

Are churches apostate now?

There is declining religious participation and a shift away from traditional Christian beliefs in most American churches[1][2]. Because of an "entrenched" apostasy, church attendance and participation in religious activities has declined, especially among younger generations[1]. There have been great shifts in some denominations towards liberalism and ecumenical movements. Therefore, the "visible church is primarily apostate today"[3]. Fortunately, some denominations have resisted these trends or even reversed them in some cases[3][4].

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