

# Community report

## Kingborough (M)

Prepared from Community Explorer topic selections for briefing, planning and reporting use.

AREA

**Kingborough (M)**

COMPARISON

**Greater Hobart**

POPULATION

**Persons**

GENERATED

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### Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

**01** Religion

### Sources and method

- Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2021 and, where available, 2016 comparison data.
- Percentages are calculated from the denominator supplied for each topic. Change (pp) is the 2021 percentage minus the 2016 percentage when the topic is comparable across years.
- Usual residence topics describe where people usually live, rather than where they were counted on Census night.

# Religion

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## Key takeaway

In 2021, No religion was the most common religious affiliation among residents in Kingborough (M), accounting for 53% (21,230 people). This share was higher than Greater Hobart (49.9%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in No religion, which increased by 6,031 people and 10.6 percentage points.

## About this topic

Religion records a person's stated religious affiliation, including no religion and not stated responses. It is a measure of cultural identity and belief rather than practice or participation.

This topic helps show the religious diversity of an area and can support planning for community facilities, faith-based services, and inclusive engagement. It is best interpreted with ancestry, birthplace, and language, which together provide a broader picture of cultural composition.

## Interpretation notes

- This records stated religious affiliation, not attendance or level of religious practice.
- No religion and not stated are part of the overall picture, so interpretation should consider both affiliation and non-response.

## Religion - Ranked by size

Kingborough (M) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	175	0.4%	0.4%	225	0.6%	0.5%	-50	-0.2
Buddhism	439	1.1%	1.3%	316	0.9%	0.9%	+123	+0.2
Christianity, nfd	1,584	4.0%	2.1%	1,368	3.8%	1.9%	+216	+0.2
Anglican Church of Australia	5,218	13.0%	14.1%	6,335	17.7%	19.8%	-1,117	-4.7
Baptist	259	0.6%	0.7%	273	0.8%	0.8%	-14	-0.2
Brethren	9	0.0%	0.1%	22	0.1%	0.1%	-13	-0.1
Western Catholic	4,724	11.8%	14.1%	5,098	14.2%	17.0%	-374	-2.4
Maronite Catholic	3	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Melkite Catholic	3	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	-	-	-
Ukrainian Catholic	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Syro Malabar Catholic	5	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	-	-	-
Catholic, nec	-	-	0.0%	-	-	-	-	-

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	%	Greater H
Churches of Christ, nfd	4	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Churches of Christ (Conference)	25	0.1%	0.1%	34	0.1%	
Jehovah's Witnesses	199	0.5%	0.3%	146	0.4%	
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints	72	0.2%	0.2%	106	0.3%	
Lutheran	106	0.3%	0.2%	116	0.3%	
Armenian Apostolic	–	–	–	–	–	
Coptic Orthodox Church	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Syrian Orthodox Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ethiopian Orthodox Church	5	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Oriental Orthodox, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Orthodox, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Antiochian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Greek Orthodox	116	0.3%	0.6%	140	0.4%	
Macedonian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Romanian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Russian Orthodox	35	0.1%	0.0%	19	0.1%	
Serbian Orthodox	14	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Ukrainian Orthodox	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Presbyterian	605	1.5%	1.0%	656	1.8%	
Reformed	340	0.8%	0.2%	341	1.0%	
Free Reformed	–	–	–	–	–	
Salvation Army	34	0.1%	0.1%	62	0.2%	
Seventh-day Adventist	70	0.2%	0.2%	77	0.2%	

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Uniting Church	812	2.0%	1.8%	972	2.7%	
Pentecostal, nfd	606	1.5%	0.7%	556	1.6%	
Apostolic Church (Australia)	–	–	–	–	–	
Australian Christian Churches (Assemblies of God)	21	0.1%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
C3 Church Global (Christian City Church)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
International Network of Churches (Christian Outreach Centres)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
CRC International (Christian Revival Crusade)	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Full Gospel Church of Australia (Full Gospel Church)	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Revival Centres	9	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Revival Fellowship	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pentecostal, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other Protestant, nfd	41	0.1%	0.1%	49	0.1%	
Born Again Christian	8	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Church of the Nazarene	–	–	–	–	–	
Congregational	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Ethnic Evangelical Churches	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Independent Evangelical Churches	–	–	0.0%	23	0.1%	
Wesleyan Methodist Church	–	–	–	–	–	
Christian Community Churches of Australia	59	0.1%	0.0%	92	0.3%	
Methodist, so described	61	0.2%	0.1%	77	0.2%	
Other Protestant, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	

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Apostolic Church of Queensland	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Christadelphians	11	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Christian Science	—	—	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Gnostic Christians	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
New Apostolic Church	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Ratana (Maori)	4	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)	36	0.1%	0.1%	44	0.1%	
Grace Communion International (Worldwide Church of God)	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Other Christian, nec	11	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Hinduism	439	1.1%	2.6%	106	0.3%	
Islam	261	0.7%	1.3%	100	0.3%	
Judaism	42	0.1%	0.1%	26	0.1%	
Australian Aboriginal Traditional Religions	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Baha'i	18	0.0%	0.0%	31	0.1%	
Confucianism	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Taoism	10	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Druse	—	—	—	—	—	
Shinto	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Sukyo Mahikari	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Tenrikyo	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Nature Religions, nfd	3	0.0%	—	—	—	
Animism	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Druidism	—	—	0.0%	—	—	

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Paganism	46	0.1%	0.1%	44	0.1%	
Wiccan (Witchcraft)	17	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Nature Religions, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Sikhism	54	0.1%	0.6%	10	0.0%	
Spiritualism	19	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.0%	
Church of Scientology	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eckankar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rastafari	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Satanism	7	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Theosophy	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Jainism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zoroastrianism	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Religious Groups, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
No Religion, so described	21,230	53.0%	49.9%	15,199	42.4%	
Secular Beliefs, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Agnosticism	53	0.1%	0.1%	40	0.1%	
Atheism	107	0.3%	0.2%	66	0.2%	
Humanism	8	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Rationalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Secular Beliefs, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nfd	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Multi Faith	9	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
New Age	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Own Spiritual Beliefs	57	0.1%	0.1%	51	0.1%	

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Theism	14	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Unitarian Universalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nec	16	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Not stated	1,874	4.7%	5.9%	2,829	7.9%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>40,070</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>35,830</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Excludes religions with fewer than 10 adherents.

Data basis: usual residence.