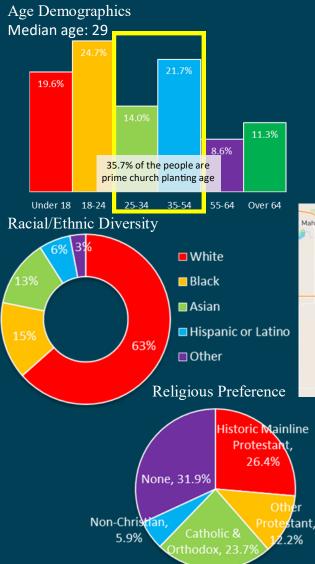
Presbytery of Northern Illinois Church Plant

Presbyterian Church in America

Champaign Urbana

Champaign-Urbana Area Statistics September 2020 MissionInsite Report Statistics & Census.gov

Population:	151,630
10 Year Projected Population:	165,603
Median Family Income:	\$71,458
Poverty Rate:	10.6%
Champaign Median Home Value:	\$158,800
Champaign Median Rent:	\$921
Champaign Crime Index:	312.6
US Average is 274 (2018, city-data.com)	



The Champaign-Urbana area isn't just a highly ranked college town, it is also a tech-friendly home base for entrepreneurs, an office location for seven Fortune 500 companies, an art-loving community, a sports town, and an international city.

Unfortunately, almost 38% of the population identify as non-Christian or as having no religious preference. While All Souls PCA currently meets near the University in Champaign, the Presbytery of Northern Illinois intends, by God's grace, to extend the reach of the gospel in



the region by planting a second PCA church in the Champaign-Urbana area.

The Presbytery foresees a healthy and growing, self-sustaining and self-governing, local PCA church characterized by vibrant



Christ-centered worship, effective ministries of evangelism, mercy, and missions coupled with transformational fellowship and discipleship in Champaign-Urbana all to the

glory of God.

The Presbytery of Northern Illinois will also have the support of

the Midwest Alliance. By the grace of God, this next PCA church in Champaign-Urbana will make disciples

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gospel, multiplying praise to God and planting many more churches throughout the region.



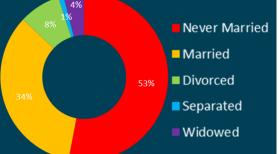
Highlights

- White collar workers make up 70.6% of the workforce.
- Home of University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (48,000+ students) and Parkland College (10,000+ students).

Education

(population over age 25)
95% High School Grad or higher
24% Bachelor's Degree
27% Graduate or Professional

Marital Status



Households with Children

Married Couple	68%
Single Mom	25%
Single Dad	7%

Top Employers

University of Illinois, 13934 Carle Hospital, 6921 Champaign Unit 4 School District, 1664 Kraft Heinz, 925 Christie Clinic, 96 Champaign County, 893 Urbana School District #116, 828 Fed Ex, 815 OSF Health Care, 774 Parkland College, 741

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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