

CHARLOTTETOWN

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

GUIDE FOR PRAYER

Overview: Charlottetown is the capital and largest city in PEI. The city centre is about 40 000 people and the Charlottetown area is about 83 000 people. This is approximately half the population of PEI.

Neighbourhoods of Charlottetown: Downtown, Brighton, Spring Park, Parkdale, Sherwood, East Royalty, West Royalty, Winsloe. Also two outlying areas: Stratford and North River

Most numerous immigrant populations: China, India, Vietnam, Syria, Philippines.

Ethnic Makeup: 76.2% Caucasian, 21.8% Visible Minority (Primarily South Asian and East Asian), 2% Indigenous. Scottish, Irish and English are the largest ethnic origins.

Religious Makeup: Christian - 58%, Irreligious/None - 33%, Muslim - 3%, Hinduism 2.5%

Colleges/Universities: UPEI, Maritime Christian College, Collège D'Ile, Holland College

Churches to Pray for: Redemption Church (ANiC); United Reformed Church of PEI (URC); Birchwood Church (Free Church of Scotland); Grace PEI (Baptist); Cornerstone Baptist (Baptist)

Economic Makeup: Public Sector (all three levels of government) is the largest employer followed by health care and education. Residents of PEI are the most likely in Canada to be unemployed and have the lowest wages on average in Canada.

Current Mayor: Philip Brown

Current MP: Sean Casey

Other interesting facts:

- highest immigration rate per capita in Canada
- average house price is \$336k, housing prices have declined over the last few years

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Overview: Sudbury is the largest city in Northern Ontario with a population of around 165 000. It is known for its warm, humid summers and cold, snowy winters. It is surrounded by the beautiful Canadian shield and wilderness areas.

Major Sudbury areas: Sudbury proper includes: Sudbury/Downtown, Flour Mill, Bell Park, South End and West End. Sudbury has incorporated many small towns into its municipality including: Valley East, Rayside-Balfour, Nickel Centre, Walden

Most numerous immigrant populations: China, India, Vietnam, Syria, Philippines.

Ethnic Makeup: 82% Caucasian, 18% Visible Minority (Primarily First Nations (11%)), followed by African and South Asian.

Religious Makeup: Christian - 64%, Irreligious/None - 33%, Muslim/Hindu/Judaism - 3%

Churches to Pray for: Lansing Avenue Baptist Chapel (FEB), Bethel Baptist Church (FEB), North Edge Church (Pentecostal). No NAPARC churches.

Economic Makeup: Mining is still the largest sector but followed closely by health care and education.

Colleges/Universities: Laurentian University, Collège Boréal, Cambrian College, Northern School of Medicine

Current Mayor: Paul Lefebvre

Current MPs: Vivian Lapointe, Marc Serré

Other interesting facts:

- large Franco-Ontarian population, city is officially bilingual
- there are 330 lakes within city limits

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