AE	3.41Ae	3.28a	3.28a	3.46V	3.28	3.08	3.25	3.58	3.00	3.43	3.50	3.10
Standard deviation	0.73	0.77	0.66	0.73	0.77	0.75	0.88	0.75	0.62	0.67	0.69	0.77	0.66	0.66	0.74	0.94	0.48	0.54	-	0.55	0.53	0.77
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.10	0.03	0.12	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.03	0.10	0.20	0.19	0.22	-	0.28	0.15	0.04

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Table 4

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	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Employment Sector	
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Tend to disagree	(2) 69 7%	38 7%	32 6%	12 10%	12 7%	15 9%	10 6%	10 6%	10 5%	25 9%	19 7%	11 5%	13 6%	15 12%N	28 6%
Strongly disagree	(1) 37 4%	14 3%	22 4%	7 5%	9 5%	6 3%	4 2%	7 5%	5 2%	6 2%	15 5%i	10 4%	6 3%	1 1%	22 5%m
NET: Disagree	106 10%	52 10%	54 11%	19 15%H	21 13%h	20 12%h	14 8%	17 11%	15 7%	32 12%	35 12%	21 10%	19 8%	16 13%	50 11%
Don't know	73 7%	35 7%	38 8%	9 7%H	23 14%FGH	19 12%fGH	11 6%H	8 5%h	3 2%	12 4%	20 7%	18 8%	23 10%i	6 5%	41 9%
Mean	3.27	3.25	3.30	3.20	3.12	3.19	3.36De	3.27	3.41cDE	3.32	3.25	3.25	3.27	3.23	3.25
Standard deviation	0.76	0.73	0.79	0.85	0.80	0.77	0.70	0.80	0.68	0.75	0.82	0.77	0.70	0.70	0.80
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04

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Unweighted base	1020	100	51	869	36	110	99	89	76	106	108	160	85	539	53	16	4	6	1	6	20	413
Weighted base	1013	93*	50*	870	37**	122*	89*	93*	70*	93*	127*	156	84*	524	52*	16**	4**	5**	2**	4**	20**	420
NET: Agree	834 82%	73 78%	41 82%	720 83%	24 66%	98 80%	76 85%	80 86%	61 88%	80 86%	104 82%	127 81%	70 84%	474 90%V	44 85%v	13 83%	4 100%	5 100%	2 100%	4 86%	16 78%	300 71%
Strongly agree	(4) 400 40%	24 26%	19 37%	357 41%A	11 30%	52 43%A	44 50%Al	44 48%A	29 41%a	36 38%a	52 41%A	58 37%	32 38%	266 51%OV	18 35%	4 27%	2 35%	3 52%	2 100%	1 34%	6 31%	108 26%
Tend to agree	(3) 434 43%	48 52%dfG h	22 44%	363 42%	13 36%	46 38%	31 35%	36 39%	33 47%	44 48%	52 41%	69 44%	38 46%	208 40%	26 50%	9 56%	3 65%	2 48%	-	2 52%	9 47%	192 46%n
Tend to disagree	(2) 69 7%	12 13% m	3 DGjk 5%	54 6%	4 11%	10 8%	2 3%	6 7%	4 6%	5 5%	7 6%	13 8%	3 4%	19 4%	4 7%	-	-	-	-	1 14%	3 15%	46 11%N
Strongly disagree	(1) 37 4%	1 1%	2 4%	33 4%	1 3%	1 1%	6 7%aFhl	1 1%	-	4 5%fi	8 6%fi	7 4%	6 7%aFhl	10 2%	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	1 4%	26 6%N
NET: Disagree	106 10%	14 15%	5 10%	88 10%	5 14%	10 9%	8 9%	7 8%	4 6%	9 10%	15 12%	19 12%	9 11%	30 6%	4 8%	-	-	-	-	1 14%	4 19%	71 17%N
Don't know	73 7%	7 7%	4 9%	62 7%	7 20%	14 11%j	5 6%	6 6%	4 6%	4 4%	9 7%	10 6%	4 5%	21 4%	3 7%	3 17%	-	-	-	-	1 3%	49 12%N
Mean	3.27	3.11	3.25	3.29A	3.18	3.38A	3.36a	3.41Al	3.37A	3.25	3.25	3.22	3.21	3.45V	3.26v	3.32	3.35	3.52	4.00	3.20	3.09	3.03
Standard deviation	0.76	0.69	0.78	0.77	0.80	0.68	0.85	0.67	0.61	0.77	0.84	0.79	0.84	0.67	0.67	0.49	0.54	0.56	-	0.75	0.81	0.83
Standard error	0.02	0.07	0.12	0.03	0.15	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.09	0.03	0.10	0.13	0.27	0.23	-	0.31	0.19	0.04

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Base: All "Sample A" respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
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Unweighted base	1018	524	494	76	164	171	196	138	273	301	277	168	272	105	413
Weighted base	1025	491	534	113*	187	168	179	139	239	275	255	226	268	123*	451
NET: Agree	615 60%	255 52%	360 68%A	76 67%h	110 59%	113 68%gH	111 62%h	78 56%	128 54%	164 59%	155 61%	129 57%	168 63%	79 65%	270 60%
Strongly agree (4)	226 22%	100 20%	125 23%	22 19%	43 23%	38 23%	49 28%H	29 21%	44 18%	62 22%	51 20%	44 19%	69 26%	27 22%	96 21%
Tend to agree (3)	390 38%	155 32%	235 44%A	54 48%fgh	67 36%	75 45%fh	61 34%	48 35%	84 35%	102 37%	104 41%	85 38%	99 37%	52 42%	174 39%
Tend to disagree (2)	187 18%	116 24%B	71 13%	17 15%	33 18%	21 13%	29 16%	29 21%e	58 24%Ef	66 24%jL	44 17%	42 19%	35 13%	24 19%	81 18%
Strongly disagree (1)	87 9%	60 12%B	27 5%	9 8%	10 5%	10 6%	20 11%d	16 12%d	22 9%	24 9%	23 9%	22 10%	18 7%	6 5%	40 9%
NET: Disagree	274 27%	176 36%B	98 18%	27 24%	42 23%	31 19%	49 27%e	45 33%dE	80 33%DE	90 33%L	67 26%	65 29%l	53 20%	30 24%	121 27%
Don't know	135 13%	60 12%	75 14%	11 10%	34 18%f	23 14%	19 11%	16 12%	31 13%	22 8%	33 13%i	33 15%l	47 18%l	14 11%	59 13%
Mean	2.85	2.69	3.00A	2.86	2.94H	2.98GH	2.88	2.74	2.72	2.79	2.82	2.78	2.99ljk	2.92	2.83
Standard deviation	0.91	0.98	0.82	0.86	0.87	0.83	0.99	0.97	0.92	0.92	0.90	0.93	0.90	0.83	0.91
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.09	0.05

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Base: All "Sample A" respondents

	Total	Region											To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?									
		Scot-land (a)	Wales (b)	NET: Eng-land (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	York-shire & Hum-ber-side (g)	West Mid-lands (h)	East Mid-lands (i)	East-ern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)	Chris-tian (n)	NET: Other (o)	Muslim (p)	Hindu (q)	Jewish (r)	Sikh (s)	Budd-hist (t)	Other (u)	None (v)
Unweighted base	1018	90	49	879	42	104	100	87	78	114	121	138	95	542	57	23	8	6	1	5	14	397
Weighted base	1025	84*	54*	887	49*	112*	84*	90*	81*	104*	142	129	95*	542	57*	23**	7**	6**	1**	6**	14**	401
NET: Agree	615 60%	40 48%	27 50%	549 62%A	26 54%	69 62%a	55 66%Ab	51 57%	53 65%a	71 68%Ab	89 63%A	76 59%	58 61%a	377 69%V	35 62%v	13 56%	4 52%	3 60%	1 100%	5 77%	9 67%	193 48%
Strongly agree	(4) 226 22%	13 16%	7 13%	206 23%	9 18%	30 27%abM	16 19%	25 27%abM	22 28%bM	23 22%	45 32%ABg LM	23 18%	12 13%	158 29%V	14 25%V	6 26%	2 29%	1 17%	-	2 28%	4 26%	48 12%
Tend to agree	(3) 390 38%	27 32%	20 37%	343 39%	17 35%	39 35%	39 46%aHK	27 30%	30 38%	48 46%aHK	44 31%	53 41%	46 48%AfH K	219 40%	21 37%	7 31%	2 23%	2 42%	1 100%	3 49%	6 41%	145 36%
Tend to disagree	(2) 187 18%	25 30%DfG JKIm	15 28%dGj K	147 17%	8 16%	19 17%	9 10%	20 22%g	16 19%	16 15%	19 14%	23 18%	17 17%	89 16%	6 10%	3 12%	2 27%	-	-	-	1 9%	91 23%oN
Strongly disagree	(1) 87 9%	7 8%	5 9%	75 8%	8 17%jM	10 9%	10 12%m	8 8%	6 7%	6 6%	12 9%	11 9%	4 4%	17 3%	9 15%N	5 20%	-	1 22%	-	1 23%	2 12%	58 14%N
NET: Disagree	274 27%	32 39%DfG JKIM	20 38%dGj km	222 25%	16 32%	29 26%	19 23%	27 30%	21 26%	22 21%	32 22%	35 27%	21 22%	107 20%	15 26%	7 31%	2 27%	1 22%	-	1 23%	3 21%	148 37%N
Don't know	135 13%	12 14%	7 13%	117 13%	7 14%	14 12%	10 12%	12 13%	7 9%	12 11%	21 15%	19 14%	16 17%	59 11%	7 13%	3 12%	2 21%	1 18%	-	-	2 12%	60 15%
Mean	2.85	2.64	2.61	2.88Ab	2.64	2.91a	2.83	2.87	2.94a	2.94AB	3.01AB	2.79	2.84	3.07oV	2.81v	2.71	3.03	2.68	3.00	2.81	2.93	2.54
Standard deviation	0.91	0.90	0.87	0.91	1.03	0.95	0.93	0.97	0.91	0.82	0.98	0.89	0.75	0.81	1.05	1.14	0.93	1.22	-	1.19	1.00	0.93
Standard error	0.03	0.10	0.13	0.03	0.17	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.04	0.15	0.26	0.38	0.61	-	0.53	0.29	0.05

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Table 6

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

The Government should give financial support to places of worship in order to protect their heritage and history for future generations

Base: All "Sample B" respondents

	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
Unweighted base	1020	531	489	87	152	174	187	163	257	298	314	165	243	109	432
Weighted base	1013	502	512	123*	167	167	184	155	218	273	293	218	229	122*	458
NET: Agree	569 56%	243 48%	326 64%A	69 56%	99 59%	92 55%	106 58%	88 57%	116 53%	156 57%	170 58%	125 57%	118 51%	77 63%	259 57%
Strongly agree	(4) 189 19%	75 15%	114 22%A	18 15%	38 23%	29 17%	43 23%h	26 17%	35 16%	57 21%	53 18%	35 16%	44 19%	28 23%	93 20%
Tend to agree	(3) 380 37%	168 34%	212 41%A	51 41%	61 36%	63 37%	63 34%	61 39%	81 37%	99 36%	117 40%l	90 41%l	74 32%	48 39%	166 36%
Tend to disagree	(2) 190 19%	127 25%B	64 12%	19 15%	27 16%	33 20%	33 18%	27 17%	52 24%d	62 23%j	49 17%	36 17%	42 19%	21 18%	78 17%
Strongly disagree	(1) 108 11%	68 13%B	41 8%	13 11%	14 8%	13 8%	24 13%	19 12%	26 12%	27 10%	32 11%	29 13%	20 9%	12 10%	50 11%
NET: Disagree	299 29%	194 39%B	104 20%	32 26%	41 24%	45 27%	58 31%	46 30%	77 36%De	89 33%	81 28%	66 30%	63 27%	33 27%	127 28%
Don't know	146 14%	64 13%	82 16%	22 18%	27 16%	30 18%fh	21 11%	22 14%	25 11%	28 10%	42 14%	28 13%	48 21%ljk	12 10%	71 16%
Mean	2.75	2.57	2.93A	2.73	2.88H	2.79	2.76	2.71	2.65	2.75	2.76	2.69	2.78	2.84	2.78
Standard deviation	0.94	0.95	0.89	0.91	0.93	0.88	1.00	0.94	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.95	0.94	0.93	0.95
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.05

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Base: All "Sample B" respondents

	Total	Region											To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?									
		Scot-land (a)	Wales (b)	NET: Eng-land (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	York-shire & Hum-ber-side (g)	West Mid-lands (h)	East Mid-lands (i)	East-ern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)	Chris-tian (n)	NET: Other (o)	Muslim (p)	Hindu (q)	Jewish (r)	Sikh (s)	Budd-hist (t)	Other (u)	None (v)
Unweighted base	1020	100	51	869	36	110	99	89	76	106	108	160	85	539	53	16	4	6	1	6	20	413
Weighted base	1013	93*	50*	870	37**	122*	89*	93*	70*	93*	127*	156	84*	524	52*	16**	4**	5**	2**	4**	20**	420
NET: Agree	569 56%	46 50%	27 53%	496 57%	21 57%	76 62%a	50 56%	54 58%	42 60%	54 58%	76 60%	81 52%	42 50%	348 66%V	32 61%V	13 81%	4 100%	2 48%	100%	3 74%	7 36%	172 41%
Strongly agree	(4) 189 19%	12 12%	6 12%	171 20%	4 11%	33 27%AbJ Lm	17 19%	20 22%	13 18%	14 15%	31 25%A	25 16%	14 16%	121 23%V	10 19%	4 25%	2 35%	- -	- -	1 33%	3 14%	49 12%
Tend to agree	(3) 380 37%	35 37%	20 41%	325 37%	17 47%	43 35%	33 37%	34 36%	29 42%	41 44%	45 36%	55 36%	29 34%	227 43%V	22 42%v	9 55%	3 65%	2 48%	2 100%	2 40%	4 21%	123 29%
Tend to disagree	(2) 190 19%	20 21%	11 22%	159 18%	6 15%	21 17%	15 17%	20 21%	12 17%	22 24%k	18 14%	25 16%	21 25%k	81 15%	6 11%	- -	- -	2 35%	- -	- -	4 20%	104 25%oN
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NET: Disagree	299 29%	32 34%F	15 31%	252 29%	7 20%	25 20%	27 30%	29 31%	18 26%	33 35%F	32 25%	50 32%f	31 37%F	112 21%	14 27%	- -	- -	3 52%	- -	1 14%	10 52%	172 41%oN
Don't know	146 14%	15 16%J	8 16%j	122 14%	8 22%	21 17%J	12 14%	10 11%	10 14%	6 7%	18 14%	26 16%J	10 13%	64 12%	6 12%	3 19%	- -	- -	- -	1 12%	3 13%	76 18%N
Mean	2.75	2.59	2.68	2.77	2.81	3.04AB GhJLM	2.72	2.78	2.81	2.67	2.86a	2.62	2.62	2.95V	2.74v	3.31	3.35	2.31	3.00	3.05	2.20	2.44
Standard deviation	0.94	0.92	0.86	0.94	0.77	0.84	0.99	0.94	0.90	0.88	0.98	1.00	0.94	0.84	1.00	0.48	0.54	0.83	-	1.18	1.14	0.97
Standard error	0.03	0.10	0.13	0.03	0.14	0.09	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.11	0.04	0.15	0.14	0.27	0.34	-	0.53	0.28	0.05

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Churches, chapels and meeting houses are important for society, as they provide a space in which community activities such as playgroups, cultural events, meetings and lunch clubs can take place, as well as worship

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
Unweighted base	2038	1055	983	163	316	345	383	301	530	599	591	333	515	214	845
Weighted base	2038	993	1045	237	353	335	363	294	457	548	548	444	497	245	909
NET: Agree	1683 83%	804 81%	879 84%a	180 76%	267 76%	261 78%	310 85%CDE	247 84%cDe	417 91%CDEFG	454 83%	460 84%	366 82%	403 81%	203 83%	736 81%
Strongly agree	(4) 722 35%	306 31%	416 40%A	76 32%	117 33%	111 33%	136 37%	103 35%	179 39%e	200 36%	204 37%	144 33%	173 35%	91 37%	306 34%
Tend to agree	(3) 962 47%	498 50%B	463 44%	104 44%	151 43%	151 45%	174 48%	144 49%	238 52%De	254 46%	256 47%	222 50%	229 46%	111 45%	430 47%
Tend to disagree	(2) 125 6%	68 7%	57 5%	18 8%h	21 6%	26 8%H	18 5%	23 8%H	18 4%	48 9%KL	36 6%l	22 5%	19 4%	17 7%	64 7%
Strongly disagree	(1) 52 3%	32 3%b	19 2%	4 2%	12 3%	10 3%	12 3%	6 2%	8 2%	15 3%	12 2%	11 2%	13 3%	4 2%	24 3%
NET: Disagree	176 9%	100 10%B	76 7%	22 9%	33 9%h	36 11%H	30 8%	29 10%H	26 6%	63 12%kL	48 9%	33 7%	32 7%	20 8%	87 10%
Don't know	179 9%	89 9%	90 9%	34 14%FGH	53 15%FGH	37 11%FGH	23 6%H	17 6%h	14 3%	31 6%	40 7%	45 10%l	62 13%lJ	22 9%	86 9%
Mean	3.27	3.19	3.34A	3.24	3.24	3.22	3.28	3.25	3.33E	3.23	3.28	3.25	3.29	3.30	3.24
Standard deviation	0.70	0.72	0.68	0.70	0.75	0.74	0.72	0.70	0.64	0.74	0.70	0.68	0.69	0.68	0.71
Standard error	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.03

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Unweighted base	2038	190	100	1748	78	214	199	176	154	220	229	298	180	1081	110	39	12	12	2	11	34	810
Weighted base	2038	177	104*	1757	86*	234	173	183	151	197	269	285	179	1066	108*	39*	12**	11**	3**	10**	34**	821
NET: Agree	1683 83%	156 88% dBE HI	79 76%	1449 82%	61 71%	196 84% E	146 84% E	143 78%	131 87% bEh	167 84% E	224 83% E	230 81%	152 85% E	964 90% OPV	87 80%	29 75%	9 75%	11 100%	3 100%	8 78%	27 80%	604 74%
Strongly agree	(4) 722 35%	54 30% b	20 19%	648 37% B	23 27%	90 38% B	63 36% B	61 33% B	57 38% B	75 38% B	108 40% aBe	111 39% aBe	60 33% B	491 46% oV	38 35% V	14 35% v	5 39%	3 30%	2 59%	3 34%	12 35%	183 22%
Tend to agree	(3) 962 47%	102 58% DeF gHJKL	59 57% dfh KL	801 46%	37 44%	106 45%	84 48%	82 45%	73 49%	91 46%	116 43%	119 42%	92 51% l	473 44%	48 45%	16 40%	4 35%	8 70%	1 41%	5 44%	15 46%	421 51% N
Tend to disagree	(2) 125 6%	6 3%	14 14% DAFG IJKM	105 6%	8 10% Ak	12 5%	7 4%	15 8% a	8 5%	11 5%	11 4%	23 8% ak	10 5%	43 4%	3 3%	1 4%	-	-	-	-	2 5%	76 9% ON
Strongly disagree	(1) 52 3%	5 3%	3 3%	43 2%	2 2%	4 2%	7 4% i	4 2%	1 1%	7 3%	7 3%	6 2%	4 2%	12 1%	2 2%	1 3%	-	-	-	-	1 2%	35 4% N
NET: Disagree	176 9%	11 6%	17 17% DAFg IJKM	148 8%	11 12%	16 7%	14 8%	19 10%	10 6%	18 9%	18 7%	29 10%	14 8%	55 5%	5 5%	3 7%	-	-	-	-	2 7%	111 14% ON
Don't know	179 9%	11 6%	8 7%	160 9%	14 17% AbGI Jim	22 9%	13 7%	22 12% a	10 7%	13 7%	27 10%	26 9%	14 8%	48 4%	17 15% N	7 18% N	3 25%	-	-	2 22%	4 13%	106 13% N
Mean	3.27	3.23B	3.00	3.29B	3.15	3.33B	3.25B	3.24B	3.33B	3.28B	3.34Be	3.29B	3.25B	3.42V	3.34V	3.31	3.53	3.30	3.59	3.43	3.29	3.05
Standard deviation	0.70	0.66	0.70	0.71	0.74	0.68	0.75	0.71	0.63	0.74	0.70	0.73	0.68	0.63	0.65	0.73	0.53	0.48	0.62	0.53	0.70	0.75
Standard error	0.02	0.05	0.07	0.02	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.02	0.07	0.13	0.19	0.14	0.44	0.17	0.13	0.03

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Table 8

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

It would have a negative impact on my local community if my local church, chapel, or meeting house was no longer there

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
Unweighted base	2038	1055	983	163	316	345	383	301	530	599	591	333	515	214	845
Weighted base	2038	993	1045	237	353	335	363	294	457	548	548	444	497	245	909
NET: Agree	1255 62%	585 59%	670 64%A	150 63%d	192 54%	198 59%	218 60%	193 66%D	304 67%DEf	363 66%JK	326 59%	253 57%	313 63%	162 66%n	538 59%
Strongly agree	(4) 516 25%	220 22%	297 28%A	41 17%	95 27%C	85 26%c	96 26%C	74 25%c	125 27%C	159 29%Jk	129 23%	102 23%	127 25%	65 27%	219 24%
Tend to agree	(3) 738 36%	365 37%	373 36%	109 46%DEF	97 27%	113 34%	121 33%	120 41%Def	179 39%D	203 37%	198 36%	151 34%	187 38%	97 40%	318 35%
Tend to disagree	(2) 273 13%	137 14%	136 13%	36 15%h	64 18%fGH	52 15%gH	47 13%	29 10%	45 10%	78 14%	75 14%	62 14%	58 12%	37 15%	138 15%
Strongly disagree	(1) 128 6%	76 8%B	52 5%	13 5%	19 5%	18 5%	32 9%	20 7%	27 6%	33 6%	32 6%	32 7%	32 6%	11 4%	52 6%
NET: Disagree	401 20%	213 21%b	189 18%	49 21%	83 24%gH	69 21%h	79 22%H	49 17%	72 16%	111 20%	107 20%	94 21%	89 18%	47 19%	190 21%
Don't know	382 19%	195 20%	186 18%	38 16%	78 22%	67 20%	67 18%	51 17%	81 18%	75 14%	115 21%l	98 22%l	95 19%l	36 15%	181 20%
Mean	2.99	2.91	3.07A	2.90	2.97	2.99	2.95	3.02	3.07cf	3.03	2.98	2.93	3.01	3.03	2.97
Standard deviation	0.89	0.91	0.86	0.80	0.93	0.88	0.95	0.87	0.86	0.88	0.87	0.92	0.88	0.83	0.88
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.03

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Table 8

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

It would have a negative impact on my local community if my local church, chapel, or meeting house was no longer there

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?									
		Scot-land (a)	Wales (b)	NET: Eng-land (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	York-shire & Hum-ber-side (g)	West Mid-lands (h)	East Mid-lands (i)	East-ern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)	Chris-tian (n)	NET: Other (o)	Muslim (p)	Hindu (q)	Jewish (r)	Sikh (s)	Budd-hist (t)	Other (u)	None (v)
Unweighted base	2038	190	100	1748	78	214	199	176	154	220	229	298	180	1081	110	39	12	12	2	11	34	810
Weighted base	2038	177	104*	1757	86*	234	173	183	151	197	269	285	179	1066	108*	39*	12**	11**	3**	10**	34**	821
NET: Agree	1255 62%	112 63%B	51 49%	1092 62%B	48 56%	152 65%B	113 65%B	107 58%	93 62%b	127 64%B	163 61%b	172 60%b	117 65%B	785 74%OV	64 59%V	24 61%v	9 80%	5 48%	3 100%	3 31%	19 58%	381 46%
Strongly agree	(4) 516 25%	42 24%be	15 14%	460 26%B	11 13%	71 31%BEM	42 25%be	45 24%be	40 27%BE	58 29%BEM	83 31%BEM	76 27%BEm	33 18%	371 35%OV	26 24%V	10 26%V	3 26%	4 34%	-	2 19%	7 21%	111 14%
Tend to agree	(3) 738 36%	71 40%K	36 35%	632 36%	37 43%k	80 34%	71 41%K	62 34%	53 35%	69 35%	80 30%	95 33%	84 47%bFH iJKL	414 39%V	38 35%	14 35%	6 54%	2 14%	3 100%	1 11%	12 37%	270 33%
Tend to disagree	(2) 273 13%	29 17%GK	20 19%GK	224 13%	15 17%gk	32 14%	16 9%	26 14%	21 14%	26 13%	24 9%	42 15%k	24 14%	98 9%	17 16%N	7 19%n	1 7%	-	-	4 36%	6 16%	155 19%N
Strongly disagree	(1) 128 6%	10 6%	7 7%	111 6%	4 5%	10 4%	13 7%	16 9%f	9 6%	10 5%	15 6%	19 7%	13 7%	40 4%	8 8%n	3 8%	-	1 8%	-	1 8%	4 11%	76 9%N
NET: Disagree	401 20%	39 22%k	27 26%gK	335 19%	19 22%	42 18%	28 16%	42 23%K	30 20%	36 18%	39 15%	61 21%k	38 21%	138 13%	26 24%N	10 27%N	1 7%	1 8%	-	5 44%	9 27%	231 28%N
Don't know	382 19%	25 14%	26 25%AM	330 19%	19 22%	40 17%	31 18%	35 19%	28 18%	35 18%	66 25%Afj	52 18%	25 14%	144 13%	19 17%	5 12%	2 13%	5 44%	-	3 25%	5 15%	209 25%oNp
Mean	2.99	2.95	2.75	3.01B	2.82	3.10BE hM	3.01b	2.91	3.01b	3.07Be m	3.14aB EHM	2.98b	2.88	3.21OV	2.91V	2.91	3.22	3.32	3.00	2.56	2.80	2.68
Standard deviation	0.89	0.86	0.87	0.89	0.79	0.86	0.88	0.95	0.90	0.87	0.90	0.92	0.84	0.80	0.92	0.94	0.60	1.12	0.00	1.06	0.97	0.91
Standard error	0.02	0.07	0.10	0.02	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.03	0.10	0.16	0.19	0.42	0.00	0.38	0.18	0.04

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Repairing and restoring churches, chapels and meeting houses only benefits churchgoers
Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
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NET: Agree	711 35%	382 38%B	329 32%	95 40%H	132 37%H	129 39%H	123 34%	98 33%	135 29%	171 31%	192 35%	174 39%I	174 35%	70 28%	352 39%M
Strongly agree	(4) 215 11%	127 13%B	89 8%	31 13%H	45 13%H	37 11%h	41 11%H	29 10%	33 7%	52 9%	52 9%	62 14%ij	51 10%	19 8%	114 13%m
Tend to agree	(3) 496 24%	255 26%	241 23%	64 27%	87 25%	92 28%	81 22%	70 24%	102 22%	119 22%	141 26%	113 25%	123 25%	51 21%	238 26%
Tend to disagree	(2) 857 42%	399 40%	458 44%	83 35%	137 39%	124 37%	158 43%	134 46%cE	222 48%CDE	244 45%L	253 46%kL	177 40%	183 37%	124 51%N	359 40%
Strongly disagree	(1) 242 12%	109 11%	134 13%	15 7%	32 9%	33 10%	46 13%C	46 16%CDE	70 15%CDE	95 17%JKI	53 10%k	28 6%	67 13%jK	27 11%	88 10%
NET: Disagree	1100 54%	507 51%	592 57%A	99 42%	168 48%	157 47%	204 56%CDE	180 61%CDE	292 64%CDEF	339 62%jKL	306 56%KI	204 46%	250 50%	151 62%N	448 49%
Don't know	227 11%	103 10%	124 12%	43 18%FGH	53 15%fGH	49 15%fGH	37 10%Gh	16 5%	31 7%	38 7%	50 9%	66 15%IJ	74 15%IJ	24 10%	109 12%
Mean	2.38	2.45B	2.31	2.57FGH	2.48GH	2.47GH	2.36H	2.29	2.23	2.25	2.38I	2.55JL	2.37I	2.28	2.47M
Standard deviation	0.86	0.88	0.83	0.85	0.88	0.86	0.88	0.86	0.81	0.87	0.81	0.85	0.89	0.79	0.87
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.03

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NET: Agree	711 35%	70 40%GHJ	45 44% dGH ij	596 34%	32 38%h	86 37%gH	47 27%	46 25%	46 30%	57 29%	100 37%GHj	120 42%GHI J	62 35%h	315 30%	51 47%N	19 49%N	5 46%	5 45%	2 59%	6 58%	14 41%	327 40%N	
Strongly agree	(4) 215 11%	18 10%	24 23% DAE FGHIJK LM	173 10%	7 9%	17 7%	13 8%	18 10%	19 12%	14 7%	34 13%j	34 12%	17 9%	80 8%	13 12%	6 14%	2 13%	- -	- -	1 13%	5 14%	116 14%N	
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Tend to disagree	(2) 857 42%	77 43%	39 37%	742 42%	31 36%	95 40%	89 51%BEF KL	87 48%KL	69 46%kl	86 43%	96 36%	104 37%	85 48%KL	506 47%OPV	35 32%	9 23%	3 29%	6 55%	1 41%	3 32%	12 36%	304 37%	
Strongly disagree	(1) 242 12%	15 8%	8 7%	220 13%	5 6%	30 13%	21 12%	25 14%	18 12%	37 19%ABE gKLM	30 11%	34 12%	19 11%	166 16%OV	7 6%	2 5%	1 12%	- -	- -	- -	3 10%	66 8%	
NET: Disagree	1100 54%	91 52%	47 45%	961 55%b	36 42%	124 53%	109 63%ABE fKL	113 62%aBE KL	88 58%bEk l	123 62%ABE fKL	126 47%	138 48%	104 58%bEK l	672 63%OPV	42 38%	11 28%	5 41%	6 55%	1 41%	3 32%	15 46%	370 45%p	
Don't know	227 11%	15 9%	12 12%	200 11%	17 20%AFG JLM	24 10%	17 10%	25 13% m	17 11%	18 9%	43 16%Afg jIM	27 10%	12 7%	79 7%	16 15%N	9 23%N	2 13%	- -	- -	1 10%	4 13%	124 15%N	
Mean	2.38 J	2.46GH J	2.67Da FGHIJM	2.35 J	2.50gh J	2.35j	2.25	2.24	2.35	2.19 J	2.46GH J	2.47GH J	2.36j	2.23	2.62N	2.76	2.54	2.45	2.59	2.80	2.53	2.54N	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.81	0.96	0.86	0.80	0.82	0.79	0.86	0.89	0.85	0.90	0.88	0.82	0.82	0.82	0.84	0.96	0.52	0.62	0.72	0.91	0.88	
Standard error	0.02	0.06	0.10	0.02	0.10	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.08	0.15	0.30	0.15	0.44	0.24	0.16	0.03	

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It is difficult to find useful visitor information, such as directions, opening hours, and details of things to see and do about churches, chapels and meeting houses

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NET: Agree	943 46%	425 43%	518 50%A	138 58%DEFGH	157 44%	156 47%	160 44%	132 45%	200 44%	261 48%	255 46%	202 45%	225 45%	128 52%	415 46%
Strongly agree	(4) 211 10%	90 9%	121 12%a	24 10%	45 13%h	37 11%	37 10%	27 9%	40 9%	55 10%	48 9%	51 11%	57 11%	23 9%	102 11%
Tend to agree	(3) 732 36%	335 34%	397 38%a	114 48%DEFGH	112 32%	119 35%	123 34%	105 36%	161 35%	206 38%	207 38%	151 34%	168 34%	105 43%N	313 34%
Tend to disagree	(2) 386 19%	199 20%	188 18%	39 17%	67 19%	66 20%	63 17%	46 16%	106 23%FG	123 22%kL	109 20%	74 17%	80 16%	43 18%	178 20%
Strongly disagree	(1) 73 4%	38 4%	36 3%	11 4%	12 3%	9 3%	14 4%	12 4%	16 4%	26 5%K	25 5%K	5 1%	18 4%K	11 4%	33 4%
NET: Disagree	460 23%	237 24%	223 21%	50 21%	79 22%	75 22%	77 21%	57 20%	122 27%fG	149 27%KL	134 25%KI	79 18%	97 20%	54 22%	211 23%
Don't know	635 31%	331 33%b	304 29%	49 21%	117 33%C	104 31%C	126 35%C	104 35%C	135 29%C	138 25%	159 29%	163 37%lJ	175 35%lj	63 26%	282 31%
Mean	2.77	2.72	2.81A	2.81	2.81	2.80	2.77	2.78	2.69	2.71	2.71	2.88IJ	2.82ij	2.77	2.77
Standard deviation	0.76	0.77	0.76	0.73	0.80	0.75	0.78	0.76	0.75	0.78	0.76	0.71	0.78	0.74	0.78
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.03

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NET: Agree	943 46%	86 48%	47 46%	810 46%	51 59% fGh iJKm	110 47%	76 44%	82 45%	66 44%	87 44%	113 42%	142 50%	84 47%	546 51% V	58 53% V	17 43%	8 66%	6 52%	3 100%	5 50%	20 59%	320 39%
Strongly agree	(4) 211 10%	18 10% jm	12 12% jm	180 10%	7 8%	30 13% JM	22 13% JM	16 9%	21 14% JM	10 5%	30 11% Jm	34 12% JM	9 5%	118 11%	13 12%	6 15%	3 26%	- -	- -	1 8%	3 9%	77 9%
Tend to agree	(3) 732 36%	67 38%	35 34%	630 36%	44 51% aBF GHIKI	80 34%	54 31%	66 36%	45 30%	77 39% k	82 31%	108 38%	74 42% gjk	427 40% V	45 42% V	11 28%	5 40%	6 52%	3 100%	4 42%	17 50%	243 30%
Tend to disagree	(2) 386 19%	25 14%	11 11%	351 20% aB	8 10%	48 21% be	44 26% ABE iL	39 21% aBe	24 16%	38 19% be	64 24% ABE	50 18%	34 19%	238 22% V	19 18%	8 20%	1 9%	2 16%	- -	2 19%	6 19%	122 15%
Strongly disagree	(1) 73 4%	4 2%	6 6% f	63 4%	3 3%	4 2%	5 3%	6 3%	4 2%	11 6% F	12 4%	11 4%	7 4%	41 4%	3 3%	3 7%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	27 3%
NET: Disagree	460 23%	29 16%	17 17%	413 24% A	11 13%	53 23%	50 29% ABE il	45 25% ae	28 18%	50 25% AE	76 28% ABE i	61 21%	41 23%	279 26% V	22 20%	11 28%	1 9%	2 16%	- -	2 19%	6 19%	149 18%
Don't know	635 31%	62 35%	39 38%	534 30%	24 28%	72 31%	48 28%	56 31%	57 38% g	61 31%	80 30%	83 29%	54 30%	242 23%	29 26%	11 30%	3 25%	4 33%	- -	3 30%	7 22%	352 43% ON
Mean	2.77	2.87 Jk m	2.82	2.76	2.90 J	2.83 J	2.74	2.72	2.89 Jk m	2.63	2.70	2.82 J	2.69	2.76	2.85	2.72	3.22	2.77	3.00	2.84	2.88	2.79
Standard deviation	0.76	0.72	0.85	0.76	0.64	0.75	0.79	0.74	0.80	0.74	0.81	0.77	0.69	0.76	0.72	0.93	0.68	0.45	0.00	0.66	0.60	0.78
Standard error	0.02	0.07	0.11	0.02	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.08	0.18	0.24	0.16	0.00	0.25	0.12	0.04

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Table 11

Q.3 Thinking back over the last year, have you visited a church, chapel or meeting house in the UK for any reason, including religious services (such as Sunday worship, weddings and funerals), non-religious activities (such as playgroups, cultural events, meetings and lunch clubs), or as a visitor or tourist?

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	AB (i)	C1 (j)	C2 (k)	DE (l)	Public (m)	Private (n)
Unweighted base	2038	1055	983	163	316	345	383	301	530	599	591	333	515	214	845
Weighted base	2038	993	1045	237	353	335	363	294	457	548	548	444	497	245	909
NET: Yes	1161 57%	524 53%	637 61%A	149 63%eFG	204 58%	180 54%	191 53%	151 51%	285 62%EFG	365 67%JKL	328 60%KL	232 52%	236 48%	171 70%N	501 55%
Yes, I have visited a church, chapel or meeting house for a religious service (such as Sunday worship, weddings and funerals) in the last year	759 37%	338 34%	421 40%A	105 44%DeFg	119 34%	118 35%	121 33%	103 35%	193 42%DeFg	235 43%KL	211 38%	146 33%	167 34%	118 48%N	313 34%
Yes, I have visited a church, chapel or meeting house for a non-religious activity (such as playgroups, cultural events, meetings and lunch clubs) in the last year	368 18%	147 15%	222 21%A	43 18%	81 23%FG	59 18%	57 16%	40 13%	88 19%g	133 24%KL	114 21%KL	58 13%	64 13%	53 21%	166 18%
Yes, I have visited a church, chapel or meeting house as a visitor or tourist in the last year	475 23%	232 23%	243 23%	52 22%	74 21%	64 19%	74 20%	60 20%	151 33%CDEFG	186 34%JKL	127 23%L	89 20%l	73 15%	56 23%	202 22%
No, I have not visited a church, chapel or meeting house in the last year	877 43%	469 47%B	409 39%	87 37%	149 42%	155 46%cH	172 47%CH	143 49%CH	172 38%	183 33%	220 40%l	213 48%IJ	261 52%IJ	74 30%	408 45%M

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l - m/n

Churches Poll

ONLINE Fieldwork: 16th-17th December 2015

Absolutes/col percents

Table 11

Q.3 Thinking back over the last year, have you visited a church, chapel or meeting house in the UK for any reason, including religious services (such as Sunday worship, weddings and funerals), non-religious activities (such as playgroups, cultural events, meetings and lunch clubs), or as a visitor or tourist?

Base: All respondents

	Region											To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?										
	Total	Scot-land (a)	Wales (b)	NET: Eng-land (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	York-shire & Hum-ber-side (g)	West Mid-lands (h)	East Mid-lands (i)	East-ern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)	Chris-tian (n)	NET: Other (o)	Muslim (p)	Hindu (q)	Jewish (r)	Sikh (s)	Budd-hist (t)	Other (u)	None (v)
Unweighted base	2038	190	100	1748	78	214	199	176	154	220	229	298	180	1081	110	39	12	12	2	11	34	810
Weighted base	2038	177	104*	1757	86*	234	173	183	151	197	269	285	179	1066	108*	39*	12**	11**	3**	10**	34**	821
NET: Yes	1161	100	47	1014	55	142	94	105	89	115	162	143	109	734	57	13	10	8	2	3	22	350
	57%	57%b	45%	58%B	64%BL	61%BL	54%	58%b	59%b	58%b	60%BL	50%	61%BL	69%OPV53%v	34%	82%	70%	59%	31%	64%	43%	
Yes, I have visited a church, chapel or meeting house for a religious service (such as Sunday worship, weddings and funerals) in the last year	759	65	30	663	37	94	66	77	52	78	95	92	73	541	27	5	1	4	2	2	13	175
	37%	37%	29%	38%	43%	40%bl	38%	42%bl	34%	40%	35%	32%	41%bl	51%OPV25%	14%	12%	35%	59%	18%	40%	21%	
Yes, I have visited a church, chapel or meeting house for a non-religious activity (such as playgroups, cultural events, meetings and lunch clubs) in the last year	368	33	10	325	18	40	33	33	28	34	59	40	39	221	24	9	4	3	-	1	7	116
	18%	19%b	10%	19%B	21%b	17%	19%b	18%b	19%b	17%	22%BL	14%	22%Bl	21%V	23%v	23%	36%	25%	-	13%	21%	14%
Yes, I have visited a church, chapel or meeting house as a visitor or tourist in the last year	475	25	12	438	23	48	41	45	45	52	74	60	49	289	22	6	4	3	-	2	7	155
	23%	14%	12%	25%AB	27%AB	21%b	24%AB	25%AB	30%ABf	26%AB	28%AB	21%ab	27%AB	27%V	20%	16%	34%	31%	-	17%	19%	19%
No, I have not visited a church, chapel or meeting house in the last year	877	77	57	743	30	92	79	78	62	83	107	142	70	332	51	26	2	3	1	7	12	471
	43%	43%	55%DaE FhijKM	42%	36%	39%	46%	42%	41%	42%	40%	50%EFK M	39%	31%	47%N	66%N	18%	30%	41%	69%	36%	57%oN

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

*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**