Where did the generosity come from?

Contributions by source

By percentage of the total



Giving by Individuals

† increased 4.9% over 2020

100/0 \$90.88 billion

Giving by Foundations

↑ increased 3.4% over 2020

90 \$46.01 billion

Giving by Bequest

↓ decreased 7.3% over 2020

450/0 \$21.08 billion

Giving by Corporations

↑ increased 23.8% over 2020

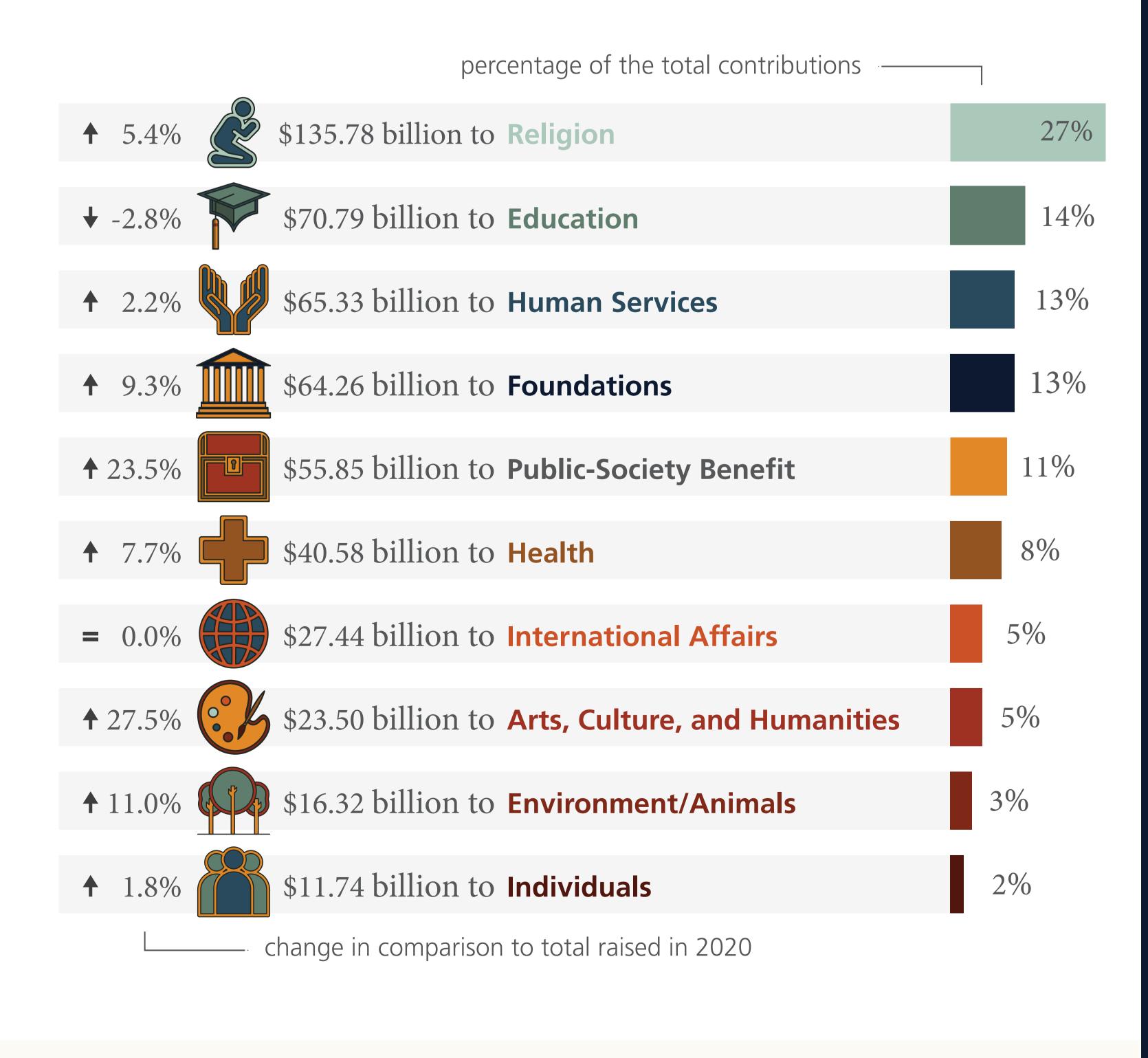
While giving by individuals continues to grow over time, it has fallen below 70% of all giving for the fourth consecutive year.

Giving by foundations
has grown for eleven
consecutive years.

*All figures on this infographic are reported in current dollars unless otherwise noted.

Where did the charitable dollars go?

Contributions by destination



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Donor-advised funds are among the fastest growing forms of giving. Learn more in the new chapter on Donor-Advised Funds.



Giving to public-society benefit organizations increased 23.5% in 2021, and is steadily growing larger as a share of total giving over time.



Several subsectors that struggled in 2020, such as giving to health and arts, culture, and humanities, experienced recoveries in 2021.

