

Cornerstone Membership Covenant

We believe that we can accomplish much more when we partner together, so this isn't something we take lightly. Membership at Cornerstone means you are becoming part of our spiritual family — joining us on the most important and exciting journey you will ever take.

As a member, you're making three commitments:

Commitment to God. You're affirming that you are indeed a Christian who desires to follow Jesus, and you've been baptized to publicly show your allegiance to Him.

Commitment to the mission and vision of Cornerstone. You understand that we are called to make disciples, and that it starts with you. Our responsibility as a church is to equip you and partner with you. You should familiarize yourself with our experience, equip, engage strategy. We encourage you to serve and support the church.

Commitment to growing in your faith. No matter how long you've been a Christian, there are still steps you can take to become more like Christ. As a member, you're acknowledging that you're taking an active role in the discipleship process through participation in a LifeGroup, through relationships with other believers, and through personal, spiritual disciplines.

Our Membership Process

Complete the membership class (check out our Upcoming Events page on our website for the next class. We typically offer the membership class every other month)

Submit a signed membership form, affirming that you have been saved, that you have been baptized as a believer, and that you agree to abide by our membership covenant (Please see the membership covenant on reverse side).

You will be assigned one of the elders that will be there to help provide care and support for your family. That elder will contact you soon to follow up and answer any questions you might have.

You will receive an email with instructions on entering the rest of your contact information; subsequently your name(s) will be added to the church directory.

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The Elders of Cornerstone covenant with our members:

To have elders that meet the qualifications as described in the Scriptures.

To continually and prayerfully seek God's guidance for Cornerstone, and to steward the resources entrusted to the church to the best of our abilities.

To care for the church and to seek her growth in grace, truth, and love.

To provide teaching and counsel from the entirety of Scripture.

To equip the members of the church for the work of ministry.

To be on guard against false teachers and false teachings.

To lovingly exercise church discipline when necessary, for the glory of God, for the good of the one disciplined, and for the health of the church as a whole.

To set an example by joining the members in fulfilling the obligations of church membership stated below.

The Members of Cornerstone covenant:

1. I will protect the unity of my church.

by acting in love toward other members

by refusing to gossip

by living my life under the Lordship of Jesus Christ

By submitting myself to the leadership of the church

2. I will share the responsibility of my church.

by praying for its ministry, its leaders, and its members

by making personal evangelism & discipleship a priority

by warmly welcoming those who visit

3. I will serve the ministry of my church.

by pursuing ongoing spiritual growth

by discovering my gifts and talents

by being equipped to serve

by developing a servant's heart

4. I will support the testimony of my church.

by attending faithfully

by living a Godly life

by giving of my time and resources regularly

New Cornerstone Member

Date: _____

Cornerstone Elder