



## 30-Year Statistical Summary of the Northshore Baptist Association

	1980	1990	2000	2010
<b>Churches<sup>1</sup></b>	72/53 reporting	73/69 reporting	83/76 reporting	91/76 reporting
<b>Resident Members</b>	16,285	19,720 (17.4%+) resident members make up 9% of population	22,624 (12.8%+) resident members make up 8.1% of population	24,076 (6%+) resident members make up 7.0% of population
<b>Baptisms</b>	732	758	1,077 (29.6%+)	921 (14%-)
<b>Sunday School Average</b>	5,599	6,618 (15.4%+) Small Group Attendees make up 3% of population	7,689 (13.9%+) Small Group Attendees make up 2.7% of population	6,618 (14%-) Small Group attendees make up 1.9% of population
<b>Worship Attendance</b>			11,691 Worship attendees make up 4.2% of the population	11,220 (4%-) Worship attendees make up 3.3% of population
<b>Receipts</b>	\$3,811,632	\$8,419,960	\$17,791,426	\$22,353,616
<b>Property Values</b>				\$106,291,179
<b>CP Giving</b>	\$323,039	\$602,452	\$1,074,693	\$1,335,653
<b>Associational Giving</b>	\$43,629	\$83,753	\$149,757	\$301,643
<b>Other Missions Giving</b>			\$1,116,023	\$1,894,363
<b>VBS</b>	6,687	8,172	10,301	8,300
<b>Population<sup>2</sup></b>	N/A	219,820 1 church/3,011 residents	278,446 (21%+) 1 church/3,355 residents	343,794 (19%+) 1 church/3,777 residents

**1990 to 2000** – Added 10 churches. Membership grew by 12.8%. Membership to Population ratio dropped from 9% to 8%. Small Group Attendance to Population ratio decreased from 3% to 2.7%. Baptisms increased by 30%. Population grew by 21%.

**2000 to 2010** – Added 8 churches. Membership grew by 6%. Membership to population ratio dropped from 8% to 7%. Small Group attendance to population ratio dropped from 2.7% to 1.9%. Baptism decreased by 14%. Population grew by 19%.

**Observations:** The Northshore Baptist Association is experiencing a decline. The population is growing 3 times faster than resident membership.

<sup>1</sup> All data taken from LBC Annual Church Profiles.

<sup>2</sup> Population data taken from [www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov) reports for Zip Codes 70401, 70403, 70443, 70446, 70454, 70455, 70462, 70466, 70711, & St. Tammany Parish