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# PACESETTERS

**APRIL 2006**

## **Top 10 Sunday School Ministries Attendance**

<u>District</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>District Superintendent</u>	<u>District SSM Chair</u>
Kansas City	11,561	Jeren Rowell	Shaun Sutton
Colorado	9,068	David M. Ralph	Bill E. Vaughn
Northeastern Indiana	8,889	David G. Roland	Gary Cable
Central Florida	8,746	Larry D. Dennis	Brad K. Estep
Tennessee	8,452	Robert R. Broadbooks	Larry W. Spraker
North Central Ohio	8,211	David P. Wilson	E. Waitman Hager
Washington Pacific	8,203	Hugh L. Smith	Jeffery S. Austin
Central Ohio	7,786	Richard L. Jordan	Robert Shoultz
Intermountain	7,517	Stephen L. Borger	Les E. Moore
Los Angeles	7,399	Jerry L. Ferguson	Dennis Alexander

## **Top 10 Percentage SSM Attendance Gainers (as compared to March 2006)**

<u>District</u>	<u>% Increase</u>	<u>District Superintendent</u>	<u>District SSM Chair</u>
Colorado	28.12%	David M. Ralph	Bill E. Vaughn
Indianapolis	17.03%	Ted R. Lee	Doug Litsey
Nebraska	14.74%	Larry W. White	David Jareo
Northeast Oklahoma	13.90%	Harold B. Graves, Jr.	Donald R. Nichols
Northeastern Indiana	13.68%	David G. Roland	Gary Cable
Missouri	12.98%	Jack W. Eyestone	Randy Calhoun
Southeast Oklahoma	12.53%	Terry C. Rowland	Johnny Stephens
Northwest Indiana	12.51%	Leland G. Woolery	Jeffrey S. Case
Chicago Central	12.45%	Brian E. Wilson	Cindi Schimmelpfennig
Minnesota	12.38%	Richard E. Sickels	Gary L. Worthington

## **Top 10 Percentage SSM Attendance Gainers (as compared to March 2005\*)**

<u>District</u>	<u>% Increase</u>	<u>District Superintendent</u>	<u>District SSM Chair</u>
Canada Pacific	21.13%	Earl R. Wood	Melony Barber
Colorado	18.63%	David M. Ralph	Bill E. Vaughn
Minnesota	10.80%	Richard E. Sickels	Gary L. Worthington
Southeast Oklahoma	10.16%	Terry C. Rowland	Johnny Stephens
Northern California	9.11%	John H. Calhoun	Tim King
Alaska	6.75%	Michael R. Couch	W. Bruce Hardesty
North Central Ohio	4.68%	David P. Wilson	E. Waitman Hager
Eastern Michigan	4.11%	Stephen T. Anthony	Gary Slusher
Northwestern Ohio	3.75%	Larry R. Fairbanks	David B. Lutz
South Arkansas	3.29%	Russell Branstetter	Kenneth R. Carney

## Top 10 Percentage of Morning Worshipers Attending SSM

<u>District</u>	<u>% of Morning Worshipers attending Sunday School</u>	<u>District Superintendent</u>	<u>District SSM Chair</u>
Hawaii Pacific	95.89%	Robert Killen	Jack Smith
Southwest Latin American	87.55%	Alejandro G. Sandoval	Daniel Hernandez
Northern California	84.64%	John H. Calhoun	Tim King
Anaheim+	83.06%	Ray L. Doane	Jerry D. Cordell
Mississippi	81.38%	Gregory D. Mason	Charles Johnson
Southwest Native American	80.56%	John R. Nells	June Stillings
Western Latin American	77.29%	Orlando Serrano	Marcos Cisneros
Louisiana	77.10%	Gregory D. Mason	Daniel Lowe
Southeast Oklahoma	76.87%	Terry C. Rowland	Johnny Stephens
Iowa	76.56%	Garey A. Miller	Terry Vance

### Sunday School Ministries Statistical Summary April 2006

<b>Total SSM Attendance</b>	377,296
30-Day gain (#)	16,160
30-day gain (%)	4.47%
13-month* loss (#)	-18,469
13-month* loss (%)	-4.67%
<b>Total Responsibility List</b>	793,841
% Attending SSM	47.46%
<b>Total A.M. Worship</b>	572,864
% Attending SSM	63.04%
30-Day % loss of worshipers attending SSM	-5.45%

The Pacesetter statistics are based on information received from reporting districts.

\*Attendance compared to March 2005 (rather than April 2005) due to Easter changing months.



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## April 2006 Monthly Statistical Report – USA/Canada

		SSM ATTENDANCE			RESPONSIBILITY LIST			MORNING WORSHIP ATTENDANCE			
		April 2006	% Gain/Loss Compared to		April 2006	% Gain/Loss Compared to		% attending SSM	April 2006	% attending SSM	
			March 2006	March** 2005		March 2006	March** 2005			March 2006	% Compared to Mar. 2006
Canada (CNUC)	Canada Atlantic	802	6.51%	-14.32%	1,946	0.00%	0.00%	41.21%	1,539	48.93%	-0.87%
	Canada Central	2,140	2.88%	2.00%	3,383	0.00%	-3.19%	63.26%	4,283	48.56%	-5.86%
	Canada Pacific	1,244	-7.23%	21.13%	3,149	-12.07%	-7.23%	35.25%	1,923	69.73%	-1.75%
	Canada Quebec	584	-1.68%	-7.01%	1,333	-3.00%	32.27%	42.53%	1,052	56.46%	-1.04%
	Canada West (*)	2,308	0.00%	-13.33%	6,372	0.00%	-19.11%	36.22%	3,842	60.07%	0.00%
Central USA (ONU)	Chicago Central	4,996	12.45%	-3.51%	12,298	0.85%	-0.22%	40.97%	8,330	53.34%	-7.68%
	Eastern Michigan	7,218	6.52%	4.11%	14,545	0.55%	1.99%	49.90%	14,307	47.36%	-5.24%
	Illinois	5,525	4.09%	-2.95%	12,055	1.14%	-4.11%	46.36%	7,233	73.39%	-3.28%
	Indianapolis	6,617	17.03%	-2.85%	14,510	-0.36%	-0.58%	45.44%	8,392	67.37%	-7.07%
	Michigan	5,935	6.25%	-4.58%	17,070	1.32%	8.25%	35.24%	10,817	51.64%	-4.48%
	Northeastern Indiana	8,889	13.68%	-1.89%	18,717	-0.81%	7.32%	47.11%	11,341	68.94%	-5.35%
	Northern Michigan	1,673	2.64%	-10.01%	4,804	-0.35%	7.24%	34.70%	2,907	56.07%	-5.09%
	Northwest Indiana+	5,002	12.51%	-2.95%	8,155	0.00%	-14.63%	61.34%	8,117	54.77%	-6.16%
	Northwestern Illinois	3,792	8.81%	-7.98%	8,051	-1.12%	1.66%	46.58%	5,820	59.88%	-9.24%
	Southwest Indiana	6,288	7.82%	1.17%	12,365	0.00%	-5.13%	50.85%	7,855	74.25%	-7.55%
Wisconsin (*)	1,251	-2.34%	-9.35%	3,131	0.00%	-9.71%	39.96%	1,711	74.87%	-1.79%	
East Central USA (MVNU)	Central Ohio	7,786	6.98%	-9.30%	14,847	-1.56%	-2.61%	51.63%	16,384	44.42%	-11.62%
	East Ohio	5,021	7.31%	-1.72%	12,709	0.78%	0.00%	39.82%	7,708	60.70%	-9.69%
	Eastern Kentucky	3,848	7.19%	-0.05%	9,185	3.59%	5.19%	43.46%	4,908	73.15%	-6.42%
	North Central Ohio+	8,211	-1.17%	4.68%	18,968	0.00%	-0.73%	43.29%	11,744	70.88%	-6.36%
	Northwestern Ohio	6,557	0.43%	3.75%	18,665	1.02%	5.41%	43.37%	11,059	59.04%	-5.91%
	Southwestern Ohio	7,386	0.33%	-4.70%	18,039	-0.12%	-1.31%	40.90%	11,990	61.40%	-4.28%
	West Virginia North	3,672	4.14%	-8.50%	8,629	-0.22%	0.61%	42.46%	4,826	73.06%	-7.15%
	West Virginia South (*)	4,314	-4.62%	-11.16%	9,737	0.00%	-1.63%	44.31%	4,921	91.81%	5.66%
Eastern USA (ENC)	Maine	1,768	-1.60%	-10.06%	3,891	2.29%	-5.97%	47.03%	2,804	64.80%	-5.68%
	Metro New York	5,480	9.16%	-5.87%	10,752	-0.07%	4.60%	50.93%	10,541	47.62%	-5.69%
	Mid-Atlantic	7,052	0.14%	-6.53%	13,483	0.45%	-2.60%	52.54%	10,523	66.92%	-1.17%
	New England	5,870	-1.92%	-5.63%	13,452	16.52%	2.65%	52.27%	9,695	61.73%	0.41%
	Philadelphia	5,176	6.70%	-18.57%	12,087	3.38%	-4.11%	44.32%	7,537	64.36%	-3.26%
	Pittsburgh	4,239	6.78%	-6.67%	8,637	0.06%	-2.56%	49.11%	5,912	67.15%	-7.07%
	Upstate New York	2,590	1.41%	-3.29%	6,165	3.52%	3.65%	43.54%	4,774	53.50%	-6.38%
	Virginia	7,180	-2.89%	0.57%	18,179	0.14%	10.32%	39.55%	13,685	54.03%	-5.80%
North Central USA (MNU)	Dakota	1,940	2.65%	-9.47%	4,084	0.00%	4.70%	47.50%	2,728	69.28%	-3.64%
	Iowa	4,254	-0.21%	-11.74%	10,491	-0.31%	0.00%	40.42%	5,568	76.56%	-3.27%
	Joplin	5,140	8.14%	0.94%	11,068	0.18%	3.46%	46.52%	6,779	70.11%	-5.10%
	Kansas	5,230	0.27%	2.91%	10,797	0.30%	-3.32%	48.58%	7,613	68.51%	-7.01%
	Kansas City	11,561	11.54%	-2.08%	24,107	-2.27%	0.03%	46.89%	16,509	62.78%	-8.00%
	Minnesota	1,806	12.38%	10.80%	4,193	1.43%	-4.89%	43.70%	2,851	56.37%	-2.76%
	Missouri	4,675	12.98%	-2.23%	9,223	0.60%	-3.98%	53.17%	5,910	73.01%	-4.71%
	Nebraska	1,790	14.74%	-3.50%	4,121	0.53%	-2.02%	43.67%	2,874	54.28%	-11.02%

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Northwest USA (NNU)	Alaska +	1,361	7.00%	6.75%	3,170	-7.79%	-6.15%	39.83%	1,806	70.43%	-3.91%
	Colorado	9,068	28.12%	18.63%	11,998	0.00%	-6.59%	75.58%	11,684	60.58%	-7.52%
	Intermountain	7,517	9.58%	-5.20%	16,392	-1.70%	6.30%	45.09%	12,901	53.17%	-6.63%
	Northwest	6,448	-5.32%	-2.79%	11,170	-15.38%	-12.38%	50.03%	10,541	64.60%	-3.95%
	Oregon Pacific	6,815	3.40%	-2.92%	13,712	-9.20%	-14.83%	45.51%	13,282	49.62%	-5.95%
	Rocky Mountain	1,561	0.26%	-6.19%	3,917	4.57%	-0.24%	41.76%	2,410	64.61%	-7.01%
	Washington Pacific	8,203	-3.15%	-19.45%	16,539	-1.83%	0.00%	48.71%	13,155	64.39%	0.43%
South Central USA (SNU)	Dallas	4,344	8.22%	-4.42%	9,770	-1.16%	-1.86%	43.95%	5,503	72.94%	-8.58%
	Louisiana	1,736	-2.14%	-10.38%	4,167	-5.18%	-2.10%	39.61%	2,301	77.10%	-6.39%
	North Arkansas	3,450	5.67%	-9.66%	8,240	-4.75%	-0.95%	39.97%	4,741	68.87%	-3.87%
	Northeast Oklahoma+	4,023	13.90%	-6.49%	7,284	-0.16%	1.36%	55.14%	5,579	63.31%	-12.18%
	Northwest Oklahoma	5,050	5.47%	-6.31%	9,320	-1.14%	-1.12%	53.58%	7,865	60.88%	-5.40%
	South Arkansas	2,861	5.85%	3.29%	6,121	0.02%	4.43%	46.75%	3,861	70.01%	-6.69%
	South Texas	6,577	-4.78%	-2.23%	14,945	-4.58%	-4.41%	42.08%	9,243	74.73%	3.90%
	Southeast Oklahoma	3,026	12.53%	10.16%	5,807	0.10%	0.79%	52.16%	3,498	76.87%	-12.79%
	Southwest Oklahoma+	3,535	11.23%	-1.83%	7,402	-0.09%	-1.54%	47.71%	4,697	67.66%	-7.47%
	Texas Oklahoma Latin	1,086	3.43%	-13.74%	2,756	-0.07%	2.18%	39.38%	1,470	71.43%	-2.57%
	West Texas	6,636	11.89%	-7.15%	13,647	2.15%	3.63%	49.70%	7,913	74.95%	-5.23%
Southeast USA (TNU)	Alabama North	3,379	2.21%	-3.35%	6,654	-1.47%	6.64%	50.04%	4,406	75.03%	-4.25%
	Alabama South	2,417	9.12%	-7.29%	4,539	3.02%	0.16%	54.91%	3,051	72.60%	-7.63%
	Central Florida	8,746	2.98%	-0.44%	14,526	-0.59%	-3.07%	59.85%	13,208	64.30%	-0.71%
	Georgia	4,391	7.25%	-5.81%	9,606	0.22%	6.11%	45.81%	5,541	73.89%	-8.16%
	Kentucky+	5,167	-1.51%	-5.19%	10,044	-1.75%	-2.23%	50.56%	7,151	73.36%	-3.10%
	Mississippi	4,046		2.21%	9,176	0.00%	-2.54%	44.09%	5,370	71.23%	-8.51%
	North Carolina	2,173	-1.72%	-11.70%	4,879	-3.96%	-22.42%	42.84%	2,717	81.38%	-1.62%
	North Florida	4,525	1.21%	-9.30%	8,288	1.36%	-2.84%	55.35%	6,821	65.55%	-4.42%
	South Carolina	2,985	6.27%	-2.29%	6,100	1.28%	-5.46%	49.57%	4,131	68.00%	-0.78%
	Southern Florida	5,391	5.77%	-9.71%	10,969	1.45%	-10.64%	49.87%	7,076	72.03%	-4.96%
	Tennessee+	6,523	-11.26%	-20.81%	14,074	9.20%	-0.39%	51.04%	11,283	65.15%	3.84%
	8,452	6.89%	-3.71%	15,127	0.00%	-4.32%	55.87%	13,637	57.98%	-7.49%	
Southwest USA (PLNU)	Anaheim+	4,598	-9.56%	-14.17%	9,708	0.73%	-3.47%	47.71%	6,121	83.06%	-1.04%
	Arizona	5,308	2.77%	-8.89%	10,870	-0.73%	1.14%	48.48%	11,354	45.49%	-4.66%
	Central California	5,741	0.37%	1.86%	10,509	0.00%	0.01%	54.63%	8,802	64.99%	-6.17%
	Hawaii Pacific	1,840	5.08%	1.83%	4,034	-0.30%	13.77%	45.48%	1,826	95.89%	-1.71%
	Los Angeles	7,399	0.03%	-8.42%	14,188	0.00%	0.00%	52.15%	13,662	54.14%	-9.65%
	New Mexico (*)	3,391	7.55%	-12.13%	4,133	0.00%	-14.03%	82.05%	4,493	70.18%	-9.53%
	Northern California+	4,742	3.81%	9.11%	10,681	0.00%	0.00%	44.40%	5,397	84.64%	-3.43%
	Sacramento	6,792	8.31%	-7.98%	14,110	0.00%	0.11%	48.14%	12,473	50.28%	-6.97%
	Southern California	5,231	2.11%	-13.11%	9,301	0.32%	0.08%	56.42%	7,993	64.09%	-10.42%
	Southwest Latin American	648	3.51%	-17.77%	1,812	-2.43%	-11.10%	34.91%	715	87.55%	-1.49%
	Southwest Native American	1,058	2.92%	-8.24%	1,922	-0.31%	2.18%	54.88%	1,276	80.56%	-14.10%
	Western Latin American	2,026	-0.10%	-9.67%	4,841	-5.74%	-9.88%	39.58%	2,624	77.29%	-5.25%
	<b>USA/Canada Totals</b>	<b>377,296</b>	<b>4.47%</b>	<b>-4.67%</b>	<b>793,841</b>	<b>-0.14%</b>	<b>-0.87%</b>	<b>47.46%</b>	<b>572,864</b>	<b>63.04%</b>	<b>-5.45%</b>

(\*) indicates no report or incomplete report received; some data taken from previous monthly reports and/or previous annual averages.

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+ indicates 100% of local churches on district reporting.

District Statisticians: Report MAY attendance statistics Monday, May 29 - Friday, June 2, 2006.