

Welcome to World Youth Day "Have Your Say"

WE NEED YOUR INPUT!

The purpose of this World Youth Day "Have Your Say" is to assist the WYD organisers in their planning by giving them a better idea of "where people are coming from" – not geographically but spiritually. The survey findings will also assist ministry to young people in the future. Having your say will give your style of spirituality a voice - helping others to understand your views and your values. There's a major benefit for you as well: having your say will assist your preparation for WYD by helping you think through some important issues. That will enrich your experience of WYD – making it a time of personal and spiritual growth.

World Youth Day Administration asked an independent research team based at Australian Catholic University in Melbourne to run this survey project. To protect your privacy, the process is completely anonymous - the researchers do not know your name, address or other identifying information, and only they will see your responses. Reports will contain only statistics based on large numbers of people – nothing that could identify you. So you can feel free to be completely honest in what you have to say.

This research project has been approved by the Human Research Ethics Committee at Australian Catholic University, and by the World Youth Day Research Committee.

In the event that you have any complaint or concern about the study, you may contact one of the researchers or write to the Chair of the Human Research Ethics Committee care of the nearest branch of the Research Services Unit: Chair, HREC, C/o Research Services, Australian Catholic University, Melbourne Campus, Locked Bag 4115, FITZROY VIC 3065. Ph: 03 9953 3157 Fax: 03 9953 3315

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The results of the study will be available at <http://dlibrary.acu.edu.au/research/wyd>.

Completing the survey should only take about 30 minutes. If you don't finish it all in one go and want to take a break, click the "Return Later" button at the top of any page. Then, to return to the survey, go back to the email you received from WYD admin, and click the link that you used to get here the first time. This link is just for your individual use. If anyone else uses it, their replies will replace yours. So no one but you should use this link. (There is also a "public" link to the survey for those who could not be contacted by email, but you should use the personal link in the email you received.)

Click the button at the bottom of each page to save your answers from that page and progress to the next page.

OK -- GO FOR IT! LET US KNOW WHAT YOU THINK!

World Youth Day is a Catholic event, but open to all. Are you a Catholic, or do you belong to another Christian denomination, or to another religion, or not to any religion?

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Sometimes people do not consider that they belong to any religion now, but they were raised in a religion. What religion (if any) were you raised in?

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Have you been to any of the previous World Youth Days -- e.g. Cologne in 2005, Toronto in 2002, Rome in 2000 or one before that?

- Yes
- No

Which previous World Youth Days have you attended? *Please check all the ones you've been to.*

- Cologne, Germany, 2005
- Toronto, Canada, 2002
- Rome, Italy, 2000
- Paris, France, 1997
- Manila, Philippines, 1995
- Denver, United States, 1993
- Czestochowa, Poland, 1991
- Santiago de Compostela, Spain, 1989
- Buenos Aires, Argentina, 1987
- Rome, Italy, 1985
- Rome, Italy, 1984
- None of the above

Looking back to the most recent WYD you attended, please rank the following experiences in terms of how valuable they were to you. Enter a number between 1 and 9 beside each one, 1 meaning 'this was the most valuable', and 9 meaning 'this was least valuable to me'. Use each number only once.

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| <input type="text"/> | The Masses and prayer services |
| <input type="text"/> | Having fun, sightseeing, partying |
| <input type="text"/> | The catechesis sessions / learning more about your own faith |
| <input type="text"/> | Just the buzz of being part of a huge youth event |
| <input type="text"/> | Seeing the Pope, listening to him |
| <input type="text"/> | Feeling part of a large crowd united by shared beliefs |
| <input type="text"/> | Experiencing the presence of God |
| <input type="text"/> | Making new friends |
| <input type="text"/> | Sharing about faith with other young people |

Did your participation at that WYD result in any of the following? *Please check all that apply.*

- Getting your faith and your life more together: living what you believe
- A closer relationship with God / with Jesus
- A deeper understanding of Catholic beliefs and moral teachings
- A fuller acceptance of these beliefs and moral teachings
- A stronger sense of Catholic identity
- A greater commitment to social justice
- No, none of these

After returning from that WYD, did you do any of the following? *Check all that apply.*

- Attended followup gathering(s)
- Stayed in regular contact with friend(s) you made (eg getting together, email, Facebook)
- Began attending Mass more frequently
- Assisted in preparations for WYD in Sydney 2008
- Joined a parish group (e.g. a youth group, prayer group, helping group etc.)
- Got involved in a social justice activity or group
- None of the above

Are you definitely going to World Youth Day in Sydney in July?

- Yes, definitely
- Undecided
- No

Are you individually registered – i.e. have your personal details been entered into WYD registration?

- Yes
- I'm not sure
- No

If you are part of a group and you know your group's WYD number, please insert it here:

(This is the number WYD admin has assigned to your group)

What kind of group are you going with to WYD Sydney 2008?

- Parish group
- School group
- A group within a community or movement (e.g. Focolare; Charismatic, St. Vincent de Paul / Young Vinnies etc.)
- I'm going with my family / relatives / friends
- Some other type of group
- Not attending with a group

Are you a group leader?

- No
- Yes

What are you most looking forward to experiencing at WYD? Please rank the following in order by entering a number between 1 and 10 beside each one, 1 meaning 'most looking forward to this'. Use each number only once.

- The Masses and prayer services
- Having fun, sightseeing, partying
- The catechesis sessions / learning more about my own faith
- Just the buzz of being part of a huge youth event
- Seeing the Pope, listening to him
- Feeling part of a large crowd united by shared beliefs
- Experiencing the presence of God
- Making new friends
- Sharing about faith with other young people
- Perhaps meeting someone I really like

Have you done any of these preparatory activities for WYD? *Check all that apply.*

- Saw a DVD about WYD
- Talked personally to someone who had attended a previous WYD
- Heard a presentation from a previous attender
- Attended a WYD information session at school, university or parish
- Participated in something to do with the Journey of the Cross and Icon
- Participated in a Holy Hour of Power
- Undertaken a fundraising or awareness activity, (eg a BBQ, hot cross bun drive)
- Decided to take part in Days in the Diocese activities in July
- Signed up as a volunteer for WYD in Sydney or Days in the Diocese in your own diocese
- Acted as a "WYD ambassador"
- Had RE classes at school related to preparing for WYD
- None of the above

Besides your own attraction to the idea of going, which of the following really helped you decide to attend WYD in 2008? *Check all that apply.*

- Your friends are going
- People at school or parish encouraged you to go
- Parents / relatives encouraged you to go
- Talking personally to someone who had attended a previous WYD
- Information sessions about WYD at school, parish or university
- Seeing a DVD about WYD
- Hearing a presentation from a previous attendee
- Information on the WYD Website (www.wyd2008.org) or other websites
- You got so much out of the last WYD you attended
- None of the above

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- Seeing a DVD about WYD
- Hearing a presentation from a previous attender
- Information on the WYD Website (www.wyd2008.org) or other websites
- It was a chance to visit Australia, with financial assistance
- You got so much out of the last WYD you attended
- None of the above

Out of your three closest friends, how many are going to WYD?

- None
- One
- Two
- All three

When World Youth Day is all over, what benefits do you hope for as a result of attending? *Please check all that apply.*

- Getting your faith and your life more together: living what you believe
- A closer relationship with God / with Jesus
- A deeper understanding of Catholic beliefs and moral teachings
- A fuller acceptance of these beliefs and moral teachings
- A stronger sense of Catholic identity
- A greater commitment to social justice
- Feeling the energy to get more involved in your parish
- None of these; I just hope I will have enjoyed a good time

O.K., thanks for all that stuff on World Youth Day. Now let's put together a kind of spiritual profile of you, your outlook and values.

Some of the following questions assume that the person responding is Catholic. If you aren't, we hope you will understand and excuse this. We'll skip you past a few questions which only make sense to Catholics, but we have left in place others which may apply equally well to you, and on which you may have a view. Your answers provide a different perspective, and are especially important to the research team.

Do you believe in God, or not, or are you unsure?

- Yes
- Unsure
- No

Was there ever a time in your life when you did believe in God, without feeling unsure about it?

- Yes
- No

Do you believe that there is a kind of higher-being or life force out there, whether you call it God or not?

- Yes
- No

Do you believe that this higher being or life force cares about us, or not?

- Yes (cares about us)
- No (does not care about us)

How close do you feel to God most of the time?

- Not at all close - 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- Very close - 5

How often do you pray just by yourself (not with others or at a religious service)?

- Never
- Once or twice a year
- Occasionally, but not as often as once a month
- Once or twice a month
- About every week
- Usually every day
- Several times a day

When you pray, which of the following do you do?

	Often	Occasionally	Not so much
Read from a book of prayers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Say prayers you have memorized	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ask God for material things you need	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Read a passage from the Bible and meditate on it	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pray for the world -- e.g. for peace, justice, relief of poverty	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Talk with God in your own words	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ask God to forgive your sins	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ask God to provide guidance in making decisions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thank God for blessings	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Express your love for God	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Spend time quietly thinking about God	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pray for individual people you know	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How often have you experienced the following (if at all)?

	Often	Once / few times	Never
Being 'Baptised in the Spirit' / spoke or prayed in tongues	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A dream or vision with a spiritual meaning	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being 'Born again'	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Making a decision to accept Jesus as my personal Saviour	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A clear answer to prayer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being healed by God's power in body, mind or spirit	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
God calling or guiding me to act in a particular way	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
God using me as an instrument for others	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

At times, people become strongly aware of the presence of God in an otherwise ordinary event. How often has this happened to you in the following situations?

	Often	Once / few times	Never
Birth of a child / watching children / a special moment with a child	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A wedding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enjoying the beauty of nature	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Making love	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Doing my own creative work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being in a sacred place - on pilgrimage, or just a place special to me	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
At Mass or another service, or in a prayer group	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quiet reflection or prayer alone	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Listening to music	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reading the Bible	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hearing a sermon / homily	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

At times, people become strongly aware of the presence of God in a difficult situation. How often has this happened to you in the following situations?

	Often	Once / few times	Never
Personal suffering or sickness	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The death of someone close to you	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Feeling fear in a dangerous situation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Feeling unable to cope with the evil or injustice in the world	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Feeling that life was meaningless	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sensing the demand of conscience / feeling guilt	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Desperately searching for an answer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A crisis in a relationship	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Feeling desolation, despair, loneliness, depression	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What was your reaction when you became aware of the presence of God? Check any of the following which apply.

- A strong sense of awe, wonder
- A sense that my surroundings, the universe, other people and myself were totally one in God
- Extraordinary joy without any clear reason
- Being forgiven, renewed
- Released from the fear of death
- A moment of truth, of deeper conviction that God was real / God became more important in my life
- A sense of the harmony or order in the universe / of the meaning or purpose in events
- A new understanding of the relationship between Jesus' life and mine
- A sense of determination to change my life
- None of the above

How valuable do you now think these experiences were?

- The most valuable experience(s) I ever had
- Very valuable
- I can't decide whether they were valuable or not
- Not very valuable
- Not at all valuable

Well, enough about experience of God. Hard to put into words, isn't it. Let's move on to talk about what faith means to you.

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	Strongly disagree	Disagree somewhat	Can't decide either way	Agree somewhat	Strongly agree
It is okay to pick and choose your religious beliefs without having to accept all the basic teachings of your religion as a whole.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Some people say that morals are relative: that there are no definite rights and wrongs for everybody.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What do you think about being Catholic?	Strongly disagree	Disagree somewhat	Can't decide either way	Agree somewhat	Strongly agree
How a person lives is the only thing that matters; being Catholic or not doesn't really matter at all.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Catholicism contains a greater share of truth than other religions do.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being a Catholic is a very important part of who I am.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The sacraments of the Church are essential to my relationship with God.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Catholic devotions such as Eucharistic adoration or praying the Rosary are important to me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is important to me that the younger generations of my family grow up as Catholics.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I cannot imagine being any religion other than Catholic.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The Pope and the bishops have the authority to guide Catholics in what we should believe and do in order to follow the teachings of Jesus.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you believe:	Don't believe	Uncertain	Definitely believe
That Jesus is truly present in the consecrated bread and wine at Mass	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
That Mary was a virgin when she gave birth to Jesus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
That Jesus was truly God and truly human and was raised bodily from the dead	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
That God works miracles on earth	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
That angels exist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
That demons or evil spirits exist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Which of the following comes closest to expressing your belief about what happens after someone dies?

- After death the soul (or spirit) lives on forever, to be reunited with the risen body
- After death the spirit lives on forever, without any body
- After death the spirit is reincarnated in a new earthly form, and lives again on earth
- Death is the complete annihilation of the person, with no further existence
- I really don't know what to think about what happens after death

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree somewhat	Can't decide either way	Agree somewhat	Strongly agree
The church law that priests must be male and unmarried	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Church teaching on not having sex before marriage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Church teaching opposing the death penalty	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Church teaching opposing abortion	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Church teaching opposing euthanasia	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Church teaching opposing same-sex marriage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Church teaching supporting workers' rights to unionise and to take industrial action	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How influential is your faith in shaping the way you live?

- Influences almost everything I do
- Influences some things but not others
- Has very little influence in my life

How often do you go to Mass these days apart from weddings and funerals (or compulsory services at school)?

- More than once a week
- Usually every weekend
- Once or twice a month
- Often, but not every month
- Christmas or Easter and a few other times
- I don't really go at all now

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How often do you attend weekend worship services these days apart from weddings and funerals (or compulsory services at school)?

- Usually every weekend
- Once or twice a month
- Often, but not every month
- Christmas or Easter and a few other times
- I don't really go at all now

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You attend more often than many others. Why do you attend? Check all that apply.

	No	Partly	Yes
I want to worship and thank God in the best way possible	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I get the strength to keep trying to live as a Christian	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It's good to be with others who share the same beliefs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I'm fulfilling my obligation to attend	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I come away more empowered by the Holy Spirit	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It's a way of talking to God and asking for the help I need	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I experience Jesus' love for me and express my love for him	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Are you part of a music group, or a group that prepares the liturgy? Or do you sometimes do the Scripture readings at Mass?

- No
- Yes

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Do you regularly take part in a prayer group, a youth group, or any other group associated with the church?

- No
- Yes

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How long have you been involved with a group of that kind?

 Years

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Were you ever part of a group like that in the past?

- No
- Yes

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These days everyone comes across things that make it hard at times to keep on believing and living as a Christian, and staying involved in the church. Do any of the following make this difficult at times for you? *Check all that apply.*

- An atmosphere where you work or study, that it's not cool to be religious
- Some of your friends not being into religion or church
- Living in a secular society where most people seem not to care about religion, or think it is irrational or a hangover from childhood
- Things you've learned from science
- So many religions with different claims
- The idea of a good God is hard to fit with a world in which there is so much suffering
- Hearing about bad things associated with religion: e.g. conflict among religions, violence, bad people, sex abuse by teachers or priests,
- Hypocrisy: religious people not living what they supposedly believe
- Issues about the church: beliefs, rules about morality
- None of the above

About how often do you go to individual reconciliation?

- Regularly -- every two or three months or more often
- A few times a year
- About once a year
- Haven't been for years

Your family helped to shape your spiritual profile. Please tell us a bit about them.

When you were growing up, were you closer to your mother or to your father?

- Closer to my mother
- Closer to my father
- The same with both

How old were you when you last lived with both of your natural or adoptive parents?

- I live with both of them now
- I have never lived with them both
- I last lived with them when I was less than 1 year old
- I last lived with them when I was 1 year old
- I last lived with them when I was 2 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 3 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 4 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 5 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 6 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 7 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 8 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 9 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 10 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 11 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 12 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 13 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 14 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 15 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 16 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 17 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 18 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 19 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 20 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 21 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 22 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 23 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 24 years old
- I last lived with them when I was 25 years old or more

Was this because (choose one):

One or both of your parents died?

Your parents separated or divorced?

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Your parents separated or divorced?

You moved out of your parents' home?

When you were growing up, what was your mother's religion?

- Catholic
- Anglican
- Baptist
- Lutheran
- Mormon / Latter Day Saints
- Presbyterian or Reformed Church
- Orthodox
- Pentecostal, Assemblies of God, (Australian Christian Churches), Revival Centre
- Uniting Church
- Buddhism
- Hinduism
- Islam
- Judaism
- No religion or denomination
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Please type the name of your mother's denomination
or religion in the box

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In those days, how often did your mother go to church?

- Usually every weekend
- Once or twice a month
- Often, but not every month
- Christmas or Easter and a few other times
- Hardly ever
- Never
- Don't know

And how enthusiastic about her religion would you say your mother was then?

- Not at all - 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- Very highly - 5
- Don't know

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- Catholic
- Anglican
- Baptist
- Lutheran
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- Presbyterian or Reformed Church
- Orthodox
- Pentecostal, Assemblies of God, (Australian Christian Churches), Revival Centre
- Uniting Church
- Buddhism
- Hinduism
- Islam
- Judaism
- No religion or denomination
- A church or religion not listed above -- please type the name of the denomination or religion in the box below

Please type the name of your father's denomination
or religion in the box

When you were growing up, what was your father's religion?

- Catholic
- Orthodox
- Anglican / Episcopal
- Presbyterian or Reformed Church
- Pentecostal, Assemblies of God
- Mormon / Latter Day Saints
- Other mainline Protestant
- Other conservative Protestant
- Buddhism
- Hinduism
- Islam
- Judaism
- No religion or denomination
- A church or religion not listed above -- please type the name of the denomination or religion in the box below

Please type the name of your father's denomination or religion in the box

In those days, how often did your father go to church?

- Usually every weekend
- Once or twice a month
- Often, but not every month
- Christmas or Easter and a few other times
- Hardly ever
- Never
- Don't know

And how enthusiastic about his religion would you say your father was then?

- Not at all - 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- Very highly - 5
- Don't know

Nowadays, do your friends go to church pretty regularly?

- Most of them do
 Most of them don't

Do you believe in:

	Yes, definitely	I'm unsure	No, definitely not
Astrology: that stars and planets affect people's fates	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The possibility of communicating with the dead directly or in a séance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reincarnation: that people have lived previous lives	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The power of psychics and clairvoyants	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How satisfied are you with your life?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree somewhat	Can't decide either way	Agree somewhat	Strongly agree
In most ways my life is close to my ideal	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The conditions of my life are excellent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am satisfied with my life	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
So far I have got the important things I want in life	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
If I could live my life over again, I would change almost nothing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I'm satisfied with my present level of spiritual and religious development	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree somewhat	Can't decide either way	Agree somewhat	Strongly agree
Deep inside I'm hurting, and nothing seems to help	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My life has a purpose	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My life fits in as part of God's plan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel I don't really belong anywhere	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Yes	Unsure	No
Do you sometimes feel resentful when you don't get your own way?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Are you always a good listener, no matter whom you are talking to?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Have there been occasions when you took advantage of someone?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Are you always willing to admit when you make a mistake?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Do you sometimes try to get even rather than forgive and forget?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Are you always courteous, even to people who are disagreeable?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Have you sometimes taken unfair advantage of another person?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Are you quick to admit making a mistake?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How much do you care about:

	Don't care at all about these 1	2	3	4	Care very much about these 5
The needs of poor people in your country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gender equality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The needs of homeless people in your country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The needs of unemployed people in your country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Animal rights	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The needs of elderly people in your country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
People's right to equal treatment, whatever their race, religion or culture	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Living conditions and quality of life in developing nations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environmental issues (e.g. climate change, animal extinction)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

In the past year, how often have you spent a couple of hours doing community service activities as a volunteer?

- Never
- A couple of times a year
- About once a month
- Usually every week
- Most days

What kinds of community service activities did you do (in the past year)? *Please check all that apply*

- Visiting people and spending time with them
- Fundraising for an organisation
- Distributing aid: food or financial assistance
- Camp leadership
- Coaching or organising sporting activities
- Tutoring or teaching
- Office work (phoning, filing, administration)
- Another kind of work not listed above
- None of these

Did you do your community service activities with any of the following organisations? *Please check all that apply.*

- School / educational institution
- Church or religious group e.g. your own parish, St Vincent de Paul or Young Vinnies etc.
- Scouts or Guides
- Service organisation e.g. YMCA, YWCA, Rotary, SES, CFA, St. John's Ambulance
- Overseas Aid Organisations: e.g. Red Cross, Caritas, World Vision, CARE Australia
- Sporting group or hobby club
- Another kind of organisation
- None of these

Some people volunteer to work for a 'cause' -- with an organisation such as the following. *Check any which apply to you.*

- An environmental group (e.g Greenpeace, World Wide Fund for Nature)
- A political party
- An organisation working for social justice or world peace
- A different organisation working for a cause
- None of these

How important was each of the following as a reason why you engaged in volunteer/community service activities?

	Not at all important	Not very important	Can't decide	Fairly important	Very important
A sense of solidarity with the poor and disadvantaged	<input type="radio"/>				
Compassion for those in need	<input type="radio"/>				
An opportunity to repay something, give something back	<input type="radio"/>				
A sense of duty, moral obligation	<input type="radio"/>				
Identifying with people who were suffering	<input type="radio"/>				
Time on my hands and I wanted something worthwhile to do	<input type="radio"/>				
Personal satisfaction	<input type="radio"/>				
Religious beliefs	<input type="radio"/>				
To help give disadvantaged people hope and dignity	<input type="radio"/>				
To make a contribution to my local community	<input type="radio"/>				
To bring about social or political change	<input type="radio"/>				
Social reasons, to meet people	<input type="radio"/>				
To gain new skills and useful experience	<input type="radio"/>				
I did not want to but could not refuse.	<input type="radio"/>				

In the last year, about how much of your own money have you given to a church or religious organization?

\$

In the last year, about how much of your own money have you given to other organizations or causes?

\$

Personal relationships: are you

-
-
-

Not in a relationship
In a relationship
Living with a partner or spouse

Who do you live with? *Please check all that apply.*

- Father
- Mother
- Brother(s) or sister(s)
- One or more grandparents
- One or more uncles / aunts
- Your partner / husband / wife
- Your (or your partner's) children
- Unrelated adults
- No one -- live alone

Now a few questions about your education and plans for the future.
(Let's assume that primary school (or elementary or grade school) plus high school, together total 12 years, so that Year 12 is the final year of high school.)

What is the highest level of education you have COMPLETED?

- Year 6
- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9
- Year 10
- Year 11
- Year 12 / completed high school / secondary school to High School Certificate level or equivalent
- Completed some post secondary
- Completed a trade apprenticeship
- Completed a TAFE (technical or trade training) course or Diploma course
- Completed undergraduate degree (e.g. B.A.)
- Completed some post-graduate study (i.e. beyond first degree / Bachelor level)
- Completed Master's degree
- Completed Doctoral degree

At present are you

- Attending high school
- Attending university or some other post-high-school educational institution
- Not attending an educational institution

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- Not attending an educational institution

What year of education are you in now? (-- taking Year 12 as last year of high school)

- Year 8
- Year 9
- Year 10
- Year 11
- Year 12 (final year of secondary school / high school)

What level are you at in your study at university (or other tertiary / post-high school education)

- 1st year of tertiary study
- 2nd year of tertiary study
- 3rd year of tertiary study
- Completing undergraduate degree (e.g. Bachelor degree) this year
- In 4th or later year of combined or multiple undergrad degrees
- Working on a Master's degree
- Completing a Master's degree this year
- Working on a Doctoral degree
- Completing a Doctoral degree this year

What type of secondary school (high school) are you attending (or did you attend in the past)? If you attended both types, check the type where spent most years.

- Government
- Private

Which religion or denomination is that (private) secondary school associated with?

- Catholic
- Anglican
- Baptist
- Lutheran
- Mormon / Latter Day Saints
- Presbyterian or Reformed Church
- Orthodox
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- Uniting Church
- Buddhism
- Hinduism
- Islam
- Judaism
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Please specify other here:

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- Other mainline Protestant
- Other conservative Protestant
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Please specify other here:

What type of primary school (grade school / elementary school) did you attend? If you attended both types, check the type where spent most years

- Government
- Private

Which religion or denomination was that (private) primary school associated with?

- Catholic
- Anglican
- Baptist
- Lutheran
- Mormon / Latter Day Saints
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Please specify other here:

During your years in high school, were you ever pressured or made fun of because of your religious beliefs or practices?

- Very often
- Occasionally
- Never or very rarely

Do you currently have a paid job of any kind?

- No
- Yes

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- No
- Yes

Are you mainly:

- Looking for paid employment
- Doing home duties / caring for family
- Doing unpaid voluntary work
- Retired

Taking into consideration the house you live in, the money you earn, the property you own, and car you drive and so forth, would you say that your standard of living is above or below average? (If you are a student, answer with reference to your family's standard of living.)

- Much above average
- Quite a bit above average
- Slightly above average
- Slightly below average
- Quite a bit below average
- Much below average

Many thanks for giving us your time to participate in this survey. We hope you got good value out of reflecting on these issues. Your views will be most helpful to those organising WYD events and followup.

The research team will be at World Youth Day events, and would like to be able to do some very short interviews there. Some will be with people we happen to meet at various events; but we'd like to speak to others too -- mobile phone will be the only practicable method.

If you are willing to be contacted during WYD week, would you kindly enter here your first name and your mobile phone number?

First
(given)
name --
not
family
name:

Mobile
phone
number:

In the months after World Youth Day, we will be doing further interviews by phone.

If you are willing to give us permission to contact you for an interview at this stage, please check this box:

If you have a fixed line phone at home as well as a mobile, it would be helpful to have that number as well:

Home
phone
number
area
code:

Home
phone
number:

We will only be doing a small number of interviews, but can't contact anyone without their permission.
Thanks again!