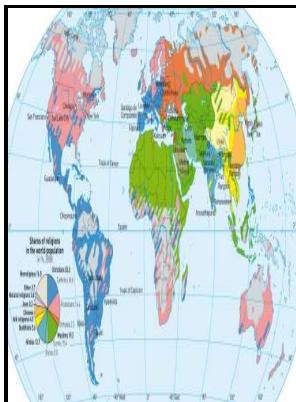


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In addition to the many faiths already covered, more than 400 million people worldwide practice folk or traditional religions, including indigenous South American religions, African traditional religions, Chinese folk religions, Native American religions, and Australian aboriginal religions. The second pillar is Salah, or daily prayers. By contrast, in Japan, roughly 26% of Japanese citizens reported visiting Shinto shrines.

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This primary text of the Islamic faith is believed by adherents to contain the exact words of God and therefore provides a full and nonnegotiable blueprint for how to live. They hold that God gave the law to Moses on Mount Sinai. Islam is considered one of the Abrahamic faiths and is, as such, monotheistic.

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Today, there are between 800,000 and one million Druze adherents, nearly all of them concentrated in the Middle East.

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Taoism is not an organized religion like the Abrahamic faiths nor do they worship any particular god — though some anthropomorphic aspects of the Tao are worshipped in some sects. They also feel that with such exercises, the soul has the ability to free itself from physical constraints and enter a spiritual world that they call the Sugmad.

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