

News by the Numbers

20 – Pastor Rick Warren's rank on the list of most influential Twitter celebrities. With around 220,000 Twitter followers, the *Purpose Driven Life* author was among the likes of the Dalai Lama, Lady Gaga and Justin Bieber, who led the *Forbes* list.

5 % of those who made New Year's resolutions for 2011 resolved to improve their connection with God, according to a survey from the Barna Group.

56% of the new, 112th Congress identify themselves as Protestant, according to a recent Pew Forum on Religion and Public Life analysis.

33% of people who attend church weekly and have three to five "church friends" say they are "extremely satisfied" with life. This compares with only 19 percent of people who attend church but don't have close church friends, reports a study released in the *American Sociological Review*.