DENOMINATIONAL CHART

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The Denominational Chart is intended to serve as a useful tool - a launching point - for our students in their denominational search. It contains general information, categorized by topics that seem to matter most to our students in their selection process: church polity, theology, stance on women in leadership, and view on baptism.

The denominations listed in this Chart reflect the top-represented denominations from the Gordon-Conwell student body. Omission of any particular denomination does not reflect a negative view on the part of the seminary, nor does inclusion in this chart reflect our endorsement. Also, the descriptions and categorizations are written from a general evangelical stance, and do not connote their official endorsement by the respective denomination.

The Mentored Ministry Department welcomes any clarifications, updates or corrections from knowledgeable readers or denominational representatives to improve the accuracy of this Chart. We also reserve the right to decide whether the proposed changes should be adopted. Most of all, we hope and pray that this Chart will be of genuine help to our students as they seek God’s direction for their lives and ministry.

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| **Denomination** | **Polity** | | **Theological Distinctives**  (Liberal; Mixed; Conservative, Reformed; Charismatic; Pentecostal | | **Gender\***  (Egalitarian or Complementarian) | **Baptism\***  (Pedo/Covenant, Credo/Believers, Both) | **Other Distinctives** | **Local/Regional**  **Contact Information** |
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| **DEFINITIONS:**  **Polity**: Congregational = major decisions affecting the local church (including ordination) are made by the congregation.  Episcopal = major decisions affecting the local church are made by the denominational leadership; ordination approved by bishops.  Presbyterian = major decisions affecting the local church are made by the ruling elders; ordination approved by presbytery.  **Theology:** Categorizations of these distinctives are taken from a centrist Evangelical perspective. The terms “Conservative,” “Charismatic,” and “Pentecostal” carry the  assumption that these denominations are also Evangelical.  **Gender:** Complementarian\* = the view that women may not be ordained nor have leadership positions over men.  Egalitarian\* = the view that women may be ordained and/or have leadership positions over men.  (\*There are modifications and variations on each of these positions. Also, please note that in certain denominations, particularly with a congregational system of polity, the emphasis or practice of a given view might vary from congregation to congregation.)  **Baptism**: Pedo/Covenant = infant baptism practiced, along with adult convert baptism.  Credo/Believers = believer-baptism only. | | | | | | | | |
| **Acts 29** | | Association of church plants [Churches can be independent or other-denomination-ally affiliated] | Reformed Evangelical  Missional | Complementarian  (but slight variations within individual churches and their denominations) | | Depends on the congregation | A trans-denominational peer to peer network of missional church planting churches.  800 member churches worldwide.  <https://www.acts29.com/about-us/distinctives/> | [www.acts29network.org](http://www.acts29network.org)  Matt Chandler, President  [info@acts29network.org](mailto:info@acts29network.org)  Acts 29 Network 2111 Justin Rd Suite 106 Flower Mound, TX 75028 North Atlantic Region Email: [Bryanlaughlin@acts29.com](mailto:Bryanlaughlin@acts29.com) |
| **Advent Christian** | | Congregational | Conservative/  Reformed | Generally Egalitarian but varies by congregation | | Credo with immersion | Fellowship vs. denomination; soul sleep & destruction of wicked.  ~ 270 churches, 14,000 members in US. | Dr. Gordon Isaac, Prof. of Advent Christian Studies, GCTS  978-646-4099  [www.adventchristian.org](http://www.adventchristian.org)  Clayton Blackstone  2141 Broadway  Bangor, ME 04401  [cblackstone@midmaine.com](mailto:cblackstone@midmaine.com) |
| **African Methodist Episcopal** | | Episcopal Governance  Methodist Doctrine | Mixed Conservative | Egalitarian | | Pedo-Covenant | African-American.  Within US: ~4000 churches, 2.5 million members; worldwide: 12,000 churches, 7.5 million members. | [www.ame-church.com](http://www.ame-church.com)  First Episcopal District:  Bishop Gregory G.M. Ingram  3801 Market St., Philadelphia, PA  215-662-0506 |
| **All Nations Church Network** | | Episcopal | Conservative Charismatic | Complementarian | | Credo-Believers | Six churches, Texas, Wisconsin, Colorado, Wyoming | <https://brandonhoneycutt.wordpress.com/all-nations-church-network>  Bishop Brandon Honeycutt |
| **American Baptist-USA** | | Congregational | Mixed Liberal/ Conservative | Egalitarian | | Credo-Believers | ~5800 churches, 1.5 million members in US. | [www.abc-usa.org](http://www.abc-usa.org)  TABCOM  Rev. Mary Day Miller, Supt.  20 Milton Street Dedham, MA 02026  781-320-8100  [miller@tabcom.org](mailto:miller@tabcom.org)  [www.tabcom.org](http://www.tabcom.org) |
| **Anglican Church in North**  **America**  **(ACNA)** | | Episcopal | Conservative | Complementarian  (Egalitarian as local option) | | Pedo-Covenant | 1062 churches, 134,000 members in US, Canada, and Mexico | [www.anglicanchurch.net](http://www.anglicanchurch.net) The Rt. Rev. William Murdoch, Bishop  978-388-0009  [www.allsaintsamesbury.org](http://www.allsaintsamesbury.org)  Asst. to the Bishop, The Venerable Donald Roberts  [droberts@allsaintsamesbury.org](mailto:droberts@allsaintsamesbury.org) |
| **Armenian Evangelical Union of North America (AEUNA)** | | Congregational (mostly) | Conservative to Moderate | Mixed, Most are more complementarian both for cultural and theological reasons, but some churches have ordained women clergy. This subject is currently under discussion within our union. | | Both, only a few only affirm Credo-Believers |  | [www.aeuna.org](http://www.aeuna.org); [aeuna@aeuna.org](mailto:aeuna@aeuna.org);  Address - AEUNA, 411 E Acacia Ave. Suite 200, Glendale, CA 91205-5609; 818-800-8839;  Minister to the AEUNA (Rev. Hendrik Shanazarian) [ministertotheunion@aeuna.org/](mailto:ministertotheunion@aeuna.org/) 818-933-1322; AEUNA Field Pastor (Rev. Ron Tovmassian) – [fieldpastor@aeuna.org/](mailto:fieldpastor@aeuna.org/)  323-610-4830 |
| **Assemblies of God** | | Congregational | Conservative Charismatic | Egalitarian | | Credo-Believers | Pentecostal  Within US: 12,850 churches, 3.1 million members; worldwide: 67 million members.  Northeast MA Presbyter: Randal E. Smith, [randal.e.smith@verizon.net](mailto:randal.e.smith@verizon.net);  [10 Baltimore Street Lynn, MA 01904](http://maps.yahoo.com/py/maps.py?Pyt=Tmap&addr=10+Baltimore+Street&csz=Lynn%2C+MA++01904&country=us) tel:   781.599.6045 fax:  781.599.3325  cell: 781.632.5810 | [www.ag.org](http://www.ag.org)  Southern New England Offices  Superintendent Rev. Nick Fatato  [nick@snemn.com](mailto:nick@snemn.com)  [www.snedag.org](http://www.snedag.org);  Assistant Superintendent Rev. Timothy P. Schmidt  [tschmidt@calvarychristian.church](mailto:tschmidt@calvarychristian.church)  PO Box 535 Sturbridge, MA 01566  508-248-3711  🡸 |
| **Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church (ARP)** | | Presbyterian | Reformed; Conservative | Complementarian | | Pedo-Covenantal | Cessationist  ~280 churches, 30,500 members in US. | [www.arpchurch.org](http://www.arpchurch.org/)  Roger Wiles, Exec. Dir.  [rwiles@arpsynod.org](mailto:rwiles@arpsynod.org)  918 S. Pleasantburg Dr. Greenville, SC 29607  (864) 232-8297  Outreach North America  1 Cleveland St., Ste. 110  Greenville, SC 29601  864-232-8297  [www.outreachnorthamerica.org](http://www.outreachnorthamerica.org/) |
| **Baptist Bible Fellowship, Intl.** | | A fellowship of pastors, and by extension, a network of preachers, churches, missionaries, and educational institutions worldwide, affiliated for the purpose of church planting and sharing the truth of the Word of God.  Participation in the Baptist Bible Fellowship International is open to any Baptist pastor of a supporting Baptist church believing in and adhering to the Word of God, on the basis of the [BBFI Articles of Faith](http://www.bbfi.org/articles-of-faith/).  The institutions of the BBFI include a Mission Office (a missionary support and service center), the National Church Planting Office (for the enlisting, supporting, and training of church planters), Baptist Bible College (Springfield, MO), [Boston Baptist College](http://boston.edu/) (Boston, MA), and the Baptist Bible Tribune (the magazine of the BBFI).  In North America, ~ 4,500 congregations, 1.2 million members; worldwide, an additional 10,000 churches. | | | | | | <http://www.bbfi.org> BBFI Headquarters: 720 E. Kearney StSpringfield, MO 65803 417-862-5001 Fax: 417-865-0794  [info@bbfi.org](mailto:info@bbfi.org) |
| **Bible Fellowship Church** | | Presbyterian | Conservative; Reformed | Complementarian (but women can be deacons) | | Credo-Believers | Calvinist;  Premillennial  65 churches, 7627 members in US. | [www.bfc.org](http://www.mybfc.org)  Robert A. Sloan  1011 Brookside Rd., Suite 145, Allentown PA, 18106  610—398-8776  bfc@bfc.org |
| **Brethren in Christ** | | Episcopalian | Mixed Conservative | Egalitarian | | Credo-Believers | Anabaptist; affiliated w/Mennonite Central Committee.  ~250 churches, 20,700 members in US. | National director: Alan Robinson General Questions: [bichr@bicus.org](mailto:bichr@bicus.org)  [www.bicus.org](http://www.bicus.org) |

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| **Calvary Chapel** | "Moses model" | Charismatic | Complementarian | Credo-Believers | Pre-Mill/Pre-Trib | <http://calvarycca.org/> Region Leader: Pastor Joe Focht, Calvary Chapel of Philadelphia [jmfocht@ccphilly.org](mailto:jmfocht@ccphilly.org?Subject=New%20message%20from%20CCA%20visitor) 215-969-1520 |
| **Charis Fellowship**  **(formerly “Fellowship of Grace Brethren Churches” )** | Congregational | Conservative | Practicing Complementarian but allows ordained women deacons | Credo-Believers | Church planting arm: *GROW New England*  Within US: 260 churches, 30,000 members; worldwide: 600,000 members. | <http://charisfellowship.us/>  Jack Brown, pastor & *GROW New England* rep. North Shore Bible Church Essex, MA [northshorebible@gmail.com](mailto:northshorebible@gmail.com) |
| **Charismatic Episcopal** | Episcopal | Conservative & Charismatic | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenant | Emphasis on theology as an intellectual assent as well as a living experience with the holy Trinity. | **Diocese of the Northeast:**  [www.cec-na.org](http://www.cec-na.org)  Bishop Gregory Ortiz  [greg@cechome.com](mailto:greg@cechome.com)  845-256-8480  Cell: 845-527-7844 |
| **Christ Church Fellowship** | Congregational | Conservative & Charismatic | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | Fellowship that connects churches and promotes unity in the body. Planting and connecting churches | <https://christschurchfellowship.weebly.com/>  Monique LeMaire, Minster and Overseer  1676 East Main Rd, Suite 3 Portsmouth, R.I. 02871  (401)619-2221 |
| **Christian & Missionary Alliance (C&MA)** | Presbyterian | Conservative | Mixed Complementarian. Women may be ordainedand serve in all pastoral capacities *except* lead pastor (since elders are required to be men and lead pastors are required to be elders) | Credo-Believers with immersion | Emphasis on healing ministry; Missions-focused; Pre-Millennial eschatology.  Within US: 2,000 churches, 430,000 members; worldwide: 4 million members. | [www.cmalliance.org](http://www.cmalliance.org) **District Office & Superintendent:** <http://www.alliancenewengland.org>  Rev. Tom Flanders PO Box 288  South Easton, MA 02375  [office@alliancenewengland.org](mailto:office@alliancenewengland.org)  508-238-3820  Fax: 508-238-4454 |
| **Christian Churches/**  **Churches of Christ** | Congregational | Conservative; non-denominational association | Complementarian | Credo-Believers with  Baptismal Regeneration | Origin: Stone-Campbell Restoration Movement.  *a* *capella* worship  Within US: 43,000 churches, 1.3 million members; worldwide: 2 million members. | <http://church-of-christ.org/>  **Restoration House Ministries  (church planting)** 1300 Wellington Road Manchester, NH 03104 603-668-8808 Fax: 603-644-4991  <http://rhmnewengland.org>  Executive Director: Eric Lee, eric@rhmnewengland.org |
| **Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)** | Congregational | Mixed | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers with immersion | Origin: Stone-Campbell Restoration Movement  ~3,600 churches, 625,000 members in US. | [www.disciples.org](http://www.disciples.org)  <https://www.discipleshomemissions.org/dhm/clergy/christian-vocation-search-call/>  **General Region:**  Warren Lynn, Executive Minister for Christian Vocations [wlynn@dhm.disciples.org](mailto:wlynn@dhm.disciples.org)  317-713-2652  **Northeast Region**  [**https://www.northeasternccdoc.com/**](https://www.northeasternccdoc.com/)  The Rev. Mary-Ann Glover  [Magglover1@aol.com](mailto:Magglover1@aol.com)  440-371-2913 |
| **Christian Methodist Episcopal (CME)** | Episcopal | Mixed | Egalitarian | Both Credo and Pedo | Historically African- American.  ~3,500 churches, 850,000 – 1 million members in US. | <http://www.thecmechurch.org>  Executive Secretary:  Dr. Jeanette L. Bouknight  313-861-1274 [cmeexecutivesecretary3@yahoo.com](mailto:jeanette.bouknight@thecmechurch.com) |
| **Christian Reformed (CRC)** | Presbyterian | Conservative; Covenantal; Evangelical; Reformed | Either, depending on Classis (area/region) | Pedo-Covenant | Calvin College & Theo. Seminary; middle of the Reformed spectrum.  ~1090 churches, 245,000 members in US. | [www.crcna.org](http://www.crcna.org)  Rev. Jim Osterhouse, home missions  [osterhoj@crcna.org](mailto:osterhoj@crcna.org); |
| **Church of God in Christ** | Congregational | Pentecostal  Conservative | Complementarian, although women may be licensed to preach | Credo-Believers | African American;  outreach, evangelism & missions-minded  Within US: 12,000 churches; worldwide: 15,000 churches, 6 – 8 million members. | <http://www.cogic.org> |
| **Churches of God, Gen. Conf.**  **(CGGC)** | Presbyterian | Adventist heritage;  Conservative | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | Winebrenner Theo. Seminary;  Travis Jarrett  NewSong Comm. Ch. 65 Power Rd., Westford, MA  978.799.1125  [travis@newsongs.org](mailto:travis@newsongs.org)  [www.newsongs.org](http://www.newsongs.org)  ~320 churches, 32,700 members in US. | [www.cggc.org](http://www.cggc.org)  Eastern Regional Conference  900 S Arlington Ave  Suite #120B  Harrisburg PA 17109  717-652-0255  [info@erccog.org](mailto:info@erccog.org) |
| **Church of God of Prophecy** | Episcopal | Pentecostal | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | Strong Latino demographic in North America, as well a strong presence in Central America and parts of French Speaking Africa.  Within US: 1,850 churches 89,700 members; worldwide: 1.5 million members. | [www.cogop.org](http://www.cogop.org)  NE Region:  Cervin McKinnon  New York  518-489-0753  Email: [bishopmck@nercogop.org](mailto:bishopmck@nercogop.org) |
| **Church of the Brethren** | Congregational | Anabaptist/Pietist Mix | Egalitarian, varies by congregation | Credo-Believers | Triune immersion baptism, lovefeast <http://www.brethren.org/about/beliefs.html>  ~1000 churches, 12,300 members in US. | [www.brethren.org](http://www.brethren.org)  **Atlantic Northeast District** Pete Kontra, district executive 500 E. Cedar St. Elizabethtown, PA 17022-2516 phone: 717-367-4730 fax: 717-367-8737 e-mail: [pkontra@ane-cob.org](mailto:pkontra@ane-cob.org) |
| **Church of the Nazarene** | Episcopal | Wesleyan/ Holiness | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Christian Holiness, Emphasis on Missions  Within US: 5,000 churches, 650,000 members; worldwide: 29,000 churches, 2.2 million members. | [www.nazarene.org](http://www.nazarene.org)  Rev. Mr. Kim Richardson  Beverly Church of the Nazarene; 978-927-2314 |
| **Conservative Baptist**  **“CBAmerica” (CBA)** | Congregational | Conservative | Complementarian | Credo-Believers | A Church-Centered Network of Regional Church Associations  ~1,200 churches, 200,000 members in US. | [www.cbamerica.org](http://www.cbamerica.org)  Rev. David Forsythe  Lead Area Direction Manchester-by-the-Sea, MA 978-423-0340 [missionnortheast.org](http://missionnortheast.org/) |
| **Conservative Congregational Christian Conference (CCCC)** | Congregational | Conservative | Either, depending on local congregation | Both Credo and Pedo | NEX [New England Multiplication] is the church planting arm:[jpaul@freechristian.org](mailto:jpaul@freechristian.org), 978.475.9500 (x102)  ~315 churches, 42,000 members in US. | [www.ccccusa.com](http://www.ccccusa.com)  Rev. Terry Shanahan  Northeast Regional Minister  [pastorths@aol.com](mailto:pastorths@aol.com)  (603) 964-8500 |
| **Converge**  (formerly Baptist General Conference: BGC) | Congregational | Conservative | Either, depending on local congregation | Credo-Believers | ~1250 churches, 300,000 members in US. | [www.convergeworldwide.org](http://www.convergeworldwide.org)  [www.convergenortheast.org](http://www.convergenortheast.org)**Northeast District**  **Executive Minister:**  Tim Ponzani  [tim@convergenortheast.org](mailto:tim@convergenortheast.org)  978-396-0185 150 Cook Hill Road  Cheshire, CT 06410 |
| **Cumberland Presbyterian** | Presbyterian | Reformed; some congregations charismatic | Egalitarian | Both Credo and Pedo | In church planting mode for New England. (African-American sister denomination is Cumberland Presbyterian Church in America.)  Founded [Memphis Theological Seminary](http://www.memphisseminary.edu/)  ~700 churches, 74,800 members in US. | <http://www.cumberland.org>  World HQ: Cumberland Presbyterian Center, 8207 Traditional Place, Cordova, TN 38016 901-276-4572 Fax: 901-276-3913 [assembly @cumberland.org](mailto:eav@cumberland.org)  Dr. Michael Qualls,  Dir. of [Alternate Studies](http://www.memphisseminary.edu/become-a-student/program-of-alternate-studies/)  901-239-5674 [mqualls@memphisseminary.edu](mailto:mqualls@memphisseminary.edu) |
| **A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians (ECO)** | Presbyterian | Reformed | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenant | ~390 churches.  Many churches that left the PCUSA have joined ECO over the past seven years. | Regional Representative:  Dr. Jeff Ebert  Senior Pastor of  The Presbyterian Church at New Providence,  1307 Springfield Ave.  New Providence, NJ 07974  855-326-3268  [office@eco-pres.org](mailto:office@eco-pres.org)  [www.eco-pres.org](http://www.eco-pres.org) |
| **Episcopal Church**  **(ECUSA)** | Episcopal | Mixed/Liberal | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenant | Pro homosexual ordination  ~6,800 churches, 2 million baptized members. | <http://ecusa.anglican.org>  [www.diomass.org](http://www.diomass.org)  Diocese of Massachusetts:  Bishop M. Thomas Shaw  138 Tremont St., Boston 02111  [jdrapeau@diomass.org](mailto:jdrapeau@diomass.org)  617-482-4826 |
| **The Evangelical**  **Christian Church in Canada** | Congregational | Conservative | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | Roots found in the Christian [Disciples] Church 1804 | [www.eccincanada.com](http://www.eccincanada.com) Central Office  410-425 Lincoln Road  Waterloo, Ontario  N2J 2N9  519-880-9110  Bishop: Dr. D. Lavigne |
| **Evangelical Covenant (ECC)** | Congregational | Mixed/  Conservative | Egalitarian | Both (pastor must teach & perform both) | North Park Seminary; Pietist tradition; variety of styles/practices  Within US: 820 churches, 124,700 to 160,000 members; 72 churches on the east; worldwide: 278,000 members. | [www.covchurch.org](http://www.covchurch.org)  East Coast Conference Superintendent  Rev. Howard Burgoyne, Assoc. Supt.  [Howard.Burgoyne@gmail.com](mailto:Howard.Burgoyne@gmail.com)  52 Missionary Road  Cromwell, CT 06416 860-635-2691  [www.eastcoastconf.org](http://www.eastcoastconf.org) |
| **Evangelical Free Church (EFCA)** | Congregational | Conservative | Complementarian | Both | Trinity Evangelical Divinity School; church planting  1321 churches in the United States | [www.efca.org](http://www.efca.org)  Sam Huggard  603-724-5909 [ds@efcneda.org](mailto:ds@efcneda.org)  Ves Sheely, N.E. Supt.  860-678-1014 |
| **Evangelical Lutheran (ELCA)** | Episcopal | Mixed/Liberal | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenant | In communion w/RCA, PCUSA, UCC, ECUSA, the Moravian Church in North America, and UMC.  ~9,300 churches, 3.7 million baptized members. | [www.elca.org](http://www.elca.org)  To serve as a rostered minister, contact the Candidacy committee for your local synod.  Candidacy resources:  <http://elca.org/Our-Work/Leadership/Vocation-Become-a-Leader/Candidacy> |
| **Evangelical Methodist** | Presbyterian | Conservative | Complementarian  (however, women may receive local preachers License) | Credo-Believers | Wesleyan, holiness  Within US: 110 churches, 7,500 members; worldwide: 215 churches, 15,000 members. | <http://emchurch.org>  North American Conference, USA District: P. O. Box 17070 Indianapolis, IN 46217 317-780-8017 Fax: 317-780-8078 |
| **Evangelical Presbyterian (EPC)** | Presbyterian | Conservative | Either, depending on local congregation | Pedo-Covenant | Within US, 550 churches, 150,000 members. | [www.epc.org](http://www.epc.org)  [www.epceast.org](http://www.epceast.org)  Regional Presbytery:  Ronald Meyer, Stated Clerk  703-356-4560 [rmeyer@4thPres.org](mailto:rmeyer@4thPres.org)  Local: Rev. David Cook  Northpoint EPC  Danvers, MA  978-595-1133  [www.northpointepc.org](http://www.northpointepc.org) |
| **Foursquare Gospel** [International Church of the Foursquare Gospel] | “Modified” Episcopal | Pentecostal | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | Within US: 1620 churches, 243,400 members; worldwide: 66,000 churches, 8 million members. | Rev. Peter Bonanno Northeast/Atlantic District Supervisor [pbonanno@foursquare.org](mailto:pbonanno@foursquare.org) [neatlantic@foursquare.org](mailto:neatlantic@foursquare.org)  5111 Pegasus Ct., Suite E. Frederick, MD 21704 301-284-0177 [www.foursquare.org](http://www.foursquare.org) |
| **General Assn. of Regular Baptists (GARB)** | Congregational | Conservative Fundamentalist | Complementarian | Credo-Believers | 1,200 churches in North America and roughly 10,000 in the international partnership of churches. | <http://www.garbc.org>  National Representative: Mike Hess  [mhess@garbc.org](mailto:mhess@garbc.org)  Denominational office number:1-888-588-1600 |
| **Global Methodist Church** | Presbyterian | Mixed | Egalitarian | Both, but primarily Credo-Believers |  | Website: [Methodist Newsletter Church | Global Methodist Church](https://globalmethodist.org/connect/#contactus)  Phone: 540-898-4960  Transitional Connection Officer: Walter Fenton  <mailto:wfenton@globalmethodist.org>  Closest state Elder: Rev. Steven Taylor |
| **International Council of Community Churches** | Congregational | Reformed- Mixed | Egalitarian |  | ~137 churches, 693,000 members in US.  - Ecumenical – Protestants and Independent Catholics | [www.icccusa.com](http://www.icccusa.com)  Rev. Michael Livingston, Executive Director  21116 Washington Parkway  Frankfort, Illinois 60423  Email: [icccml@sbcglobal.net](mailto:icccml@sbcglobal.net) (815)464-5690  (815)464-5692 Fax |
| **Korean Evangelical Holiness** | Episcopal | Pentecostal | Complementarian | Credo-Believers | Estimated 4 million congregants in north America | Timothy Bell, Regional Director  Shippenville, PA  814-797-2088  [timbell@csonline.net](mailto:timbell@csonline.net) |
| **Korean-American Presbyterian (KAPC)** | Presbyterian | Conservative-Mixed | Complementarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Korean- American; member of North American Presbyterian & Reformed Council  ~600 churches, 70,000 members in US. | [www.kapc.org](http://www.kapc.org) |
| Korean Presbyterian Church Abroad (formerly Korean Presbyterian Church in America) | Presbyterian | Reformed Moderate | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Worldwide: 21 presbyteries, 462 churches and 90,716 members. | [www.kpca.org](http://www.kpca.org) (Korean)  [www.kpcaep.org](http://www.kpcaep.org) (English) |
| **Lutheran Church**  **Missouri Synod** | Presbyterian (but Congregational in many functions) | Conservative | Complementarian | Both | \*“concordia” = walking together  ~6140 churches, 2.1 million baptized members. | [www.lcms.org](http://www.lcms.org)  New England District: Rev. Tim Yeadon  400 Wilbraham Road  Springfield, MA 01109  [info@ned-lcms.org](mailto:info@ned-lcms.org)  <http://ned-lcms.org/>  413-783-0131 |
| **Mennonite** | Congregational | Mixed | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | ~875 churches, 95,000 members in US. | [www.mennoniteusa.org](http://www.mennoniteusa.org)  Mennonite Conference Center  215-723-5513  [info@easterndistrict.org](mailto:info@easterndistrict.org) |
| **Moravian** | Presbyterian | Mixed | Egalitarian | Both Pedo & Credo | Within US: 147 churches, 36,500 members; worldwide: 1,000 churches, 750,000-1 million members. | [www.moravian.org](http://www.moravian.org)  Rev. Gary Straughan  President of Eastern District  800-732-0591  [gary@mcnp.org](mailto:gary@mcnp.org) or [edeb@mcnp.org](mailto:edeb@mcnp.org) |
| **National Baptist Convention of America, Inc. (NBCA)** | Historically African-American; initial roots from the organization of the Foreign Mission Baptist Convention of the US. ***Missions & publishing focus.***  Owns NBCA Press (Natl. Baptist Publishing Board).  ~1.5 million members in US. | | | | [www.nbcainc.com](http://www.nbcainc.com)  National Headquarters: National Baptist Convention of America International, Inc. 777 S R L Thornton Fwy.  Suite # 210 Dallas, Texas 75203 <https://nbcainc.com/> [info@nbcainc.com](mailto:info@nbcainc.com)  214-942-3311 | |
| **National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc.**  **(NBC)** | Congregational | Mixed Conservative (Does not prescribe nor exercise administrative or doctrinal control over any of its membership) | Either, depending on local congregation | Credo-Believers | Historically African-American  The NBC college is [American Baptist College](http://www.abcnash.edu) (also previously known as American Baptist Theological Seminary or ABTS) in Nashville. Focus on theology & social justice.  Within US: 9,000 churches, 5 million members; worldwide: 31,000 churches, 7.5 million members. | [www.nationalbaptist.com](http://www.nationalbaptist.com)  National Headquarters 1700 Baptist World Center Dr.  Nashville, TN 37207  615-228-6292  United Baptist Convention of MA/RI/NH:  Rev. Dr. Arthur L. Hilson  2 Joffre Terrace  Portsmouth, NH 03801  603-433-7343  Email: [revhiso@aol.com](mailto:revhiso@aol.com) |
| **National Assn. of Congregational Christian Churches**  **(NACCC)** | Congregational | Mixed | Either, depending on local congregation | Either or both – depending on congregation | ~350 churches, 65,000 members in US. | [www.naccc.org/](http://www.naccc.org/)  National Office: Rev. Dr. Michael Chittum, Executive Director  8473 South Howell Avenue PO Box 288 Oak Creek, WI 53154-0288 414-764-1620 Fax: 414-764-0319 Email: [naccc@naccc.org](mailto:naccc@naccc.org) |
| **Orthodox Presbyterian (OPC)** | Presbyterian | Reformed; Conservative | Complementarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Member of N. American Presbyterian & Reformed Council and the Intl. Council of Reformed Churches; Cessationist  ~300 churches, 30,000 members in US. | [www.opc.org](http://www.opc.org)  The Orthodox Presbyterian Church Box P Willow Grove, PA 19090-0920 215/830-0900 |
| **Plymouth Brethren** | Congregational | Mixed/  Conservative | Complementarian | Credo- Believers | Separatist  ~1,100 churches, 86,000 members in US. | [www.plymouthbrethrenchristianchurch.org](http://www.plymouthbrethrenchristianchurch.org)  **USA/ Canda Telephone:**[+1877-790-7222](tel:+18777907222) |
| **Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)** | Presbyterian | Reformed; Conservative | Complementarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Cessationist  1,700 churches, 330,00 members in US. | [www.pcanet.org](http://www.pcanet.org)  1700 North Brown Road, Lawrenceville, GA  30043 Telephone:  678-825-1000 Fax:  678-825-1001 Email:  [ac@pcanet.org](mailto:ac@pcanet.org) |
| **Presbyterian Church in the USA (PCUSA)** | Presbyterian | Reformed; Mixed | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | In communion  w/RCA, ELCA & UCC; “ecumenical”  ~9,800 churches, 1.6-2 million members in US. | [www.pcusa.org](http://www.pcusa.org)  The Presbytery of Southern New England  Rev. Dana Lindsley, Exec. Presbyter  [danalindsley@psne.org](mailto:danalindsley@psne.org)  123 Elm Street, # 200, Old Saybrook, CT 06475 860- 388-0874 |
| **Progressive National Baptist Convention**  **(PNBC)** | Congregational | Mixed Liberal | Egalitarian | Both | African American  Civil rights & social justice emphasis  Seminarian Development:  Rev. Charles Adams 313-475-4807  Within US: 1,200 churches, 1.5 million members; worldwide: 740 churches, 2.5 million members. | [www.pnbc.org](http://www.pnbc.org)  **Progressive National Baptist Convention, Inc.,** Rev. Dr. James C. Perkins, President 601 - 50th Street, NE Washington, DC 20019 202-396-0558 or  800-876-7622 Fax: 202-398-4998 [info@pnbc.org](mailto:info@pnbc.org)  **Eastern Regional  Vice President:** Dr. Louis B. Jones, II Pilgrim Baptist Church Washington, DC |
| **Quaker:**  **Evangelical Friends Church International (EFCI)** | Congregational | Conservative | No Clergy | Do not Baptize | Wesleyan and Arminian  Within US, 280 churches, 38,400 members; worldwide, 1,100 churches, 140,000 members. | [www.evangelicalfriends.org](http://www.evangelicalfriends.org)  **Evangelical Friends Church International** 5350 Broadmoor Cir., NW Canton, OH 44709 330-493-1660  Dave Arkadante?  336-259-5900  Dr. John P. Williams, Jr. – Eastern Region Rep.  330-493-1660 [efcer@aol.com](mailto:efcer@aol.com) |
| **Redeemer City to City** | Association for church planting | Reformed Evangelical  Missional | Complementarian | Varies by congregation | Does not ordain, but resources new church plants.  Planted over 337 churches. | [www.redeemercitytocity.com](http://www.redeemercitytocity.com) |
| **Reformed Church in America (RCA)** | Presbyterian | Reformed; Mixed | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | In communion w/ELCA, PCUSA & UCC; the more liberal of the Reformed denominations; “ecumenical”  ~850 churches, 240,000 members in US. | <https://www.rca.org>  Reformed Church of America  4500 60th St. SE  Grand Rapids, MI 49512  616-698-7071  Fax: 616-698-6606  [*webservant@rca.org*](mailto:webservant@rca.org) [Cornelis Kors](https://www.rca.org/users/ckors) Executive Director, Ministerial Formation Certification Agency |
| **Religious Society of Friends (Quaker)** | Congregational | Mixed | Egalitarian | Do not Baptize | Estimated 35,000 churches in the USA  Strong emphasis on “Faith in Action” and “Let your lives preach,” looked towards a simple primitive Christianity | [www.evangelical-friends.org](http://www.evangelical-friends.org)  Dr. John P. Williams, Jr. – Eastern Region representative  330-493-1660 |
| **Salvation Army** | Episcopal | Conservative | Egalitarian | Do not Baptize | Arminian; military organization & terminology  *“Articles of War”*; strong hands-on ministry or help and mercy.  Within US: 1,200 churches, 450,000 members; worldwide: 15,400 churches, 1.1 million members, 4.5 million volunteers. | [www.salvationarmyusa.org](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org)  Lt. Colonels Fred & Barbara Van Brunt, Divisional Commanders  147 Berkeley St.  Boston, MA 02116  617-542-5420 (operator) |
| **Southern Baptist (SBC)** | Congregational | Mixed/  Conservative | Either, depending on local congregation | Credo-Believers with Immersion | Dispensational  47,456 churches, 14.8 million members in US. | [www.sbc.net](http://www.sbc.net)  Baptist Convention  of New England  Director: Terry Dorsett,  tdorsett@bcne.net  508-393-6013, ext. 224  Boston Area Director: Sam Taylor, [staylor@bcne.net](mailto:staylor@bcne.net), ext. 245 |
| **Sovereign Grace Ministries** | Presbyterian | Conservative; Reformed; Charismatic | Complementarian | Credo with Immersion | Church planting, voluntary apostolic, relational oversight of local church networks.  ~70 churches, 11,000-13,000 members in US. | [www.sovereigngrace.com/](http://www.sovereigngrace.com/) Bauer Evans [bevans@crosswayma.org](mailto:bevans@crosswayma.org) (508) 226-5312 |
| **Transformation Ministries** | Congregational | Conservative | Either, depending on local congregation | Credo-Believers | An association of churches focusing on Leadership, Church health & Kingdom Expansion | [www.transmin.org](http://www.transmin.org)  Dr. Dale Salico  970 E. Village Oaks Dr. - Suite 101  Covina, CA 91724  dsalico@transmin.org;  800-299-3448 |
| **United Church of Christ (UCC)** | Congregational | Mixed/Liberal | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | ~5,000 churches, 1 million members in US. | [www.ucc.org](http://www.ucc.org)  <http://www.macucc.org>  Rev. Jim Antal 1 Badger Road Framingham, MA 17020 508-875-5233  [macucc@macucc.org](mailto:macucc@macucc.org) |
| **United Methodist (UMC)** | Episcopal | Mixed | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Wesleyan  Within US: 32,400 churches, 7.2 million members; worldwide: 12 million members. | [www.umc.org](http://www.umc.org)  Bishop Peter D. Weaver  New England Conference  276 Essex Street 5th Floor  Lawrence, MA 01840-1516  [communicate@neumc.org](mailto:communicate@neumc.org) |
| **United Reformed Churches of North America** | Presbyterian | Reformed; Conservative | Complementarian | Pedo-Covenant | CRC roots  ~110 churches, 23,300 members in US. | [www.urcna.org](http://www.urcna.org)  Federation Clerk **Rev. Bradd L. Nymeyer**  227 1st Ave. SE  Sioux Center, IA 51250  [statedclerk@urcna.org](mailto:statedclerk@urcna.org)  Telephone & Fax: (712) 722-1965 |
| **Vineyard Christian Fellowship** | Congregational | Pentecostal; Conservative | Egalitarian | Credo-Believers | Roots: Calvary Chapel & John Wimber; *Quest for the Radical Middle*  Within US, 600 churches: 190,000 members; worldwide: 1,500 churches. | [www.vineyardusa.org](http://www.vineyardusa.org) Eastern Region Overseer  Rev. Phil Strout  Pathway Vineyard Church 9 Foss Road P. O. Box 1610 Lewiston, ME 04241 207-784-9500  [www.pathwayvineyard.com](http://www.pathwayvineyard.com) |
| **Wesleyan** | Episcopal | Conservative | Egalitarian | Pedo-Covenantal | Holiness emphasis  Arminian  Within US: 1,700 churches, 147,000 members; worldwide: 5,800 churches, 520,000 -1 million members. | [www.wesleyan.org](http://www.wesleyan.org)  District Superintendent  Rev. W. Paul James  793 Corinth Rd.  Queensbury, NY 12804  [ds@enynewesleyan.org](mailto:ds@enynewesleyan.org)  518-793-4565  [www.enynewesleyan.org](http://www.enynewesleyan.org) |
| **Willow Creek Association** | A network of 12,000+ churches from 90 denominations and 35 countries. | Evangelical  Missional | Non-specified | Non-specified | “…What unites [us]…is a passion for God and a pioneering spirit.”  Within US: 2,700 member churches; worldwide: 7000 member churches. | [www.willowcreek.com](http://www.willowcreek.com) |

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