

GENEVA

ILLINOIS

Chicago Metro Presbytery Church Plant

Presbyterian Church in America

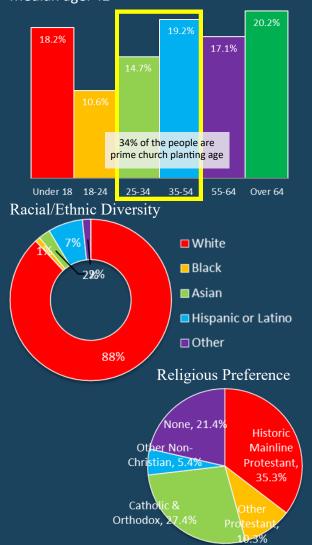
Geneva Area Statistics
October 2023 MissionInsite & Census.gov

Population: 21,424
10 Year Projected Population: 23,506
Average Household Income: \$157,844
Median Home Value: \$348,700
Median Rent: \$1,684
Poverty Rate: 1%

US Average is 254.8 (2020, city-data.com)

Age Demographics Median age: 42

Crime Index:



Geneva, Illinois is a mature community in Kane County, located just 40 miles west of Chicago. Geneva is recognized for its downtown, its historic architecture, its upscale residential neighborhoods and its prime location along the Fox River and the Fabyan Forest Preserve. But with only 35% of Geneva identifying as Protestant, the Chicago Metro Presbytery sees the need for the faithful proclamation of the

gospel in the community to be expanded.

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The Presbytery intends, by God's grace,



to expand the reach of the gospel by planting the first PCA church in Geneva.

The Chicago Metro 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 Geneva all to the glory of God.

The Presbytery will also have the support the Midwest Alliance. The hope is to see this church make disciples who will then help to

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







Highlights

the Union Pacific West Metra train runs right through historic downtown

White collar workers make up 78.3% of the workforce

Nearly every member of the Geneva community participates in some way at some point during the annual five-day Swedish Days Festival.

There is an extensive bike trail system that includes portions of the Fox River Trail and the Illinois Prairie Path.

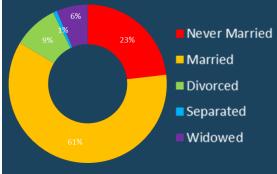
The Fabyan Windmill is an authentic, working Dutch windmill dating from the 1850s

Major employers include Northwestern Medicine Delnor Hospital and Geneva Community School District.

Education

(population over age 25)
98% High School Grad or higher
35% Bachelor's Degree
26% Graduate or Professional

Marital Status



Households with Children

Married Couple 82% Single Parent 18%

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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