



Iowa Presbytery Church Plant

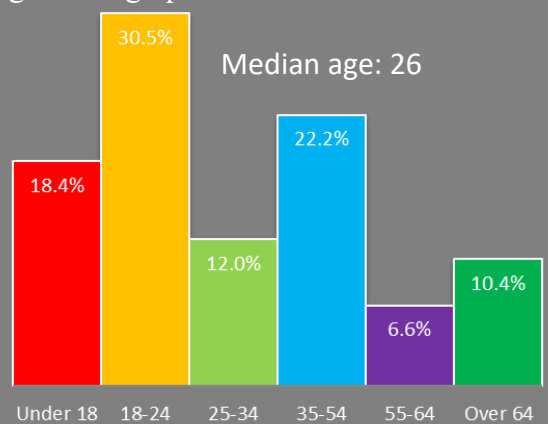
Presbyterian Church in America

Ames Statistics

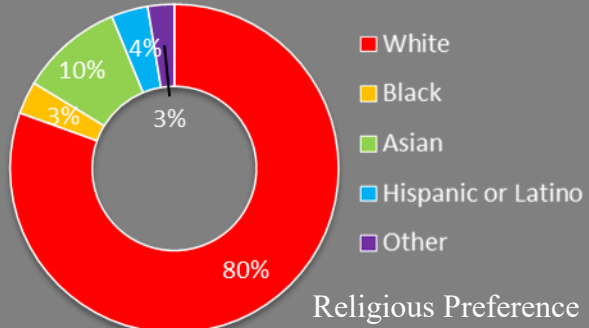
Dec. 2022 MissionInsite Report Statistics & Census.gov

Population:	66,546
10 Year Projected Population:	70,710
Median Family Income:	\$88,936
Median Home Value:	\$222,900
Median Rent:	\$972
Poverty Rate:	5%
Crime Index:	162.1
US Average is 270.6 (2019, city-data.com)	

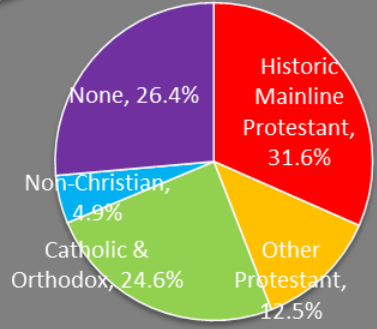
Age Demographics



Racial/Ethnic Diversity

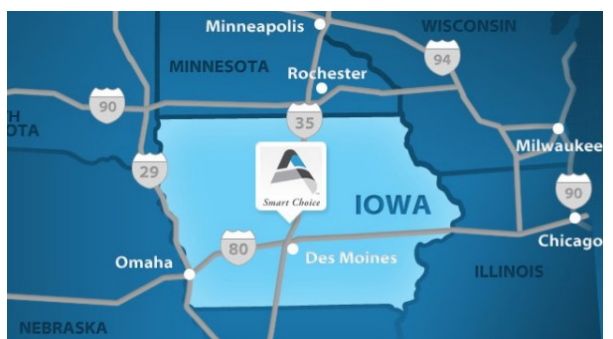


Religious Preference



Ames, Iowa is known for its healthy, stable economy, flourishing cultural environment, and Iowa State University (ISU). Unfortunately, it is also an area where there is a growing number of people whose religious preference is "none."

The Iowa Presbytery intends, by God's grace, to expand the reach of the gospel by planting a PCA church in



Ames that will reach both ISU students and local residents.

The Presbytery foresees a healthy and growing, self-sustaining and self-governing PCA church characterized by vibrant Christ-centered worship, effective ministries of evangelism, mercy, and missions coupled with transformational fellowship and discipleship in Ames all to the glory of God.

The Iowa Presbytery will also have the support of the Midwest Alliance. The hope is to see this church make disciples who will then help to spread the gospel, multiplying praise to God and planting churches throughout the region.





Highlights

Located about 30 miles north of Des Moines.

Home of Iowa State University with enrollment of about 30,000 students including 2,443 international students enrolled in Fall 2022, comprising 8.2% of the total enrollment.

White collar workers make up 69% of the workforce.

Education

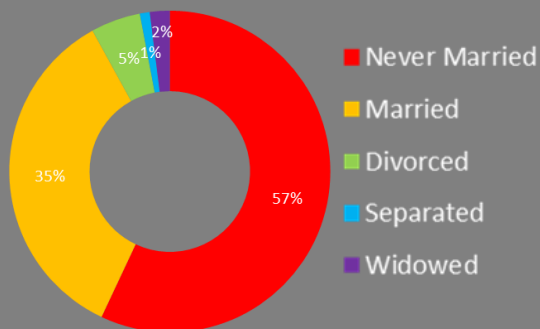
(population over age 25)

98% High School Grad or higher

32% Bachelor's Degree

30% Graduate or Professional

Marital Status



Households with Children

Married Couple 80%

Single Mom 17%

Single Dad 4%

Major Employers

Iowa State University

Mary Greeley Medical Center

City of Ames

Iowa Department of Transportation

Danfoss

Ames Community School District

Candidate Strengths

- Loves and trusts God far more than he loves or trusts anyone or anything else
- Intentional in evangelism and cares deeply about relationships
- Desire to put down roots and equip people for ministry
- A strong preacher - Bible is taught clearly, wholly, compellingly, and is applied to life

Support

- The Presbytery will provide prayer, financial, and logistical support to the church planter
- Opportunities for mentoring, internships, and cohort participation for those preparing for church planting

Imagine

A church that leads people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ and equips them to give their lives away for the cause of Christ and the glory of God.

A church that actively, intentionally, wisely and faithfully seeks to plant other churches in our community, region and world.

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Most Common Occupations

