

2.39 Marriages by religious denominations

Year and denomination of bridegroom	Denomination of bride										Total marriages	Percentage of groom
	Anglican	Baptist	Greek Orthodox	Jewish	Lutheran	Presbyterian	Roman Catholic	United Church	Other sects	Not stated		
1977												
Anglican	6,558	606	98	39	546	726	4,512	3,795	1,565	30	18,475	13.3
Baptist	622	2,158	17	4	129	146	931	874	526	9	5,416	3.9
Greek Orthodox	135	27	997	9	74	39	403	233	226	1	2,144	1.5
Jewish	51	6	4	995	13	11	97	49	102	1	1,329	1.0
Lutheran	564	112	72	11	1,193	174	1,171	1,049	515	15	4,876	3.5
Presbyterian	762	177	21	8	167	1,371	1,126	1,087	373	1	5,093	3.6
Roman Catholic	4,283	812	300	68	1,128	1,068	24,718	5,760	3,955	53	42,145	30.3
United Church	3,643	843	167	26	1,014	993	5,664	12,863	1,947	33	27,193	19.5
Other sects	1,975	623	155	114	706	464	4,971	2,797	19,979	30	31,814	22.9
Not stated	48	17	3	—	22	11	87	55	53	392	688	0.5
Total	18,641	5,381	1,834	1,274	4,992	5,003	43,680	28,562	29,241	565	139,173	100.0
Percentage of brides	13.4	3.9	1.3	0.9	3.6	3.6	31.4	20.5	21.0	0.4	100.0	...
1978												
Anglican	6,292	576	109	41	557	692	4,477	3,757	1,511	38	18,050	12.9
Baptist	663	2,092	22	4	141	180	958	871	531	13	5,475	3.9
Greek Orthodox	141	27	877	7	79	34	399	221	220	8	2,013	1.5
Jewish	65	8	5	1,057	19	10	109	55	125	—	1,453	1.1
Lutheran	535	136	58	7	1,246	162	1,186	1,020	553	14	4,917	3.5
Presbyterian	735	164	27	15	163	1,304	1,163	1,056	392	8	5,027	3.6
Roman Catholic	4,351	888	295	69	1,113	1,067	24,582	5,831	4,078	76	42,350	30.3
United Church	3,594	771	171	40	1,003	980	5,857	12,827	2,057	31	27,331	19.6
Other sects	2,055	673	177	117	675	466	5,035	2,763	20,154	42	32,157	23.0
Not stated	67	14	2	—	28	11	116	83	58	435	814	0.6
Total	18,498	5,349	1,743	1,357	5,024	4,906	43,882	28,484	29,679	665	139,587	100.0
Percentage of brides	13.3	3.8	1.2	1.0	3.6	3.5	31.4	20.4	21.3	0.5	100.0	...
1979												
Anglican	6,394	637	101	42	593	676	4,663	3,790	1,670	34	18,600	13.1
Baptist	586	2,130	24	6	131	160	923	835	520	11	5,326	3.8
Greek Orthodox	162	11	762	7	79	32	399	207	212	2	1,873	1.3
Jewish	57	12	—	1,046	12	17	98	58	121	1	1,422	1.0
Lutheran	530	137	58	6	1,255	148	1,191	1,063	543	18	4,949	3.5
Presbyterian	753	155	27	7	182	1,279	1,173	1,052	401	3	5,032	3.6
Roman Catholic	4,403	869	273	80	1,188	1,070	24,865	6,001	4,352	68	43,169	30.5
United Church	3,658	756	166	29	927	997	5,813	12,778	2,013	53	27,190	19.2
Other sects	2,068	675	180	113	743	510	5,204	2,802	20,582	56	32,933	23.3
Not stated	73	16	5	3	27	12	121	95	77	547	976	0.7
Total	18,684	5,398	1,596	1,339	5,137	4,901	44,450	28,681	30,491	793	141,470	100.0
Percentage of brides	13.2	3.8	1.1	0.9	3.6	3.5	31.4	20.3	21.6	0.6	100.0	...
1980												
Anglican	6,348	548	137	68	549	715	4,496	3,600	2,044	117	18,622	12.7
Baptist	610	2,158	22	6	144	146	905	750	726	25	5,492	3.8
Greek Orthodox	126	24	711	4	61	33	306	183	181	8	1,637	1.1
Jewish	48	14	5	1,048	10	13	97	44	126	6	1,411	1.0
Lutheran	559	146	62	12	1,253	175	1,235	1,022	776	38	5,278	3.6
Presbyterian	699	167	38	14	155	1,351	1,064	913	499	21	4,921	3.4
Roman Catholic	4,633	954	451	142	1,206	1,205	25,381	5,957	5,770	234	45,933	31.4
United Church	3,661	801	225	57	1,013	963	5,993	12,587	2,834	130	28,264	19.3
Other sects	1,668	577	240	142	572	386	4,668	2,103	22,826	127	33,309	22.8
Not stated	72	14	7	7	19	8	148	63	75	941	1,354	0.9
Total	18,424	5,403	1,898	1,500	4,982	4,995	44,293	27,222	35,857	1,647	146,221	100.0
Percentage of brides	12.6	3.7	1.3	1.0	3.4	3.4	30.3	18.6	24.6	1.1	100.0	...