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### [Geoffrey Robertson calls for CoE's disestablishment in NSS lecture](#)

Posted: Thu, 19 Nov 2020

Leading human rights barrister Geoffrey Robertson has called for the C of E's disestablishment in the NSS's 2020 Bradlaugh Lecture. [Read More »](#)

### [Regular C of E worshippers form less than 2% of England's population](#)

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Fewer than 2% of people in England regularly worshipped at CoE churches in 2019, even though many children attended services for schools. [Read More »](#)

### [End C of E bishops' entitlement to sit in Lords, says report](#)

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The automatic right granted to 26 C of E bishops to sit in the House of Lords should be repealed, according to a new report. [Read More »](#)

### [Bill to end bishops' automatic right to sit in Lords introduced](#)

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A bill to end bishops' automatic right to sit in the House of Lords, which the NSS helped to draft, has been introduced to parliament. [Read More »](#)

## **Peer proposes bill to abolish bishops' bench in House of Lords**

Posted: Fri, 20 Dec 2019

The NSS is backing a private member's bill which would end the automatic right of Church of England bishops to sit in the House of Lords. [Read More »](#)

## **New archbishop blocked attempt to let CoE accept same-sex marriage**

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The NSS has said the appointment of the new archbishop of York has highlighted the case for disestablishing the Church of England. [Read More »](#)

## **NSS urges lord chancellor to scrap Anglican judges' service**

Posted: Tue, 01 Oct 2019

The NSS has urged the lord chancellor to scrap the annual Anglican services which mark the start of the legal year. [Read More »](#)

## **Just 12% of Brits are affiliated to C of E, major survey reveals**

Posted: Thu, 11 Jul 2019

The NSS has called for a "serious rethink" of religion's public role amid a significant decline in affiliation to the Church of England. [Read More »](#)

## **Britain's non-religious population growing rapidly, figures show**

Posted: Fri, 12 Apr 2019

The number of people who say they are non-religious in Great Britain has risen by 46% in seven years, according to official figures. [Read More »](#)

## **Bishop helps scupper amendment to let CoE allow same-sex marriage**

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An amendment that would make it easier for the C of E to allow same-sex marriage has been withdrawn amid opposition from a bishop. [Read More »](#)

## **Prayers shouldn't be part of parliamentary business, say MPs**

Posted: Mon, 14 Jan 2019

MPs have called for an end to the practice of holding prayers in parliament in an early day motion backed by the NSS. [Read More »](#)

## **Just a third of public supports royal ties with CoE, NSS poll finds**

Posted: Fri, 04 Jan 2019

Only a third of the UK public thinks the monarchy's ties to the C of E should remain intact, according to a poll conducted for the NSS. [Read More »](#)

## **Welby's political interventions seen as inappropriate, poll finds**

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A plurality of the public thinks it is inappropriate for the archbishop of Canterbury to express political opinions, a poll has found. [Read More »](#)

## **Labour peer raises case for disestablishment in Lords**

Posted: Wed, 28 Nov 2018

The NSS has reiterated its call for the disestablishment of the Church of England after a peer raised the subject in the House of Lords. [Read More »](#)

## **CoE spent £40m of public money without proper scrutiny, NSS reveals**

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The government let the C of E spend £40m of taxpayers' money on cathedral repairs without proper scrutiny, NSS research has revealed. [Read More »](#)

## [Bishops' place in Lords must be reviewed, say MPs](#)

Posted: Mon, 19 Nov 2018

A committee of MPs has said the number of bishops in the House of Lords should be reviewed as part of proposals for Lords reform. [Read More »](#)

## [Greece takes major step towards disestablishment of Orthodox Church](#)

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Clerics in Greece's Orthodox Church will stop being civil servants, the country's government has announced. [Read More »](#)

## [Most Britons support key secularist principles, says Pew research](#)

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Britons support several key secularist principles but a significant minority are unwelcoming of religious minorities, a study has found. [Read More »](#)

## [Princess removed from line of succession for being Catholic](#)

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The NSS has said a princess's removal from the monarchical line of succession is "a reminder that Britain needs a secular head of state". [Read More »](#)

## [NSS reiterates call for end of Anglican judges' service](#)

Posted: Tue, 02 Oct 2018

The NSS has again written to the justice secretary to call for the end of Anglican services which mark the beginning of the legal year. [Read More »](#)

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