

GLENMARY RESEARCH CENTER FAST FACTS

MENIFEE COUNTY KENTUCKY LEXINGTON Diocese

	COUNTY	DIOCESE	STATE	NATION
General Population and Geography				
Total population, 2000	6,556	1,492,784	4,041,769	281,421,906
Population, % change, 1990-2000	28.8 %	9.2 %	9.6 %	13.1 %
Persons under 5 years old, percent, 2000	5.8 %	NA	6.6 %	6.8 %
Persons 65 and over, percent, 2000	11.8 %	NA	12.5 %	12.4 %
Land area (square miles)	204	NA	39,728	NA
Density: persons per sq. mile, 2000	32.2	NA	101.7	79.6
Religious Characteristics				
Number of Catholics, 2000	*	48,508	406,021	62,035,042
Catholic percent change, 1990-2000	*	19.9 %	11.2 %	16.2 %
"Unclaimed" population, 2000	5,717	798,639	1,883,464	140,057,419
Percent of population "Unclaimed," 2000	87.2 %	53.5 %	46.6%	49.8 %
Catholics as percent of total population, 2000	*	3.2 %	10.0 %	22.0 %
Catholics as percent of total "Adherents," 2000	*	7.0 %	18.8 %	43.9 %
Catholic rank among Faith Groups, 2000	*	4 th	2 nd	1st
Total number of faith groups, 2000	11	70	81	149
Three largest faith groups, 2000	Consrv Bapt	SBC	SBC	Catholic
	SBC	U Methodist	Catholic	SBC
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Faith group with greatest growth, 1990-2000	Chr Chs & Chs Cr)	Evan Free Ch	Int Foursq Gos	Salva Army
Social and Economic Characteristics				
White persons, percent, 2000 (a)	97.6 %	NA	90.1 %	75.1 %
African American persons, percent, 2000 (a)	1.4 %	NA	7.3 %	12.3 %
Persons of Hispanic or Latino origin, pct, 2000 (b)	0.8 %	NA	1.5 %	12.5 %
Language other than English spoken at home, 2000	2.7 %	NA	3.9 %	17.9 %
Persons below poverty, percent, 1999	29.6 %	NA	13.5 %	12.4 %
Per capita money income, 1999	\$11,399	NA	\$18,093	\$21,587
Median Household money income, 1999	\$22,064	NA	\$33,672	\$41,994
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2000	\$54,500	NA	\$86,700	\$119,600
Persons per household, 2000	2.49	NA	2.47	2.59
High school grads, percent 25+ yrs., 2000	57.6 %	NA	74.1 %	80.4 %
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent 25+ yrs., 2000	8.4 %	NA	17.1 %	24.4 %
County part of a metropolitan statistical area, 2000?	No	NA	NA	NA

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Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Website <http://www.census.gov> and *Religious Congregations and Membership in the United States 2000* published by the Glenmary Research Center. List of Glenmary Counties taken from 2003-2004 Glenmary Directory.

Notes:

- (a) Includes persons reporting one race only.
- (b) Hispanics may be of any race and so are included in racial categories. Therefore, above racial categories are not additive. For other racial categories see www.census.gov.

NA Not applicable or not available

* No data. Data apparently reported as part of base parish data.