

Christ Supremacy Church Covenant

Having come together as the body of Christ, we make a covenant of being joined together in one spirit, mind, and heart of serving Christ with love for each other in agreement with the following statements:

1. Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive Jesus Christ as the Lord, Savior, and supreme Treasure of our lives, and, on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another as one body in Christ.
2. We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love, to strive for the advancement of this Church in knowledge, holiness and peace; to promote its spirituality and fruitfulness; to sustain its worship, ordinances, and discipline; to welcome, and test biblically, instruction from the Scriptures by the elders of the church, seeking to grow toward Biblical unity in the truth.
3. We also engage to maintain family and personal devotions; to educate our children in the Christian faith; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment, to avoid all gossiping, backbiting and excessive anger; to seek God's help in abstaining from all drugs, food, drink, and practices which bring unwarranted harm to the body or jeopardize our own or another's faith.
4. We agree to be active in ministry work. This means that we will give ourselves, our time, effort, minds, hearts and spirit, by the grace of God, to participate in the work of displaying supremacy of Christ in our lives and through church ministries.
5. We agree to contribute cheerfully and regularly offerings and a minimum ten per cent of our incomes as a voluntary amount given generously with sincerity for the support of the ministry, the expenses of the Church, the relief of the needy, and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.
6. We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember one another in prayer; to aid one another in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Saviour to secure fellowship without delay.
7. We acknowledge that we will be participating in the spirit and not the letter of this covenant and that the Spirit of God will be guiding us throughout our course of living together as the body of Christ and multiplying the church.