

Community report

Serpentine-Jarrahdale (S)

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

AREA

Serpentine-Jarrahdale (S)

COMPARISON

Greater Perth

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 Serpentine–Jarrahdale (S), accounting for 49.2% (15,805 people). This share was higher than Greater Perth (41.8%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in No religion, which increased by 5,948 people and 12.5 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

Serpentine-Jarrahdale (S) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	136	0.4%	0.4%	118	0.4%	0.5%	+18	0.0
Buddhism	266	0.8%	2.5%	274	1.0%	2.5%	-8	-0.2
Christianity, nfd	1,524	4.7%	3.4%	1,203	4.5%	3.4%	+321	+0.2
Anglican Church of Australia	3,384	10.5%	9.9%	4,553	17.0%	13.8%	-1,169	-6.5
Anglican Catholic Church	-	-	-	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Anglican, nec	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Baptist	520	1.6%	1.6%	504	1.9%	1.7%	+16	-0.3
Brethren	10	0.0%	0.1%	-	-	0.1%	-	-
Western Catholic	4,294	13.4%	19.4%	4,242	15.8%	22.0%	+52	-2.4
Maronite Catholic	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Melkite Catholic	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Ukrainian Catholic	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %
Chaldean Catholic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Syro Malabar Catholic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Catholic, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Churches of Christ, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Churches of Christ (Conference)	43	0.1%	0.2%	36	0.1%	–
Church of Christ (Non-denominational)	–	–	–	–	–	–
International Church of Christ	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Jehovah's Witnesses	105	0.3%	0.4%	105	0.4%	–
Latter-day Saints, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	–
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints	83	0.3%	0.2%	91	0.3%	–
Community of Christ	7	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	–
Lutheran	60	0.2%	0.2%	80	0.3%	–
Oriental Orthodox, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Armenian Apostolic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Coptic Orthodox Church	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	–
Syrian Orthodox Church	12	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	–
Ethiopian Orthodox Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Oriental Orthodox, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Assyrian Apostolic, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Assyrian Church of the East	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Eastern Orthodox, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Albanian Orthodox	–	–	–	–	–	–
Antiochian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %
Greek Orthodox	47	0.1%	0.6%	35	0.1%	
Macedonian Orthodox	–	–	0.2%	–	–	
Romanian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Russian Orthodox	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Serbian Orthodox	27	0.1%	0.2%	25	0.1%	
Ukrainian Orthodox	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Orthodox, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Presbyterian and Reformed, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Presbyterian	292	0.9%	1.2%	369	1.4%	
Reformed	167	0.5%	0.1%	147	0.5%	
Free Reformed	487	1.5%	0.1%	410	1.5%	
Salvation Army	28	0.1%	0.1%	46	0.2%	
Seventh-day Adventist	94	0.3%	0.2%	120	0.4%	
Uniting Church	370	1.2%	1.5%	492	1.8%	
Pentecostal, nfd	409	1.3%	1.1%	268	1.0%	
Apostolic Church (Australia)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Australian Christian Churches (Assemblies of God)	7	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.1%	
Bethesda Ministries International (Bethesda Churches)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
C3 Church Global (Christian City Church)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
International Network of Churches (Christian Outreach Centres)	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
CRC International (Christian Revival Crusade)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Foursquare Gospel Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %
Full Gospel Church of Australia (Full Gospel Church)	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Revival Centres	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Rhema Family Church	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
United Pentecostal	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Christian Church in Australia	—	—	—	—	—	—
Revival Fellowship	6	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Victory Life Centre	—	—	—	—	—	—
Worship Centre Network	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pentecostal, nec	—	—	0.0%	3	0.0%	—
Other Protestant, nfd	50	0.2%	0.2%	47	0.2%	—
Aboriginal Evangelical Missions	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Born Again Christian	14	0.0%	0.1%	22	0.1%	—
Christian and Missionary Alliance	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	—
Church of the Nazarene	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Congregational	—	—	0.0%	4	0.0%	—
Ethnic Evangelical Churches	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Independent Evangelical Churches	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Wesleyan Methodist Church	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Christian Community Churches of Australia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Methodist, so described	60	0.2%	0.2%	80	0.3%	—
United Methodist Church	13	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.1%	—
Other Protestant, nec	5	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Other Christian, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—

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	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %
Christadelphians	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	–
Christian Science	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Gnostic Christians	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Liberal Catholic Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
New Apostolic Church	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	–
New Churches (Swedenborgian)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Ratana (Maori)	17	0.1%	0.0%	12	0.0%	–
Religious Science	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Temple Society	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grace Communion International (Worldwide Church of God)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Christian, nec	9	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	–
Hinduism	469	1.5%	2.3%	322	1.2%	–
Islam	392	1.2%	3.0%	232	0.9%	–
Judaism	7	0.0%	0.3%	10	0.0%	–
Australian Aboriginal Traditional Religions	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Baha'i	29	0.1%	0.1%	24	0.1%	–
Ancestor Veneration	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Confucianism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Taoism	–	–	0.0%	8	0.0%	–
Chinese Religions, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Druse	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Shinto	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

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	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %
Sukyo Mahikari	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Tenrikyo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Japanese Religions, nec	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nature Religions, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Animism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Druidism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Paganism	35	0.1%	0.1%	16	0.1%	–
Wiccan (Witchcraft)	9	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	–
Nature Religions, nec	4	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	–
Sikhism	501	1.6%	0.8%	311	1.2%	–
Spiritualism	18	0.1%	0.0%	18	0.1%	–
Mandaeen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Yezidi	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caodaism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Church of Scientology	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Eckankar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Rastafari	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Satanism	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	–
Theosophy	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Jainism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Zoroastrianism	5	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	–
Religious Groups, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Secular Beliefs and Other Spiritual Beliefs and No Religious Affiliation, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Perth %	Count	%	Greater Perth %
No Religion, so described	15,805	49.2%	41.8%	9,857	36.7%	30.1%
Secular Beliefs, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Agnosticism	25	0.1%	0.1%	30	0.1%	0.1%
Atheism	51	0.2%	0.1%	42	0.2%	0.1%
Humanism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Rationalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Secular Beliefs, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nfd	–	–	0.0%	7	0.0%	0.0%
Multi Faith	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
New Age	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	0.0%
Own Spiritual Beliefs	27	0.1%	0.1%	24	0.1%	0.1%
Theism	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%
Unitarian Universalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nec	4	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	0.0%
Not stated	2,178	6.8%	6.2%	2,540	9.5%	7.8%
Total	32,149	100.0%	100.0%	26,843	100.0%	100.0%

Excludes religions with fewer than 10 adherents.

Data basis: usual residence.