



CHRIST FAMILY CHURCH MEMBERSHIP COVENANT

"Having, as we trust, been brought by Divine Grace to repent and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and to give up ourselves to Him, and having been baptized upon our profession of faith, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we do now, relying on His gracious aid, solemnly and joyfully enter in to this covenant with each other.

We will, individually and mutually, pursue Christian maturity in the Lord Jesus Christ through regular Bible reading, prayer, fellowship and practice of other spiritual disciplines.

We will work and pray for the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace, and we will submit to the leadership of the church, and to the authority of the Scriptures as the final arbiter on all issues.

We will walk together in brotherly love, as becomes the members of a Christian church; exercise an affectionate care and watchfulness over each other and faithfully admonish and entreat one another as occasion may require.

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together nor neglect to pray for others and ourselves, therefore; we will regularly participate in the life of CFC by participating in congregational meetings, engaging in a community group and small group discipleship, and serving those within and outside of this church.

We will endeavor to bring up such as may at anytime be under our care, in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, and, by a pure and loving example, to seek the salvation of our family and friends.

We will rejoice at each other's happiness and endeavor, with tenderness and sympathy, to bear each other's burdens and sorrows.

We will seek to live carefully in the world, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, and to walk in holiness in all areas of life as an act of worship to Jesus Christ.

As an individual, I will practice complete chastity unless married and, if married, complete fidelity within heterosexual and monogamous marriage. Complete chastity and fidelity means, among other things, that regardless of my marital status, I will pursue purity and abstain from sexually immoral practices such as adultery, homosexuality, premarital sex and pornography.

As an individual, when I sin; I will confess my sin to God and to fellow believers, repent, and when needed, will seek help/counsel from the church.

We will work together for the continuance of a faithful evangelical ministry in this church, as we sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline, and doctrines.

We will contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We will protect Christ Family Church and, by association, the Gospel of Jesus Christ; by giving due attention in the admittance of new members by examining them for signs of a true work of grace in their lives, and bringing any concerns of a lack thereof to the Elders of CFC.

We will, when we move from this place, as soon as possible unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all. Amen."

Name of Covenant Member: _____

I affirm the Christ Family Church Statement of Faith of 2016.

I desire to be a member of Christ Family Church Oakwood

I affirm the Christ Family Church Membership Covenant and accept the responsibilities therein and will fulfill them by the Lord's grace, for His name's sake, and for the good of His Church:

Member's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Witnessing Elder's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____



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