# GALLUP NEWS SERVICE 

## DECEMBER WAVE 1

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted December 1-20, 2023, with a random sample of -1,013adults, ages 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling error is $\pm 4$ percentage points at the $\mathbf{9 5 \%}$ confidence level.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of $\mathbf{8 0 \%}$ cell phone respondents and $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained sample for this study from Dynata. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phoneonly/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the most recent Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the most recent National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2020 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls. For questions about how this survey was conducted, please contact galluphelp@gallup.com.
18. Next, we'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of that person -- or if you have never heard of them. How about -[ITEM A READ FIRST, ITEMS B-O READ IN RANDOM ORDER]?

## C. Pope Francis

| Favorable | Unfavorable | Never heard of | No opinion |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2023 Dec 1-20 | 58 | 30 | 5 | 6 |
| 2019 Apr 17-30 |  |  |  |  |
| 2018 Sep 4-12 | 61 | 22 | 8 | 9 |
| 2018 Aug 1-12 | 53 | 27 | 8 | 12 |
| 2015 Oct 7-11 | 66 | 17 | 9 | 8 |
| 2015 Jul 8-12 | 70 | 17 | 5 | 7 |
| 2014 Feb 6-9 | 59 | 16 | 14 | 11 |
| 2013 Apr 11-14 | 76 | 9 | 10 | 6 |
|  | 58 | 10 | 13 | 18 |


| GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SURVEY <br> December 2023 <br> Public Release Data <br> N18C: Opinion of Pope Francis BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income + Religion |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | Total | Gender |  | Race I |  | Age |  |  | Education |  |  | Party I.D. |  |  | Household Income |  |  | Religion |  |  |
|  |  |  | Male | Female | White | Non-white | 18-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | College Grad | Some College | $\begin{gathered} \text { HS Grad or } \\ \text { Less } \end{gathered}$ | Republican | Independen <br> t | Democrat | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less than } \\ \$ 50,000 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 50,000-000 \\ & 100,000 \end{aligned}$ | \$100,000+ | Protestant <br> + Other <br> Christian | Catholic | None |
| Total | Unweighte dn | 1013 | 581 | 422 | 733 | 256 | 177 | 257 | 551 | 456 | 341 | 209 | 297 | 395 | 295 | 287 | 322 | 325 | 503 | 198 | 195 |
|  | Weighted n | 1013 | 494 | 507 | 650 | 343 | 259 | 317 | 406 | 358 | 269 | 382 | 281 | 416 | 294 | 329 | 294 | 306 | 473 | 206 | 212 |
| Favorable |  | 591 | 269 | 314 | 398 | 183 | 136 | 169 | 265 | 236 | 151 | 203 | 136 | 234 | 213 | 182 | 176 | 183 | 244 | 159 | 117 |
|  |  | 58\% | 54\% | 62\% | 61\% | 53\% | 53\% | 53\% | 65\% | 66\% | 56\% | 53\% | 48\% | 56\% | 72\% | 55\% | 60\% | 60\% | 52\% | 77\% | 55\% |
| Unfavorable |  | 308 | 168 | 138 | 183 | 116 | 84 | 114 | 99 | 87 | 92 | 128 | 112 | 132 | 55 | 112 | 88 | 85 | 167 | 36 | 67 |
|  |  | 30\% | 34\% | 27\% | 28\% | 34\% | 33\% | 36\% | 24\% | 24\% | 34\% | 33\% | 40\% | 32\% | 19\% | 34\% | 30\% | 28\% | 35\% | 17\% | 32\% |
| Heard of, no opinion (vol.) |  | 61 | 29 | 32 | 42 | 19 | 14 | 20 | 26 | 25 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 15 | 12 | 19 | 22 | 32 | 3 | 19 |
|  |  | 6\% | 6\% | 6\% | 6\% | 6\% | 5\% | 6\% | 6\% | 7\% | 7\% | 5\% | 7\% | 5\% | 5\% | 4\% | 7\% | 7\% | 7\% | 1\% | 9\% |
| Never heard of (vol.) |  | 52 | 28 | 22 | 27 | 25 | 24 | 13 | 15 | 10 | 8 | 33 | 13 | 28 | 11 | 22 | 11 | 15 | 29 | 7 | 9 |
|  |  | 5\% | 6\% | 4\% | 4\% | 7\% | 9\% | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% | 3\% | 9\% | 5\% | 7\% | 4\% | 7\% | 4\% | 5\% | 6\% | 3\% | 4\% |
| (Refused) |  | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 1 | - | 0 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 0 | 0 | 1. |  |
|  |  | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% |  |  |  | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% |  | 0\% |  | 0\% | 0\% |  | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% - |  |

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