

# **Decline of religion remains stalled, but no revival yet**

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A decades-long religious decline remains stalled for now, according to a report based on data from two Pew Research Center surveys. However, young Americans remain less religious than their parents or grandparents, with just over half (55 percent) claiming a religion.

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# **Christmas means extra giving for churchgoers**

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For many churchgoers, Christmastime means giving time. Most say they regularly donate money and items to their churches as well as to local and national ministries and nonprofits.

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# **Americans skeptical about**

# paranormal phenomena

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Many homes in the United States may be decorated with images of ghosts and witches for Halloween, but most U.S. adults doubt they actually exist. Surveys from Gallup and Pew find broad skepticism for psychics, ghosts, astrology and witches.

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## Growing number believe religion gaining influence in U.S.

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After years of decline, a growing number of Americans believe religion's influence is on its way back, a new study from Pew Research Center suggests.

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## Is there religious revival among

# Gen Z?

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Claims of a national revival on college campuses are spreading. Researchers are more cautious, while acknowledging anecdotal evidence of spiritual renewal.

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## **One-fourth of U.S. adults consider Bible ‘just another book’**

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About a quarter of surveyed U.S. adults think the Bible is “just another book of teachings written by people,” the American Bible Society said in its latest release from the 2025 State of the Bible.

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## **Conference rallies Christian women for culture-war battles**

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“Welcome to the fight,” Allie Beth Stuckey told conservative Christian

women at the “Share the Arrows” conference in Allen.

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## **Franklin Graham quits financial accountability group**

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Franklin Graham, the president and CEO of two of the largest Christian ministries in the country, has quit his organizations’ membership in a financial accountability group that sets standards for evangelical nonprofits.

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## **Study: Religion declining worldwide in predictable pattern**

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When it comes to going to church, a generational pattern is playing out in many households around the world.

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# **Support of Israel steady but generational shift likely**

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Evangelicals in the United States are as supportive of Israel as they were four years ago, Infinity Concepts and Grey Matter found in their latest poll, but findings point to a possible generational shift.

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# **Charlie Kirk's AI resurrection reveals new era of digital grief**

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AI-generated content flooded social media—and even were part of worship services—in the wake of Charlie Kirk's killing, with supporters sharing images, videos and audio messages featuring the felled activist that were made by artificial intelligence.

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# **Only two-thirds of U.S. Christians believe all have sinned**

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Only 66 percent of American Christians accept the biblical teaching that all have sinned, George Barna said in the latest release from the 2025 American Worldview Survey he oversees at Arizona Christian University.