

Christ Community Church Membership Covenant

With the guiding help of the Holy Spirit, I covenant to the following...

1. I am a Christian who has been saved from my sins by the grace of Jesus Christ. (Romans 3: 21-26, Ephesians 2: 1-10, 2 Corinthians 5:21)
2. I have been, or intent to be baptized to give testimony of my identification with the body of Christ and obedience to the Scriptures. (Matthew 28: 19, Acts 2:41, 8:12)
3. I have read the Doctrinal Statement of Faith and can joyfully affirm my agreement with the church's core doctrinal beliefs.
4. I have read the Teaching Statement of Faith and understand the church's theological, philosophical, and cultural distinctives.
5. I will endeavor to be diligent to preserve unity and peace doctrinally and relationally. (Ephesians 4:3, Romans 12:9-21)
6. I will endeavor to maintain a close relationship with the Lord through regular personal Bible reading, prayer, fighting my sin through the power of the Holy Spirit, fellowship with the saints, and practice of spiritual disciplines. (Psalm 1, Psalm 119, 2 Timothy 3:16-17, 1 Thess. 5:16-18, Romans 6:11-14)
7. My journey in Christ will be evident through regular participation in Sunday worship services and consistent involvement in ministries designed to build relational community in the church (Hebrews 10: 24-25, Acts 2:42-47)
8. I will regularly, joyfully, and sacrificially give financially to support the church's needs and her gospel mission. (2 Corinthians 9:6-11, Malachi 3:10, Galatians 6: 6-10)
9. I will commit to giving my time and talents to serve in my church regularly. (1 Peter 4:10, Acts 20:35, Mark 10:45)
10. I will commit to living on mission, demonstrating and proclaiming the gospel to the lost world around me. (1 John 3:18, Romans 1:16, Matthew 28:16-20)
11. If married, I will commit to love, cherish and stay faithful to my spouse. If a parent, I will seek to raise my children in the teaching and instruction of the Lord and encourage their participation in the body of Christ. If single, I will seek to honor God in my singleness and utilize my time and effort for God's kingdom. (Ephesians 5: 22-33, Ephesians 6:4, 1 Cor. 7:7-9)
12. I will follow the biblical principles of church discipline and submit myself to discipline if the need should ever arise. (Matthew 18: 15-17, Galatians 6:1-5)
13. I will submit to the authority of Scripture as the final arbiter on all issues. (2 Tim.3:16-17)
14. If at any time or reason I can no longer commit to membership at C3, I will notify the church leadership before leaving and seek to join a faithful gospel-believing church.

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____