

## The Eastern Catholic Churches 2015

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### *The Armenian Catholic Church (Patriarchate)*

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Archeparchy of Beirut, Lebanon (Patriarchal)	15,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,500	1	8	5	17	30	19	3	3
Eparchy of Ispahan, Iran	2,200	2,200	8,000	200	200	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
Archeparchy of Baghdad, Iraq	2,200	2,000	1,600	1,700	1,700	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Iskanderiya (Alexandria) Egypt	1,500	1,287	6,500	6,500	6,500	1	4	2	0	0	3	0	0
Archeparchy of Aleppo, Syria	15,000	17,000	17,500	18,000	10,000	1	4	10	0	0	6	0	2
Eparchy of Kamichlié, Syria	4,303	4,000	4,000	4,000	2,500	2	6	4	0	0	3	1	3
Damascus, Syria (patriarchal exarchate)	4,000	4,000	4,500	4,500	4,500	1	1	0	1	1	2	0	0
Archeparchy of Istanbul, Turkey	3,700	3,680	3,450	3,200	3,100	3	10	3	0	0	4	1	0
Amman and Jerusalem (patriarchal exarchate)	---	280	800	500	500	0	2	0	2	2	0	0	1
Archeparchy of Lviv, Ukraine	---	--	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Sainte-Croix-de-Paris, France	30,000	30,000	30,000	30,360	30,000	2	6	1	6	6	2	0	0
Ordinariate for Greece (Athens)	650	600	300	200	200	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Apostolic Exarchate for Latin America and Mexico	30,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	0	2	0	2	2	3	0	0
Eparchy of Saint Gregory of Narek, Buenos Aires	estab. 1989	16,000	16,000	16,350	16,600	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ordinariate for Romania (Gherla)	---	1,000	809	666	656	0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Our Lady of Nareg in Glendale (US and Canada)	34,300	36,000	36,000	36,000	36,000	2	9	4	10	10	10	3	0
Ordinariate for Eastern Europe (Gyumri, Armenia)	estab. 1991	220,000	440,000	420,000	600,000	1	37	0	6	11	11	0	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>142,853</b>	<b>362,047</b>	<b>593,459</b>	<b>566,176</b>	<b>736,956</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>17</b>

### *The Coptic Catholic Church (Patriarchate)*

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Eparchy of Alexandria (Patriarchal)	60,000	88,000	28,345	31,013	35,865	1	31	41	32	65	144	0	5
Eparchy of Assiut, Egypt	34,500	35,000	50,000	50,500	51,000	1	39	50	6	7	60	0	7
Eparchy of Guizeh, Egypt	--	estab. 2003	5,945	5,460	5,940	1	9	12	1	22	48	0	4
Eparchy of Ismayliyah, Egypt	5,000	6,500	7,700	8,000	8,100	1	16	13	3	5	66	3	1
Eparchy of Luqсор and Thebes, Egypt	21,000	17,543	18,600	18,500	18,700	1	21	11	16	22	62	3	1
Eparchy of Minya, Egypt	20,084	38,835	40,530	40,530	40,530	1	26	41	1	2	9	0	25
Eparchy of Sohag, Egypt	12,000	12,000	12,510	13,105	13,553	1	22	23	0	0	32	0	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>152,584</b>	<b>197,878</b>	<b>163,630</b>	<b>167,108</b>	<b>173,688</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>49</b>

Abbreviations: Bish=Bishop, Par=Parishes, SecPr=Secular Priests, RelPr=Religious Priests, MRel=Male Religious, FRel=Female Religious, PD=Permanent Deacons, Sm=Seminarians (2015 figures)

***The Syrian Catholic Church (Patriarchate)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Patriarchal Eparchy of Beirut, Lebanon	23,000	26,000	14,500	100,800	32,000	2	5	13	2	7	10	5	2
Archeparchy of Baghdad, Iraq	23,000	24,000	18,000	6,000	6,000	2	3	5	0	0	2	0	1
Archeparchy of Mossul, Iraq	22,650	29,500	35,000	44,000	45,000	2	15	56	26	33	3	1	15
Patriarchal Exarchate of Basra and the Gulf, Iraq	320	1,200	325	280	350	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Patriarchal Exarchate of Jerusalem and Amman, Jordan	960	10,298	1,500	1,477	1,100	1	3	2	0	0	2	0	1
Eparchy of Cairo, Egypt	2,000	1,763	1,638	1,650	1,610	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	1
Sudan and South Sudan (patriarchal dependency)	--	300	55	25	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Damascus, Syria	4,000	6,200	14,000	14,000	14,000	1	5	7	0	0	10	5	0
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Homs, Syria	9,255	10,000	10,000	5,000	15,000	0	15	14	2	5	2	3	4
Archeparchy of Aleppo, Syria	8,750	8,800	8,000	10,000	10,000	1	3	4	0	0	3	2	0
Archeparchy of Hassaké-Nisibi, Syria	3,810	5,200	35,000	35,000	35,000	1	11	4	1	2	3	0	0
Patriarchal Exarchate of Turkey (Istanbul)	2,500	2,125	2,000	2,050	2,055	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Our Lady of Deliverance of Newark, New Jersey	estab. 1995	11,780	13,800	25,000	25,000	1	8	23	0	0	0	5	0
Apostolic Exarchate for Venezuela (Maracay)	--	estab 2001	5,000	20,300	20,600	1	5	5	0	0	0	1	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100,245</b>	<b>137,166</b>	<b>158,818</b>	<b>265,582</b>	<b>207,740</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>27</b>

***The Syro-Malankara Catholic Church (Major Archepiscopate)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Trivandrum, India	221,618	305,000	252,000	219,600	222,400	2	316	151	32	106	553	0	46
Eparchy of Marthandom, India	estab. 1996	61,025	64,636	67,170	67,423	1	85	44	8	25	192	0	31
Eparchy of Mavelikara, India	--	--	25,212	25,138	26,398	1	95	53	10	13	142	0	24
Eparchy of Pathanamthitta	--	--	estab 2010	38,010	38,300	1	100	66	6	6	84	0	30
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Tiruvalla, India	41,250	55,945	37,793	40,200	40,660	3	136	100	20	33	280	0	41
Eparchy of Battery, India	19,000	24,250	27,800	23,000	23,500	1	107	70	10	10	310	0	25
Eparchy of Muvattupuzha, India	--	estab 2002	12,640	14,000	14,000	1	64	43	14	30	83	0	14
Eparchy of Puthur	--	--	estab 2010	2,700	2,700	1	24	15	8	8	19	0	5
Apostolic Exarchate for the United States (New York)	--	--	estab 2010	10,000	10,000	1	14	16	1	1	31	0	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>281,868</b>	<b>446,220</b>	<b>420,081</b>	<b>439,818</b>	<b>445,381</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>941</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>1694</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>219</b>

***The Ethiopian Catholic Church (Metropolitanate)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	42,800	51,732	28,900	43,238	27,713	1	23	26	161	176	318	0	64
Eparchy of Adigrat, Ethiopia	14,970	16,625	22,000	22,710	22,711	1	36	74	10	76	55	0	9
Eparchy of Emdeber, Ethiopia	--	estab 2003	24,000	17,196	20,146	1	24	15	7	7	69	0	10
Eparchy of Bahir Dar – Dessie, Ethiopia	--	--	--	estab 2015	17,544	1	24	3	21	25	43	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>59,760</b>	<b>70,357</b>	<b>76,910</b>	<b>85,158</b>	<b>88,114</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>83</b>

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***The Eritrean Catholic Church (Metropolitanate)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	SM
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Asmara, Eritrea	60,780	46,303	66,443	30,886	30,108	2	58	20	308	622	692	2	206
Eparchy of Barentu, Eritrea	estab 1995	37,000	40,794	43,543	44,623	1	13	6	22	24	30	0	6
Eparchy of Keren, Eritrea	estab 1995	49,889	45,400	48,494	49,538	1	44	51	22	63	81	0	24
Eparchy of Segheneity, Eritrea	--	--	estab 2012	0	35,557	1	34	26	37	90	104	0	12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>60,780</b>	<b>133,192</b>	<b>152,637</b>	<b>122,923</b>	<b>159,826</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>248</b>

***The Chaldean Catholic Church (Patriarchate)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Baghdad, Iraq (Patriarchal)	325,000	151,000	135,000	170,000	150,000	3	21	15	2	2	107	6	18
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Kirkuk, Iraq	5,330	5,050	7,000	7,831	5,000	1	6	6	0	2	8	4	1
Archeparchy of Erbil, Iraq	12,314	12,000	20,000	32,000	34,000	1	7	8	0	1	22	7	3
Archeparchy of Basra, Iraq	4,000	2,600	1,000	850	850	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Archeparchy of Mosul, Iraq	19,800	20,000	16,815	14,100	14,100	0	15	6	2	3	2	1	6
Eparchy of Alquoch, Iraq	13,500	16,190	32,070	19,810	18,725	1	8	5	2	7	12	0	1
Eparchy of Amadiyah and Zaku, Iraq	2,000	2,452	4,000	3,800	18,800	1	35	14	0	0	9	4	2
Eparchy of Aqra, Iraq	230	176	1,051	1,291	1,331	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Eparchy of Sulaimaniya, Iraq (united with Kirkuk 2013)</i>	500	400	550	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<i>Eparchy of Zaku, Iraq (united with Amadiya 2013)</i>	7,000	6,548	26,000	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Teheran, Iran	5,500	3,500	2,650	1,800	2,500	1	6	3	0	0	6	0	0
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Urmya and Eparchy of Salmas, Iran	2,250	1,500	1,350	1,350	1,350	1	4	3	1	1	6	0	0
Archeparchy of Ahwaz, Iran	340	350	30	40	30	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patriarchal Dependency of Jordan	0	0	7,000	7,000	7,000	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
Patriarchal Dependency of Jerusalem	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Beirut, Lebanon	8,600	10,000	14,000	8,000	20,000	1	3	3	0	0	2	1	1
Eparchy of Cairo, Egypt	500	500	500	3,000	3,000	0	3	4	1	1	3	0	2
Eparchy of Aleppo, Beroea and Halab, Syria	10,000	15,000	35,000	30,000	10,000	1	10	4	7	7	0	0	2
Archeparchy of Diarbekir, Turkey	2,900	5,000	6,219	7,640	14,000	0	9	2	0	0	0	0	1
Eparchy of Saint Peter the Apostle of San Diego, USA		estab. 2002	45,336	65,000	65,000	1	10	22	5	5	7	0	14
Eparchy of Saint Thomas the Apostle of Detroit, USA	50,000	70,000	102,800	105,500	170,000	2	12	23	1	1	0	208	10
Eparchy of Saint Thomas the Apostle of Sydney, Australia		estab 2006	32,000	39,000	35,000	2	7	9	0	0	0	5	1
Eparchy of Mar Addai of Toronto			estab 2011	18,668	31,372	2	11	1	0	2	0	106	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>469,764</b>	<b>322,266</b>	<b>490,371</b>	<b>536,680</b>	<b>602,058</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>64</b>

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***The Maronite Catholic Church (Patriarchate)***

<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>Bish</b>	<b>Par</b>	<b>SecPr</b>	<b>RelPr</b>	<b>MRel</b>	<b>FRel</b>	<b>PD</b>	<b>Sm</b>
Archeparchy of Antelias, Lebanon	170,734	217,660	297,283	269,522	192,690	2	93	75	86	112	323	0	36
Archeparchy of Beirut, Lebanon	250,000	200,000	237,536	223,000	223,000	1	128	126	26	26	169	0	36
Archeparchy of Tripoli, Lebanon	89,053	100,000	139,300	146,100	147,800	1	126	130	60	66	140	0	6
Archeparchy of Tyre, Lebanon	22,000	44,000	42,500	42,500	42,500	2	22	22	15	17	34	0	5
Eparchy of Baalbek – Deir El-Ahmar, Lebanon	47,000	35,000	35,000	66,000	66,050	1	34	12	7	9	30	1	5
Eparchy of Batrun, Lebanon	--	0	74,000	74,000	74,000	2	66	39	16	49	72	0	11
Eparchy of Jbeil – Byblos, Lebanon	469,750	250,000	250,000	160,000	165,000	1	68	65	43	44	78	0	14
<i>Eparchy of Joubbe, Batrun and Sarba, Lebanon (Patriarchal)*</i>	110,025	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Eparchy of Joubbe, Sarba and Jounieh (Patriarchal)	--	492,989	385,258	396,250	396,250	5	149	135	93	138	75	22	32
<i>Eparchy of Jounieh, Lebanon**</i>	205,315	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Eparchy of Saïda, Lebanon	94,700	65,000	75,000	150,500	156,000	2	104	52	20	21	37	0	12
Eparchy of Zahleh, Lebanon	estab. 1990	49,520	48,792	50,000	50,000	1	33	17	17	17	25	0	3
Archeparchy of Cyprus	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,400	10,800	2	12	6	5	5	3	3	2
Patriarchal Exarchate of Jordan	estab. 1996	1,200	1,200	1,560	1,560	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Archeparchy of Haifa and the Holy Land	estab. 1996	7,000	7,000	7,000	20,000	2	7	9	0	0	6	1	3
Patriarchal Exarchate of Jerusalem and Palestine	---	504	504	504	504	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0
Eparchy of Cairo, Egypt	4,350	5,000	5,430	5,000	5,150	3	7	3	3	3	0	0	1
Archeparchy of Aleppo, Syria	3,225	4,105	4,000	4,000	4,000	1	5	7	0	0	0	0	0
Archeparchy of Damascus, Syria	7,000	8,000	16,000	20,300	15,000	1	8	3	21	37	144	0	2
Eparchy of Lattaquié, Syria	23,000	27,000	33,000	35,000	45,000	2	30	23	4	10	40	0	1
Eparchy of San Charbel en Buenos Aires, Argentina	estab. 1990	700,000	700,000	713,000	720,000	1	4	3	6	6	8	2	0
Eparchy of Nossa Senhora do Libano em Sao Paulo, Brazil	418,000	463,000	470,000	489,000	493,000	1	10	15	4	4	0	2	2
Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon of Los Angeles, USA	estab. 1994	24,108	44,919	52,300	52,700	2	30	33	12	15	5	19	4
Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn, USA	52,000	30,000	33,000	33,500	33,000	1	34	53	12	20	2	17	2
Eparchy of Saint Maron of Sydney, Australia	125,000	160,000	150,000	154,500	150,000	3	11	25	21	21	27	2	1
Eparchy of Saint-Maron de Montréal, Canada	75,000	80,000	80,000	86,900	87,900	3	17	13	7	9	6	1	1
Nuestra Senora de los Martires del Libano en Mexico	estab. 1995	150,000	150,817	154,400	156,000	1	7	5	6	6	0	1	3
Eparchy of Notre Dame du Liban de Paris			estab. 2012	50,300	50,600	1	8	5	5	5	7	0	1
Apostolic Exarchate of West and Central Africa, Nigeria			estab. 2014	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,176,152</b>	<b>3,124,086</b>	<b>3,290,539</b>	<b>3,388,543</b>	<b>3,358,504</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>1018</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>1231</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>183</b>

\*Batrun separated and Jounieh added in 1999.

\*\*United with Joubbe and Sarba in 1999.

***The Syro-Malabar Catholic Church (Major Archepiscopate)***

<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>Bish</b>	<b>Par</b>	<b>SecPr</b>	<b>RelPr</b>	<b>MRel</b>	<b>FRel</b>	<b>PD</b>	<b>Sm</b>
Major Archeparchy of Ernakulam-Anagamaly	398,700	450,100	513,000	565,000	572,000	3	349	383	396	747	5,227	0	119
Eparchy of Idukki, India		estab. 2003	261,750	262,622	264,950	1	151	128	68	84	931	0	76
Eparchy of Kothamangalam, India	334,390	474,530	223,990	206,000	212,200	2	120	336	95	179	2,322	0	65
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Changanacherry	345,000	350,000	385,000	380,505	395,830	2	278	376	362	619	3,162	0	89
Eparchy of Kanjirapally, India	150,364	162,675	203,960	225,618	225,950	2	141	269	75	142	1,945	0	45
Eparchy of Palai, India	284,260	335,000	326,747	346,546	346,575	2	169	381	415	534	3,599	0	80
Eparchy of Thuckalay, India		estab. 1996	20,000	29,125	31,000	1	59	40	25	28	215	0	23
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Kottayam, India	114,569	131,366	162,818	175,128	175,520	3	127	153	101	128	1,042	0	55
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Tellicherry, India	244,042	306,256	307,500	301,334	302,007	2	245	280	144	430	1,752	0	64
Eparchy of Belthangady, India		estab. 1999	0	25,000	30,559	1	64	33	23	34	199	0	26
Eparchy of Bhadravathi		estab. 2007	6,425	9,538	9,601	1	23	4	32	32	124	0	13
Eparchy of Mananthavady, India	130,000	171,000	167,200	174,020	174,325	1	148	178	295	464	1,340	0	44
Eparchy of Mandya			estab 2010	5,000	5,000	0	7	10	126	151	166	0	12
Eparchy of Thamarasserry, India	103,843	118,547	131,325	144,550	146,271	2	126	147	90	201	1,449	0	48
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Trichur, India	376,630	423,514	499,000	469,112	471,611	3	210	331	229	441	3,042	0	102
Eparchy of Irinjalakuda, India	214,823	241,607	262,982	260,244*	250,000	2	131	202	64	124	2,390	0	100
Eparchy of Palghat, India	49,344	64,370	67,996	57,575	58,816	1	89	112	63	80	1,112	0	46
Eparchy of Ramanathapuram			estab 2010	12,275	10,859	1	18	19	51	61	323	0	8
Eparchy of Adilabad, India		estab. 1999	0	13,720	14,754	1	37	34	44	61	181	0	21
Eparchy of Bijnor, India	786	1,893	3,542	3,817	3,945	2	31	47	19	39	183	0	5
Eparchy of Chanda, India	21,627	20,500	14,757	13,119	13,119	2	6	37	37	152	395	0	24
Eparchy of Gorakhpur, India	1,152	2,449	3,230	3,271	3,289	2	30	41	24	35	173	0	9
Eparchy of Jagdalpur, India	2,451	4,876	7,869	8,600	8,800	2	23	26	63	85	292	0	20
Eparchy of Kalyan, India	100,000	100,000	100,000	85,000	85,000	1	106	67	108	128	370	0	33
Eparchy of Rajkot, India	9,100	9,800	13,500	13,000	13,000	2	14	33	96	123	502	0	12
Eparchy of Sagar, India	3,112	6,350	7,200	7,245	3,376	2	40	52	18	27	261	0	15
Eparchy of Satna, India	1,441	2,620	2,575	2,867	2,817	2	16	44	18	29	147	0	19
Eparchy of Ujjain, India	1,416	2,640	3,380	4,580	4,602	1	41	41	52	120	313	0	9
Eparchy of Faridabad			estab 2012	0	150,000	1	54	37	32	32	850	0	48
Eparchy of St Thomas of Chicago, USA		estab. 2001	85,000	87,000	87,600	2	33	43	10	10	21	0	3
Eparchy of St Thomas of Melbourne, Australia			estab. 2013	0	50,000	1	0	5	12	12	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,887,050</b>	<b>3,400,093</b>	<b>3,828,591</b>	<b>3,899,579</b>	<b>4,121,096</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,886</b>	<b>3,889</b>	<b>3,187</b>	<b>5,332</b>	<b>34,028</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,233</b>

\* Number provided by the Bishop of Irinjalakuda; the 2014 AP reports only 121 faithful.

***The Melkite Greek Catholic Church (Patriarchate)***

<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>Bish</b>	<b>Par</b>	<b>SecPr</b>	<b>RelPr</b>	<b>MRel</b>	<b>FRel</b>	<b>PD</b>	<b>Sm</b>
Patriarchal Metropolitan Archeparchy of Damascus, Syria	90,000	110,000	150,000	150,000	150,000*	2	20	5	3	3	30	3	10
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Aleppo, Syria	11,000	20,000	17,000	18,000	18,000	1	12	20	1	1	28	1	4
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Bosra, Syria	27,000	27,000	27,000	27,000	25,000	2	31	20	2	2	2	0	4
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Homs, Syria	24,620	25,000	30,000	30,000	30,000	3	20	16	1	3	18	1	0
Archeparchy of Lattaquié, Syria	11,000	10,000	10,000	14,500	16,000	1	18	13	5	5	8	0	4
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Beirut and Gibail, Lebanon	150,000	200,000	200,000	202,000	204,000	2	83	59	54	87	192	1	14
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Tyre, Lebanon	7,000	8,700	3,100	3,050	3,020	2	11	8	0	0	6	0	1
Archeparchy of Baalbek, Lebanon	25,000	14,000	20,000	21,000	25,000	1	14	11	5	5	35	5	4
Archeparchy of Baniyas, Lebanon	8,000	3,300	2,500	2,550	2,575	1	11	17	2	2	12	0	0
Archeparchy of Saida, Lebanon	7,000	25,000	28,000	41,000	42,000	1	63	27	7	14	60	0	8
Archeparchy of Tripoli in Lebanon	7,000	7,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	1	13	7	0	0	11	0	1
Archeparchy of Zahleh and Furzol, Lebanon	115,000	126,000	126,000	150,000	150,000	2	39	10	25	25	38	2	7
Archeparchy of Petra and Philadelphia, Jordan	20,000	31,200	27,000	28,200	28,200	2	30	27	0	0	18	1	6
Archeparchy of Akka, Israel	40,000	54,000	95,000	80,000	80,000	3	29	32	4	7	25	4	0
Jerusalem (patriarchal dependency)	3,000	3,300	3,300	3,160	3,160	0	8	8	4	4	32	2	0
Eparchy of Nossa Senhora do Paraiso em Sao Paulo, Brazil	368,000	413,000	420,000	436,000	439,600	2	5	7	4	4	0	0	0
Eparchy of Newton, USA	25,950	27,500	26,704	24,000	22,041	2	43	52	14	16	5	60	1
Eparchy of Saint-Sauveur de Montréal, Canada	30,000	43,000	33,000	35,400	35,800	1	4	5	7	7	0	0	0
Eparchy of Nuestra Senora del Paraiso en Mexico	2,000	2,500	4,700	4,700	4,700	0	1	2	3	3	0	0	3
Patriarchal Exarchate of Iraq	340	600	100	200	200	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt, Sudan and South Sudan (patriarchal dependency)	8,000	6,500	6,200	6,200	6,200	0	14	18	0	0	15	2	0
Patriarchal Exarchate of Kuwait	4,500	700	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Saint Michael's of Sydney, Australia	40,000	45,000	50,000	52,000	52,900	1	13	11	2	2	3	7	1
Apostolic Exarchate in Venezuela (Caracas)	estab. 1990	48,000	25,000	25,800	26,200	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	0
Apostolic Exarchate in Argentina (Cordoba)		estab. 2002	300,000	305,400	310,700	1	3	0	5	5	0	1	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,024,410</b>	<b>1,251,300</b>	<b>1,614,604</b>	<b>1,670,160</b>	<b>1,685,296</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>68</b>

\* The 2015 *Annuario Pontificio* reports 3,000 Catholics in the Archeparchy of Damascus, but Melkite officials confirm that the correct number is about 150,000 as in 2014.

*The Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church (Major Archbishopate)*

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Major Archbishopate of Kyiv, Ukraine		300,000	240,000	500,000	500,000	2	79	69	16	23	28	6	46
Metropolitan Archbishopate of Lviv, Ukraine	---	1,607,000	755,821	675,224	730,525	2	285	379	99	307	206	4	40
Eparchy of Sambir-Drohobych, Ukraine	estab. 1993	408,489	398,885	396,721	396,721	2	517	280	12	12	29	1	126
Eparchy of Sokal-Zhovkva, Ukraine		estab. 2000	323,838	321,100	320,390	1	363	239	30	43	23	0	41
Eparchy of Stryj, Ukraine		estab. 2000	382,000	359,600	305,041	2	358	248	3	6	19	0	64
Metropolitan Archbishopate of Ivano-Frankivsk, Ukraine	---	615,024	603,918	603,808	591,157	2	390	423	34	52	121	0	90
Eparchy of Kolomyia-Chernivtsi, Ukraine	estab. 1993	501,176	239,300	238,400	238,000	1	282	224	0	3	36	0	59
Metropolitan Archbishopate of Ternopil-Zboriv, Ukraine		united 2000	447,350	385,000	385,000	1	428	263	33	67	64	3	97
<i>Eparchy of Ternopil, Ukraine (united with Zboriv in 2000)</i>	estab. 1993	598,100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<i>Eparchy of Zboriv, Ukraine (united with Ternopil in 2000)</i>	estab. 1993	375,000	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Eparchy of Buchach, Ukraine		estab. 2000	216,000	210,700	223,000	2	335	194	10	17	12	0	70
Archepiscopal Exarchate of Donetsk, Ukraine		estab. 2002	8,000	16,000	68,659	1	62	42	8	9	7	0	19
Archepiscopal Exarchate of Kharkiv (separated Donetsk 2014)		--	--	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Archepiscopal Exarchate of Lutsk		estab. 2008	2,317	2,950	3,173	1	26	15	10	12	0	0	6
Archepiscopal Exarchate of Odesa, Ukraine		estab. 2003	93,300	93,000	68,926	1	42	28	5	8	4	0	13
Archepiscopal Exarchate of Crimea (separated Odesa 2014)		---	--	--	24,074	0	11	5	1	1	0	0	0
Metropolitan Archbishopate of Przemyśl-Warsaw, Poland	---	32,000	30,000	30,000	30,000	2	69	33	11	14	82	4	7
Eparchy of Wrocław-Gdańsk, Poland	estab. 1996	53,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	1	55	30	1	1	12	0	3
Metropolitan Archbishopate of Philadelphia, USA	77,571	69,088	22,500	15,689	14,299	3	67	55	3	3	43	7	1
Eparchy of Saint Josaphat in Parma, USA	11,964	11,522	10,685	10,685	10,685	2	38	39	1	3	2	1	5
Eparchy of Saint Nicholas of Chicago, USA	28,000	9,500	10,000	10,000	11,000	1	39	38	12	16	5	11	3
Eparchy of Stamford, USA	40,998	16,684	16,750	13,958	14,180	2	54	66	1	8	44	10	4
Metropolitan Archbishopate of Winnipeg, Canada	49,350	45,000	29,740	30,700	24,500	1	127	26	11	11	24	13	3
Eparchy of Edmonton, Canada	40,907	26,250	28,845	29,100	29,100	1	84	29	9	22	18	4	4
Eparchy of New Westminster, Canada	7,700	4,000	7,500	7,500	7,500	2	14	12	2	2	2	1	1
Eparchy of Saskatoon, Canada	24,000	12,200	7,256	6,895	6,340	2	71	18	10	10	15	4	0
Eparchy of Toronto, Canada	80,000	83,200	36,910	38,300	24,200	1	56	89	6	6	18	18	1
Eparchy of the Holy Family in London	27,000	15,000	10,000	10,200	15,000	1	18	14	3	3	1	1	2
Eparchy of Saints Peter and Paul of Melbourne, Australia	25,000	35,400	32,500	32,500	33,100	1	10	23	1	1	12	3	3
Apostolic Exarchate of Germany & Scandinavia (Munich)	27,450	38,000	30,320	40,700	40,700	1	16	24	0	8	0	1	1
Eparchy of Saint Vladimir the Great in Paris	16,000	16,000	20,000	25,500	25,500	1	16	14	0	0	5	3	0
Eparchy of São João Batista em Curitiba, Brazil	130,000	162,000	162,000	173,000	85,000	1	26	21	26	39	170	2	6
Eparchy of the Immaculate Conception in Prudentópolis, Brazil				estab. 2014	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Santa Maria del Patrocinio en Buenos Aires	122,000	126,000	160,000	166,400	167,800	1	19	13	7	9	87	0	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>707,940</b>	<b>5,159,633</b>	<b>4,350,735</b>	<b>4,468,630</b>	<b>4,418,570</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>3,957</b>	<b>2,953</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>716</b>	<b>1,089</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>720</b>

Abbreviations: Bish=Bishop, Par=Parishes, SecPr=Secular Priests, RelPr=Religious Priests, MRel=Male Religious, FRel=Female Religious, PD=Permanent Deacons, Sm=Seminarians (2015 figures)

***The Ruthenian Byzantine Catholic Church (Metropolitanate in USA)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Pittsburgh, USA	143,784	75,261	58,997	57,951	57,686	1	75	53	7	8	60	22	0
Eparchy of Parma, USA	22,202	12,680	8,791	8,953	9,020	1	28	36	0	0	6	16	2
Eparchy of Passaic, USA	85,050	51,771	17,692	14,356	13,367	1	84	60	10	11	14	25	1
Eparchy of Holy Mary of Protection (Phoenix)	17,125	3,108	2,613	2,401	2,254	1	19	27	1	4	5	8	1
Eparchy of Mukacevo, Ukraine	---	320,000	380,000	320,000	319,400	2	429	293	30	44	45	0	98
Apostolic Exarchate of the Czech Republic (Prague)	estab. 1996	200,000	178,150	170,000	170,100	1	19	43	0	0	0	1	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>268,161</b>	<b>662,820</b>	<b>646,243</b>	<b>573,661</b>	<b>571,827</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>103</b>

***The Romanian Greek Catholic Church (Major Archepiscopate)***

Jurisdiction	1995	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Fagaras & Alba Julia, Romania	495,000	362,000	289,000	216,000	216,000	1	610	208	4	4	148	0	72
Eparchy of Cluj-Gherla, Romania	505,000	750,000	60,000	49,500	49,001	1	160	160	11	20	69	0	55
Eparchy of Lugoj, Romania	500,000	40,000	102,600	101,000	100,750	1	143	117	4	5	4	0	7
Eparchy of Maramures, Romania	477,000	132,310	151,952	53,250	53,775	1	162	138	11	14	42	0	17
Eparchy of Oradea Mare, Romania	29,385	101,000	98,000	87,000	87,000	1	138	177	13	16	17	0	60
Eparchy of Saint Basil the Great in Bucharest, Romania	--	--	--	estab. 2014	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eparchy of Saint George's in Canton, Ohio (USA and Canada)	5,250	5,300	5,900	6,200	6,200	1	16	25	3	6	4	0	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,011,635</b>	<b>1,390,610</b>	<b>707,452</b>	<b>512,950</b>	<b>512,726</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1,229</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>213</b>

***Greek Catholics in Former Yugoslavia***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Eparchy of Križevci, Croatia	48,768	48,775	21,509	21,270	18,260	1	46	41	0	0	46	0	4
Apostolic Exarchate of Serbia (Novi Sad)		estab. 2003	22,369	22,085	22,058	1	21	19	2	2	65	0	6
Apostolic Exarchate of Macedonia		estab. 2000	15,037	11,305	11,323	1	7	14	1	1	18	0	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>48,768</b>	<b>48,775</b>	<b>58,915</b>	<b>54,660</b>	<b>51,641</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>

***The Greek Byzantine Catholic Church***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Apostolic Exarchate for Greece (Athens)	2,300	2,300	2,500	6,000	6,000	1	3	6	0	0	11	0	0
Apostolic Exarchate for Turkey (Istanbul)	50	40	25	20	20	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,350</b>	<b>2,340</b>	<b>2,525</b>	<b>6,020</b>	<b>6,020</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

***The Bulgarian Byzantine Catholic Church***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Apostolic Exarchate of Sophia, Bulgaria	15,000	15,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	1	20	4	13	15	27	0	1

Abbreviations: Bish=Bishop, Par=Parishes, SecPr=Secular Priests, RelPr=Religious Priests, MRel=Male Religious, FRel=Female Religious, PD=Permanent Deacons, Sm=Seminarians (2015 figures)



***The Slovak Greek Catholic Church (Metropolitanate)***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Metropolitan Archeparchy of Presov, Slovakia	361,060	118,740	137,500	122,900	115,200	2	163	284	24	27	74	1	73
Eparchy of Bratislava, Slovakia		estab. 2008	20,000	16,841	16,885	1	15	17	1	1	0	0	2
Eparchy of Kosice, Slovakia		estab. 1997	72,304	79,394	89,200	1	94	162	16	20	39	1	16
Eparchy of Sts. Cyril and Methodius, Toronto, Canada	30,000	20,000	2,500	4,975	4,800	1	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>391,060</b>	<b>211,044</b>	<b>239,394</b>	<b>233,916</b>	<b>210,767</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>91</b>

***The Byzantine Catholic Church in Italy***

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Eparchy of Lungro, Italy (continental Italy)	32,500	32,965	32,900	33,000	33,100	2	29	44	0	0	32	1	5
Eparchy of Piana degli Albanesi, Italy (Sicily)	28,800	28,500	28,500	29,000	29,100	1	15	28	0	16	138	1	6
Territorial Abbey of Santa Maria di Grottaferrata, Italy	104	98	87	12	12	0	1	1	9	9	2	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>61,404</b>	<b>61,563</b>	<b>61,487</b>	<b>62,012</b>	<b>62,212</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>

***The Hungarian Greek Catholic Church\****

Jurisdiction	1990	2000	2010	2014	2015	Bish	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Eparchy of Hajdudorog, Hungary	250,000	253,000	270,000	270,000	210,000	2	125	184	8	10	3	3	53
Apostolic Exarchate of Miskolc, Hungary	22,000	25,000	20,000	56,200	51,100	1	62	71	0	0	0	0	21
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>272,000</b>	<b>278,000</b>	<b>290,000</b>	<b>326,200</b>	<b>261,100</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>74</b>

\* Pope Francis raised the Hungarian Greek Catholic Church to the status of Metropolitanate on March 20, 2015, too late to appear in the 2015 Annuario Pontificio.

***Ordinariates for the Faithful of Various Eastern Catholic Churches Without Their Own Hierarchy***

Country	1998	2000	2010	2014	2015	Par	SecPr	RelPr	MRel	FRel	PD	Sm
Argentina	110,000	14,000	2,000	2,000	2000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Austria	5,000	5,000	10,000	12,000	10,000	1	23	1	2	0	1	0
Brazil	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	4	2	3	3	0	0	0
France	45,000	45,000	125,000	127,000	21,700	9	27	3	13	19	2	5
Poland	0	0	600	670	670	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>170,000</b>	<b>74,000</b>	<b>147,600</b>	<b>151,670</b>	<b>44,370</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>

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