



# Preference Premier<sup>®</sup>

## Variable Annuity - R Class

### Performance Summary as of 08/31/18

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company

Variable Investment Option Performance Update

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**R Class** **Non-Standardized Performance: Without surrender charges applied as of 08/31/2018**

| Asset Class  | Variable Investment Options   | Style  | One Month | YTD     | 1 Year | 3 Year* | 5 Year* | 10 Year or Since Portfolio Inception* | Portfolio Inception Date |            |
|--|---|--|-----------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| <b>Risk Managed</b>  |   |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
| <b>Global Multi-Asset</b>  | AB Global Dynamic Allocation Portfolio - Class B                        |  | 0.39%     | -0.93%  | 2.28%  | 4.64%   | 5.22%   | 4.69%                                 | 04/29/2011               |            |
|  | AQR Global Risk Balanced Portfolio - Class B                            |  | 0.85%     | -0.77%  | 2.23%  | 3.42%   | 1.62%   | 1.79%                                 | 04/29/2011               |            |
|  | BlackRock Global Tactical Strategies Portfolio - Class B                |  | 0.50%     | 0.27%   | 4.11%  | 5.17%   | 5.36%   | 4.17%                                 | 04/29/2011               |            |
|  | Brighthouse Balanced Plus Portfolio - Class B                           |  | 1.66%     | 1.82%   | 7.19%  | 8.30%   | 7.28%   | 6.20%                                 | 04/29/2011               |            |
|  | Invesco Balanced-Risk Allocation Portfolio - Class B                    |  | -0.42%    | -1.67%  | 2.02%  | 5.16%   | 3.47%   | 3.17%                                 | 04/30/2012               |            |
|  | JPMorgan Global Active Allocation Portfolio - Class B                   |  | 0.60%     | -1.61%  | 2.80%  | 5.32%   | 5.56%   | 5.28%                                 | 04/30/2012               |            |
|  | MetLife Multi-Index Targeted Risk Portfolio - Class B                   |  | 1.38%     | 0.63%   | 4.91%  | 5.69%   | 6.18%   | 6.39%                                 | 11/12/2012               |            |
|  | PanAgora Global Diversified Risk Portfolio - Class B                    |  | 0.38%     | -2.80%  | 0.19%  | 5.40%   | -       | 3.29%                                 | 04/28/2014               |            |
|  | Schroders Global Multi-Asset Portfolio - Class B                        |  | 0.57%     | -1.53%  | 2.55%  | 5.07%   | 5.56%   | 5.40%                                 | 04/30/2012               |            |
| <b>Asset Allocation</b>  |   |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
|  | American Funds® Balanced Allocation Portfolio - Class C                 |  | 0.49%     | 3.16%   | 8.29%  | 8.42%   | 7.38%   | 5.89%                                 | 04/28/2008               |            |
|  | American Funds® Growth Allocation Portfolio - Class C                   |  | 0.50%     | 4.59%   | 11.70% | 10.78%  | 9.30%   | 6.79%                                 | 04/28/2008               |            |
|  | American Funds® Moderate Allocation Portfolio - Class C                 |  | 0.41%     | 1.71%   | 5.31%  | 6.37%   | 5.77%   | 4.91%                                 | 04/28/2008               |            |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 20 Portfolio - Class B                     |  | 0.28%     | -0.56%  | 0.72%  | 2.61%   | 2.61%   | 3.62%                                 | 05/02/2005               |            |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 40 Portfolio - Class B                     |  | 0.25%     | 0.59%   | 3.43%  | 4.76%   | 4.37%   | 4.67%                                 | 05/02/2005               |            |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 60 Portfolio - Class B                     |  | 0.47%     | 2.00%   | 6.49%  | 6.95%   | 6.18%   | 5.53%                                 | 05/02/2005               |            |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 80 Portfolio - Class B                     |  | 0.62%     | 3.39%   | 9.64%  | 9.19%   | 7.93%   | 6.30%                                 | 05/02/2005               |            |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 100 Portfolio - Class B                    |  | 0.88%     | 4.58%   | 12.31% | 11.05%  | 9.31%   | 6.71%                                 | 05/02/2005               |            |
|  | SSGA Growth and Income ETF Portfolio - Class B                          |  | 1.00%     | 1.90%   | 6.93%  | 6.77%   | 5.97%   | 5.52%                                 | 09/30/2005               |            |
|  | SSGA Growth ETF Portfolio - Class B                                     |  | 0.89%     | 2.54%   | 9.33%  | 8.61%   | 7.32%   | 6.03%                                 | 09/30/2005               |            |
|  | <b>Domestic Equity (Large Cap)</b>                                      |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
|  |   | American Funds® Growth Portfolio - Class C   | Growth    | 3.33%   | 14.78% | 22.66%  | 17.47%  | 14.94%                                | 9.71%                    | 02/08/1984 |
|  |   | American Funds® Growth-Income Fund - Class 2 | Blend     | 1.42%   | 9.75%  | 18.04%  | 14.22%  | 12.69%                                | 8.79%                    | 02/08/1984 |
| BlackRock Capital Appreciation Portfolio - Class B                   |   | Growth                                       | 4.02%     | 19.48%  | 28.18% | 16.79%  | 15.89%  | 9.69%                                 | 10/31/1994               |            |
| Brighthouse/Wellington Core Equity Opportunities Portfolio - Class B |   | Value  | 1.74%     | 6.91%   | 14.35% | 11.96%  | 10.61%  | 7.22%                                 | 10/31/1994               |            |
| Brighthouse/Wellington Large Cap Research Portfolio - Class B        |   | Blend  | 3.38%     | 9.20%   | 16.18% | 13.30%  | 13.45%  | 8.47%                                 | 06/24/1983               |            |
| ClearBridge Aggressive Growth Portfolio - Class B                    |   | Growth                                       | 1.40%     | 10.14%  | 14.03% | 8.73%   | 10.94%  | 10.33%                                | 02/12/2001               |            |
| Jennison Growth Portfolio - Class B                                  |   | Growth                                       | 5.00%     | 17.67%  | 25.62% | 18.26%  | 16.88%  | 11.69%                                | 05/01/2000               |            |
| MetLife Stock Index Portfolio - Class B                              |   | Blend  | 3.10%     | 8.70%   | 17.67% | 14.17%  | 12.61%  | 9.03%                                 | 05/01/1990               |            |
| MFS® Value Portfolio - Class B                                       |   | Value  | 0.16%     | 0.56%   | 8.14%  | 10.61%  | 10.06%  | 7.79%                                 | 11/09/1998               |            |
| T. Rowe Price Large Cap Growth Portfolio - Class B                   |   | Growth                                       | 3.27%     | 14.29%  | 20.95% | 16.35%  | 16.12%  | 11.52%                                | 11/09/1998               |            |
| <b>Domestic Equity (Mid Cap)</b>                                     |   |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
|  | Brighthouse/Artisan Mid Cap Value Portfolio - Class B                   | Value  | 1.08%     | 3.84%   | 12.03% | 10.19%  | 7.00%   | 6.65%                                 | 04/30/1993               |            |
|  | Frontier Mid Cap Growth Portfolio - Class B                             | Growth                                       | 5.09%     | 10.28%  | 16.26% | 11.41%  | 12.23%  | 7.90%                                 | 04/29/1988               |            |
|  | MetLife Mid Cap Stock Index Portfolio - Class B                         | Blend  | 3.05%     | 7.49%   | 17.96% | 12.94%  | 11.42%  | 9.53%                                 | 07/05/2000               |            |
|  | Morgan Stanley Mid Cap Growth Portfolio - Class B                       | Growth                                       | 13.82%    | 35.40%  | 42.45% | 18.83%  | 12.64%  | 6.60%                                 | 03/03/1997               |            |
|  | T. Rowe Price Mid Cap Growth Portfolio - Class B                        | Growth                                       | 3.38%     | 11.66%  | 18.43% | 13.58%  | 13.92%  | 11.53%                                | 02/12/2001               |            |
| Victory Sycamore Mid Cap Value Portfolio - Class B                   | Value   | 1.25%  | 5.89%     | 16.51%  | 6.97%  | 7.31%   | 6.22%   | 11/09/1998                            |                          |            |
| <b>Domestic Equity (Small Cap)</b>                                   |   |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
|  | Invesco Small Cap Growth Portfolio - Class B                            | Growth                                       | 6.24%     | 15.94%  | 28.22% | 14.84%  | 13.64%  | 10.91%                                | 10/09/2001               |            |
|  | JPMorgan Small Cap Value Portfolio - Class B                            | Value  | 1.91%     | 8.15%   | 16.35% | 12.31%  | 9.02%   | 7.15%                                 | 05/02/2005               |            |
|  | Loomis Sayles Small Cap Core Portfolio - Class B                        | Blend  | 4.66%     | 11.59%  | 21.93% | 13.89%  | 11.09%  | 9.87%                                 | 05/02/1994               |            |
|  | MetLife Russell 2000® Index Portfolio - Class B                         | Blend  | 4.22%     | 13.22%  | 23.61% | 14.48%  | 11.46%  | 8.87%                                 | 11/09/1998               |            |
|  | Neuberger Berman Genesis Portfolio - Class B                            | Value  | 5.59%     | 12.13%  | 25.01% | 14.47%  | 11.09%  | 7.15%                                 | 07/05/2000               |            |
|  | T. Rowe Price Small Cap Growth Portfolio - Class B                      | Growth                                       | 5.92%     | 15.62%  | 26.51% | 15.34%  | 13.83%  | 12.33%                                | 03/03/1997               |            |
| <b>Balanced</b>  |   |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
|  | MFS® Total Return Portfolio - Class B                                   |  | 0.66%     | 0.45%   | 4.82%  | 6.54%   | 6.49%   | 5.59%                                 | 04/30/1987               |            |
| <b>International Equity</b>  |   |  |           |         |        |         |         |                                       |                          |            |
|  | American Funds® Global Small Capitalization Fund - Class 2              |  | 2.58%     | 6.39%   | 14.31% | 8.12%   | 8.18%   | 5.79%                                 | 04/30/1998               |            |
|  | Baillie Gifford International Stock Portfolio - Class B                 |  | -1.42%    | -3.76%  | 2.95%  | 10.62%  | 6.74%   | 1.51%                                 | 05/01/1991               |            |
|  | Brighthouse/Aberdeen Emerging Markets Equity Portfolio - Class B        |  | -2.95%    | -10.98% | -8.25% | 7.14%   | 0.97%   | 0.23%                                 | 04/28/2006               |            |
|  | Brighthouse/Dimensional International Small Company Portfolio - Class B |  | -1.80%    | -4.77%  | 1.97%  | 9.23%   | 7.34%   | 10.24%                                | 10/30/2008               |            |
|  | Harris Oakmark International Portfolio - Class B                        |  | -5.08%    | -10.41% | -4.90% | 6.39%   | 4.02%   | 6.59%                                 | 10/09/2001               |            |
|  | Loomis Sayles Global Markets Portfolio - Class B                        |  | 0.71%     | 4.66%   | 11.25% | 9.16%   | 8.33%   | 7.68%                                 | 04/28/2006               |            |

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|---------------------|--|---------------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|---------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
|                     | MetLife MSCI EAFE® Index Portfolio - Class B                                   |               | -2.05%    | -3.02%  | 2.66%  | 5.48%   | 4.08%   | 2.07%                       | 11/09/1998               |
|                     | MFS® Research International Portfolio - Class B                                |               | -1.77%    | -1.11%  | 5.69%  | 6.14%   | 4.08%   | 2.65%                       | 02/12/2001               |
|                     | Oppenheimer Global Equity Portfolio - Class B                                  |               | 0.43%     | 4.40%   | 14.24% | 11.68%  | 10.72%  | 8.00%                       | 03/03/1997               |
| <b>Fixed Income</b> | BlackRock Bond Income Portfolio - Class B                                      | Interm.       | 0.45%     | -1.69%  | -2.27% | 0.65%   | 1.60%   | 2.71%                       | 08/26/1983               |
|                     | BlackRock Ultra-Short Term Bond Portfolio - Class B                            | Ultrashort    | 0.05%     | 0.16%   | 0.00%  | -0.61%  | -0.84%  | -0.91%                      | 08/26/1983               |
|                     | Brighthouse/Eaton Vance Floating Rate Portfolio - Class B                      | Bank Loan     | 0.39%     | 2.53%   | 3.54%  | 3.32%   | 2.24%   | 2.65%                       | 04/30/2010               |
|                     | Brighthouse/Franklin Low Duration Total Return Portfolio - Class B             | Short         | 0.22%     | -0.14%  | -0.53% | 0.30%   | 0.14%   | 0.12%                       | 04/29/2011               |
|                     | Brighthouse/Templeton International Bond Portfolio - Class B                   | World         | -3.16%    | -2.28%  | -3.15% | -1.21%  | -1.04%  | 2.35%                       | 04/30/2009               |
|                     | Fidelity Institutional Asset Management® Government Income Portfolio - Class B | Interm.Gov.   | 0.70%     | -2.11%  | -3.13% | -0.40%  | 0.89%   | 1.13%                       | 04/29/2011               |
|                     | JPMorgan Core Bond Portfolio - Class B   | Interm.       | 0.61%     | -1.76%  | -2.43% | 0.22%   | 0.93%   | 1.47%                       | 04/30/1997               |
|                     | MetLife Aggregate Bond Index Portfolio - Class B                               | Interm.       | 0.49%     | -2.00%  | -2.66% | 0.09%   | 0.78%   | 1.96%                       | 11/09/1998               |
|                     | PIMCO Inflation Protected Bond Portfolio - Class B                             | Inftn Protctd | 0.42%     | -1.03%  | -0.71% | 0.78%   | 0.28%   | 1.77%                       | 05/01/2003               |
|                     | PIMCO Total Return Portfolio - Class B   | Interm.       | 0.53%     | -1.46%  | -2.18% | 0.74%   | 1.22%   | 3.33%                       | 02/12/2001               |
|                     | Western Asset Management Strategic Bond Opportunities Portfolio - Class B      | Multisector   | -0.57%    | -3.27%  | -2.58% | 2.52%   | 2.63%   | 4.99%                       | 10/31/1994               |
|                     | Western Asset Management U.S. Government Portfolio - Class B                   | Interm. Gov.  | 0.34%     | -1.23%  | -2.04% | -0.52%  | -0.05%  | 1.02%                       | 10/31/1994               |
| <b>Specialty</b>    | Clarion Global Real Estate Portfolio - Class B                                 |               | 0.33%     | -1.88%  | 1.76%  | 3.91%   | 4.38%   | 3.32%                       | 04/30/2004               |
|                     | VanEck Global Natural Resources Portfolio - Class B                            |               | -7.62%    | -10.15% | 3.52%  | 1.11%   | -6.40%  | 1.46%                       | 10/30/2008               |

- Return Not Available

†Pro-rated based on an average contract size; not applicable for contracts with account values greater than \$50,000.

\*Annualized for Investment Options/Portfolios in existence for more than one year.

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Some of the investment options may not be available under the terms of your contract or with certain optional benefits. See the product prospectus for more information.

Certain investment options may have adopted, with respect to certain classes, a distribution plan under Rule 12b-1 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. MetLife is paid the 12b-1 fee under the plan. Please see the prospectus for more information.

A MetLife investment option may have a name and/or investment objective similar to that of another mutual fund with the same manager. Despite any similarity, the MetLife option is separate and distinct and will not have the same performance. Different performance will result from different investment policies, cash flows, fees, expenses and fund asset sizes.

The performance shown may reflect, for some periods described, the management of previous investment managers. Please see the prospectus for more information.

A fee waiver or expense limit may be or have been in place for any of the investment options. The reduced expenses that may result from this waiver or limit may increase performance results. Please see the prospectus for more information.

Prior to March 6, 2017, Brighthouse Funds Trust I was known as Met Investors Series Trust and Brighthouse Funds Trust II was known as Metropolitan Series Fund.

Morgan Stanley sponsors the MSCI EAFE® Index, Barclays sponsors the Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Bond Index, Standard & Poor's sponsors the S&P 500® Index and the S&P Mid Cap 400 Index and Frank Russell Company sponsors the Russell 2000® Index (together referred to as "index sponsors"). Direct investment in the indexes is not possible. The index sponsors do not sponsor, endorse, sell or promote any of the portfolios or make any representation regarding the advisability of investing in the portfolios. The index sponsors have no responsibility for and do not participate in the management of the portfolio assets or sale of the portfolio shares. Each index and its associated service marks are the exclusive property of the respective index sponsors, and references thereto have been made with permission. The Metropolitan Series Fund, Inc. Statement of Additional Information contains a more detailed description of the limited relationship the index sponsors have with MetLife and the Fund.

Prior to the opening of business on May 3, 2004, the FI Mid Cap Opportunities Portfolio was merged into the Janus Mid Cap Portfolio and Fidelity Management & Research Company became sub-investment manager for the Portfolio which changed its name to FI Mid Cap Opportunities Portfolio. The investment division with the name FI Mid Cap Opportunities on April 30, 2004 ceased to exist. Effective May 3, 2010, the following investment portfolio merged: FI Mid Cap Opportunities Portfolio into Morgan Stanley Mid Cap Growth Portfolio (formerly, Van Kampen Mid-Cap Growth Portfolio). Performance for the Morgan Stanley Mid Cap Growth Portfolio (formerly, Van Kampen Mid-Cap Growth Portfolio) consists of the performance for the FI Mid Cap Opportunities Portfolio before and on April 30, 2010 and the Morgan Stanley Mid Cap Growth Portfolio after April 30, 2010.

On or about April 30, 2007, the BlackRock Large Cap Portfolio of the Metropolitan Series Fund, Inc. merged into the BlackRock Large Cap Core Portfolio (currently known as Met/Wellington Large Cap Research Portfolio) of the Met Investors Series Trust. Values prior to April 30, 2007 reflect the performance of the BlackRock Large Cap Portfolio (formerly the BlackRock Investment Trust Portfolio).

Effective April 28, 2008, the MFS® Value Portfolio of the Met Investors Series Trust (MIST) merged with and into the MFS® Value Portfolio of the Metropolitan Series Fund, Inc. (MSF). Values before April 28, 2008 reflect the performance of the MSF MFS® Value Portfolio (formerly Harris Oakmark Large Cap Value Portfolio) since its inception on November 9, 1998. (Note that because the MIST MFS® Value Portfolio is deemed to be the "accounting" survivor of the merger, the performance history set forth in the Portfolio's April 28, 2008 prospectus is that of the MIST MFS® Value Portfolio.)

This portfolio invests in a "feeder fund" that does not buy investment securities directly but instead invests in shares of a corresponding American Fund "master" fund, which in turn purchases investment securities. The performance of the feeder fund reflects the performance of the underlying master fund from the inception date for the underlying master fund, (American Funds Growth Fund - 2/8/84), however it also reflects the additional 0.55% 12b-1 fee assessed against the feeder fund. Therefore the return of the feeder fund is lower than that of the master fund. The inception date for the feeder funds was 4/28/2008.

As of May 2, 2011, the following portfolio merger took effect: MetLife Aggressive Allocation Portfolio into MetLife Aggressive Strategy Portfolio (currently known as MetLife Asset Allocation 100 Portfolio). Performance for the MetLife Aggressive Strategy Portfolio consists of the performance of the MetLife Aggressive Allocation Portfolio before and on April 29, 2011 and the MetLife Aggressive Strategy Portfolio after April 29, 2011.

Effective April 30, 2012, the Lord Abbett Mid Cap Value Portfolio of the Metropolitan Series Fund merged into the Lord Abbett Mid Cap Value Portfolio of the Met Investors Series Trust (currently known as Invesco Mid Cap Value Portfolio). Values before April 30, 2012 reflect the performance of the Lord Abbett Mid Cap Value Portfolio of the Metropolitan Series Fund.

Effective January 7, 2013, J.P. Morgan Investment Management Inc. replaced Capital Research and Management Company, as the subadvisor to the JP Morgan Core Bond Portfolio, which was previously known as American Funds® Bond Portfolio. In connection with this change, Class C shares of the Portfolio were converted to Class B shares. As a result values on or before January 7, 2013 reflect the performance of American Funds® Bond Portfolio - Class C.

Prior to the opening of business on April 29, 2013, the Oppenheimer Global Equity Portfolio of the Metropolitan Series Fund (MSF) merged with and into the Met/Templeton Growth Portfolio of Met Investors Series Trust (MIST) and the Met/Templeton Growth Portfolio was renamed the MIST Oppenheimer Global Equity Portfolio. Values before April 29, 2013 reflect the performance of the Oppenheimer Global Equity Portfolio of the Metropolitan Series Fund.

Effective on or about September 1, 2017, Massachusetts Financial Services replaced BlackRock Advisors, LLC as the subadvisor to the MFS Value Portfolio II, which was previously known as BlackRock Large Cap Value Portfolio.

Effective on or about December 15, 2017, Schroder Investment Management North American Inc. replaced FIAM LLC as subadvisor to the Schroder Global Multi-Asset Portfolio II, which was previously known as Pyramis Managed Risk Portfolio.

Effective on or about December 15, 2017, Victory Capital Management, Inc. replaced Invesco Advisors Inc. as subadvisor to the Victory Sycamore Mid Cap Value Portfolio, which was previously known as Invesco Mid Cap Value Portfolio.

Effective April 30, 2018, the Allianz Global Dynamic Multi-Asset Plus Portfolio of the BrightHouse Funds Trust I merged into the JPMorgan Global Active Allocation Portfolio of the BrightHouse Funds Trust I.

Effective April 30, 2018, the MFS® Value Portfolio II (formerly known as BlackRock Large Cap Value Portfolio) of the BrightHouse Funds Trust II merged into the MFS® Value Portfolio of the BrightHouse Funds Trust II.

Effective April 30, 2018, the Schroders Global Multi-Asset Portfolio II (formerly known as Pyramis® Managed Risk Portfolio) of the BrightHouse Funds Trust I merged into the Schroders Global Multi-Asset Portfolio of the BrightHouse Funds Trust I.

### **Investment Performance Is Not Guaranteed.**

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| R Class | Average Annual Total Return<br>as of 08/31/2018<br>Assuming Contract Surrender | Standardized as of 06/30/2018<br>Assuming Contract Surrender |
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| Asset Class                            | Variable Investment Options                         | 1 Year  | 5 Year* | 10 Year or<br>Since Portfolio<br>Inception* | 1 Year  | 5 Year* | 10 Year or<br>Since<br>Investment<br>Division<br>Inception* | Portfolio<br>Inception<br>Date | Investment<br>Division<br>Inception<br>Date |
|--|---|---------|---------|---|---------|---------|---|--------------------------------|---|
| <b>Risk Managed Global Multi-Asset</b> |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | AB Global Dynamic Allocation                        | -7.52%  | 2.32%   | 2.39%                                       | -7.06%  | 2.08%   | 2.27%   | 04/29/2011                     | 05/02/2011                                  |
|  | AQR Global Risk Balanced                            | -7.56%  | -1.64%  | -0.80%                                      | -3.95%  | -1.67%  | -0.79%  | 04/29/2011                     | 05/02/2011                                  |
|  | BlackRock Global Tactical Strategies                | -5.68%  | 2.44%   | 1.78%                                       | -5.64%  | 2.07%   | 1.65%   | 04/29/2011                     | 05/02/2011                                  |
|  | Brighthouse Balanced Plus                           | -2.61%  | 4.42%   | 3.93%                                       | -3.68%  | 3.79%   | 3.59%   | 04/29/2011                     | 05/02/2011                                  |
|  | Invesco Balanced-Risk Allocation                    | -7.77%  | 0.47%   | 0.57%                                       | -3.55%  | 1.29%   | 0.79%   | 04/30/2012                     | 04/30/2012                                  |
|  | JPMorgan Global Active Allocation                   | -6.99%  | 2.66%   | 2.81%                                       | -6.17%  | 2.31%   | 2.59%   | 04/30/2012                     | 04/30/2012                                  |
|  | MetLife Multi-Index Targeted Risk                   | -4.88%  | 3.30%   | 3.79%                                       | -5.98%  | 2.71%   | 3.38%   | 11/12/2012                     | 11/12/2012                                  |
|  | PanAgora Global Diversified Risk                    | -9.60%  | -       | 0.15%                                       | -6.10%  | -       | 0.26%   | 04/28/2014                     | 04/28/2014                                  |
|  | Schroders Global Multi-Asset                        | -7.25%  | 2.65%   | 2.92%                                       | -7.56%  | 2.21%   | 2.70%   | 04/30/2012                     | 04/30/2012                                  |
| <b>Asset Allocation</b>                |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | American Funds® Balanced Allocation                 | -1.52%  | 4.54%   | 3.62%                                       | -1.35%  | 4.48%   | 3.05%   | 04/28/2008                     | 04/28/2008                                  |
|  | American Funds® Growth Allocation                   | 1.87%   | 6.52%   | 4.47%                                       | 1.68%   | 6.48%   | 3.74%   | 04/28/2008                     | 04/28/2008                                  |
|  | American Funds® Moderate Allocation                 | -4.48%  | 2.88%   | 2.61%                                       | -4.48%  | 2.76%   | 2.20%   | 04/28/2008                     | 04/28/2008                                  |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 20                     | -9.07%  | -0.40%  | 1.37%                                       | -8.80%  | -0.58%  | 1.17%   | 05/02/2005                     | 05/02/2005                                  |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 40                     | -6.36%  | 1.42%   | 2.44%                                       | -6.46%  | 1.27%   | 2.15%   | 05/02/2005                     | 05/02/2005                                  |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 60                     | -3.31%  | 3.29%   | 3.27%                                       | -3.70%  | 3.19%   | 2.87%   | 05/02/2005                     | 05/02/2005                                  |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 80                     | -0.17%  | 5.09%   | 4.00%                                       | -0.77%  | 5.00%   | 3.47%   | 05/02/2005                     | 05/02/2005                                  |
|  | Brighthouse Asset Allocation 100                    | 2.48%   | 6.50%   | 4.33%                                       | 1.69%   | 6.47%   | 3.70%   | 05/02/2005                     | 05/02/2005                                  |
|  | SSGA Growth and Income ETF                          | -2.87%  | 3.06%   | 3.32%                                       | -3.67%  | 2.69%   | 2.88%   | 09/30/2005                     | 05/01/2006                                  |
|  | SSGA Growth ETF                                     | -0.48%  | 4.44%   | 3.77%                                       | -1.60%  | 4.08%   | 3.19%   | 09/30/2005                     | 05/01/2006                                  |
| <b>Domestic Equity (Large Cap)</b>     |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | American Funds® Growth                              | 12.77%  | 12.33%  | 7.41%                                       | 10.80%  | 11.79%  | 6.08%   | 02/08/1984                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | American Funds® Growth-Income                       | 8.18%   | 10.01%  | 6.50%                                       | 7.14%   | 9.99%   | 6.00%   | 02/08/1984                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | BlackRock Capital Appreciation                      | 18.25%  | 13.31%  | 7.39%                                       | 18.51%  | 12.77%  | 6.54%   | 10/31/1994                     | 08/05/2002                                  |
|  | Brighthouse/Wellington Core Equity Opportunities    | 4.51%   | 7.93%   | 4.85%                                       | -1.08%  | 7.01%   | 4.07%   | 10/31/1994                     | 07/05/2000                                  |
|  | Brighthouse/Wellington Large Cap Research           | 6.32%   | 10.84%  | 6.10%                                       | 1.04%   | 9.97%   | 5.19%   | 06/24/1983                     | 07/02/1990                                  |
|  | ClearBridge Aggressive Growth                       | 4.19%   | 8.10%   | 8.04%                                       | 2.77%   | 7.72%   | 7.53%   | 02/12/2001                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | Jennison Growth                                     | 15.71%  | 14.30%  | 9.50%                                       | 17.70%  | 14.21%  | 8.56%   | 05/01/2000                     | 07/05/2001                                  |
|  | MetLife Stock Index                                 | 7.81%   | 9.95%   | 6.76%                                       | 2.63%   | 8.87%   | 6.07%   | 05/01/1990                     | 07/02/1990                                  |
|  | MFS® Value  | -1.66%  | 7.37%   | 5.52%                                       | -7.27%  | 6.63%   | 5.04%   | 11/09/1998                     | 11/09/1998                                  |
|  | T. Rowe Price Large Cap Growth                      | 11.07%  | 13.54%  | 9.31%                                       | 11.28%  | 13.45%  | 8.37%   | 11/09/1998                     | 11/09/1998                                  |
| <b>Domestic Equity (Mid Cap)</b>       |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | Brighthouse/Artisan Mid Cap Value Portfolio         | 2.20%   | 4.05%   | 4.29%                                       | -1.73%  | 4.08%   | 4.28%   | 04/30/1993                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | Frontier Mid Cap Growth                             | 6.40%   | 9.59%   | 5.52%                                       | 1.88%   | 9.00%   | 4.13%   | 04/29/1988                     | 07/02/1990                                  |
|  | MetLife Mid Cap Stock Index                         | 8.10%   | 8.72%   | 7.33%                                       | 1.75%   | 8.12%   | 6.75%   | 07/05/2000                     | 07/05/2000                                  |
|  | Morgan Stanley Mid Cap Growth                       | 32.44%  | 9.79%   | 3.67%                                       | 22.72%  | 8.55%   | 1.31%   | 03/03/1997                     | 03/03/1997                                  |
|  | T. Rowe Price Mid Cap Growth                        | 8.56%   | 11.33%  | 9.40%                                       | 2.91%   | 10.76%  | 8.34%   | 02/12/2001                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | Victory Sycamore Mid Cap Value                      | 6.65%   | 4.36%   | 3.84%                                       | -2.21%  | 3.64%   | 2.63%   | 11/09/1998                     | 11/09/1998                                  |
| <b>Domestic Equity (Small Cap)</b>     |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | Invesco Small Cap Growth                            | 18.29%  | 11.00%  | 8.68%                                       | 12.52%  | 10.53%  | 8.36%   | 10/09/2001                     | 05/01/2002                                  |
|  | JPMorgan Small Cap Value                            | 6.50%   | 6.22%   | 4.86%                                       | 0.73%   | 5.99%   | 8.65%   | 05/02/2005                     | 11/10/2008                                  |
|  | Loomis Sayles Small Cap Core                        | 12.04%  | 8.40%   | 7.65%                                       | 4.77%   | 7.81%   | 7.47%   | 05/02/1994                     | 07/05/2000                                  |
|  | MetLife Russell 2000® Index                         | 13.71%  | 8.75%   | 6.57%                                       | 5.98%   | 8.16%   | 6.75%   | 11/09/1998                     | 11/09/1998                                  |
|  | Neuberger Berman Genesis                            | 15.10%  | 8.41%   | 4.55%                                       | 3.62%   | 7.67%   | 4.28%   | 07/05/2000                     | 07/05/2000                                  |
|  | T. Rowe Price Small Cap Growth                      | 16.60%  | 11.21%  | 10.16%                                      | 7.72%   | 10.80%  | 9.40%   | 03/03/1997                     | 03/03/1997                                  |
| <b>Balanced</b>                        |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | MFS® Total Return                                   | -4.98%  | 3.65%   | 3.35%                                       | -7.72%  | 3.11%   | 3.05%   | 04/30/1987                     | 08/05/2002                                  |
| <b>International Equity</b>            |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | American Funds® Global Small Capitalization         | 4.47%   | 5.34%   | 3.38%                                       | 5.18%   | 5.64%   | 1.60%   | 04/30/1998                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | Baillie Gifford International Stock                 | -6.84%  | 3.83%   | -1.74%                                      | -2.45%  | 4.37%   | -3.28%  | 05/01/1991                     | 07/01/1991                                  |
|  | Brighthouse/Aberdeen Emerging Markets Equity        | -17.38% | -2.33%  | -2.65%                                      | -13.54% | -2.71%  | 3.00%   | 04/28/2006                     | 11/10/2008                                  |
|  | Brighthouse/Dimensional International Small Company | -7.83%  | 4.46%   | 8.06%                                       | -2.59%  | 5.94%   | 8.31%   | 10/30/2008                     | 11/10/2008                                  |
|  | Harris Oakmark International                        | -14.30% | 1.00%   | 4.41%                                       | -7.94%  | 2.64%   | 4.81%   | 10/09/2001                     | 05/01/2002                                  |
|  | Loomis Sayles Global Markets                        | 1.43%   | 5.53%   | 5.57%                                       | 1.32%   | 5.45%   | 9.60%   | 04/28/2006                     | 11/10/2008                                  |
|  | MetLife MSCI EAFE® Index                            | -7.14%  | 0.99%   | -0.80%                                      | -5.00%  | 1.58%   | -1.95%  | 11/09/1998                     | 11/09/1998                                  |
|  | MFS® Research International                         | -4.11%  | 0.99%   | -0.11%                                      | -2.76%  | 1.31%   | -1.46%  | 02/12/2001                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|  | Oppenheimer Global Equity                           | 4.39%   | 7.98%   | 5.76%                                       | 4.85%   | 7.71%   | 5.25%   | 03/03/1997                     | 03/03/1997                                  |
| <b>Fixed Income</b>                    |   |         |         |   |         |         |   |                                |   |
|  | BlackRock Bond Income                               | -11.88% | -1.43%  | 0.42%                                       | -11.23% | -1.62%  | 0.25%   | 08/26/1983                     | 07/02/1990                                  |
|  | BlackRock Ultra-Short Term Bond                     | -9.79%  | -4.04%  | -3.91%                                      | -9.93%  | -4.09%  | -3.89%  | 08/26/1983                     | 12/31/1985                                  |
|  | Brighthouse/Eaton Vance Floating Rate               | -6.25%  | -0.85%  | 0.21%                                       | -6.85%  | -0.93%  | 0.16%   | 04/30/2010                     | 05/03/2010                                  |

| Asset Class      | Variable Investment Options                                | 1 Year  | 5 Year* | 10 Year or<br>Since Portfolio<br>Inception* | 1 Year  | 5 Year* | 10 Year or                           | Portfolio<br>Inception<br>Date | Investment<br>Division<br>Inception<br>Date |
|------------------|--|---------|---------|---|---------|---------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
|                  |  |         |         |   |         |         | Investment<br>Division<br>Inception* |                                |   |
|                  | Brighthouse/Franklin Low Duration Total Return             | -10.28% | -3.01%  | -2.61%                                      | -10.57% | -3.09%  | -2.62%                               | 04/29/2011                     | 05/02/2011                                  |
|                  | Brighthouse/Templeton International                        | -12.69% | -4.23%  | -0.06%                                      | -12.95% | -4.44%  | 0.06%                                | 04/30/2009                     | 05/01/2009                                  |
|                  | Fidelity Institutional Asset Management® Government Income | -12.68% | -2.15%  | -1.46%                                      | -11.75% | -2.43%  | -1.44%                               | 04/29/2011                     | 05/02/2011                                  |
|                  | JPMorgan Core Bond   | -12.02% | -2.14%  | -1.02%                                      | -11.34% | -2.44%  | -1.29%                               | 04/30/1997                     | 05/01/2006                                  |
|                  | MetLife Aggregate Bond Index Portfolio                     | -12.24% | -2.28%  | -0.43%                                      | -11.66% | -2.50%  | -0.38%                               | 11/09/1998                     | 11/09/1998                                  |
|                  | PIMCO Inflation Protected Bond                             | -10.45% | -2.84%  | -0.63%                                      | -9.27%  | -3.08%  | -0.65%                               | 05/01/2003                     | 05/01/2006                                  |
|                  | PIMCO Total Return   | -11.80% | -1.85%  | 0.97%                                       | -10.93% | -2.14%  | 1.06%                                | 02/12/2001                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|                  | Western Asset Management Strategic Bond Opportunities      | -12.17% | -0.39%  | 2.81%                                       | -11.33% | -0.62%  | 2.64%                                | 10/31/1994                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
|                  | Western Asset Management U.S. Government                   | -11.67% | -3.17%  | -1.51%                                      | -11.21% | -3.34%  | -1.63%                               | 10/31/1994                     | 05/01/2001                                  |
| <b>Specialty</b> | Clarion Global Real Estate                                 | -8.03%  | 1.38%   | 0.82%                                       | -6.92%  | 0.45%   | 0.60%                                | 04/30/2004                     | 05/01/2004                                  |
|                  | VanEck Global Natural Resources                            | -6.27%  | -10.36% | -1.52%                                      | 6.01%   | -7.25%  | -1.98%                               | 10/30/2008                     | 05/01/2009                                  |

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