

**CASCADES BIBLE CHURCH  
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

**Personal Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: Single    Widow    Married (Spouse's Name): \_\_\_\_\_

Children Living at Home:

Name(s):	Age:	DOB:
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In making a formal commitment to identify with Cascades Bible Church in membership, please answer the following:

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1) Have you trusted Christ as your personal Lord and Savior?    Yes    No    Not Sure

Please tell us how you became a Christian.

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3) Have you been baptized by water immersion since you professed faith in Christ?

Yes    No    If yes, date and location. \_\_\_\_\_

4) Have you read the church constitution and agree to abide by it in its entirety?

Yes    No

If no, please explain.

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5) Have you read Cascades Bible Church's statement of faith and do you agree with its doctrine?

Yes    No

If no, please explain.

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6) Do you commit to fulfill the purpose, responsibilities and requirements of church membership as listed in Article VII of the constitution (see article VII below)?

Yes    No

If no, please explain.

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7) Do you desire to transfer a letter of membership from another church? Yes No

If yes, please list information below:

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Member's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## ARTICLE VII – MEMBERSHIP

### SECTION A - Purpose of Membership

Being led by the Holy Spirit to formally identify with Cascades Bible Church a believer should have the following purposes in mind.

- (1) Growing spiritually in the Lord. (Acts 2:42; Heb. 5:11-6:1; 13:7)
- (2) Being used by God for mutual encouragement and the meeting of specific spiritual, physical and emotional needs of the body. (Acts 2:42-47; Rom. 1:12; Gal. 6:1-2; Heb.10:23-25)
- (3) To be used by God to minister to others by developing and exercising God-given spiritual gifts under the spiritual watch care of the Lord's under shepherd, the elders. (Acts 20:28; 1Cor. 12:4-7; Eph. 4; 11-15; Heb. 13:17)

### SECTION B – Responsibilities

It shall be the responsibility of each member of the Church to fulfill obligations as set forth in this Constitution and assist fellow members in keeping theirs; to honor and esteem their spiritual leaders; to pray for them, to submit to them in the scriptural exercise of their official authority, and to manifest a proper consideration for their reputation; and, in proportion to one's ability, to contribute toward the Church and its ministry.

### SECTION C – Categories

- (1) Regular - All members received into the membership of the Church except as specified in (2) and (3).
- (2) Associate - Special membership provided for those who, because of career, student or other status, believe their residency here will only be temporary, and therefore wish to maintain membership in their home church.
- (3) Absentee - Members who are absent for extended periods of time for such reasons as advanced education or missionary service who plan to return periodically or permanently to this area.

### SECTION D – Admission

- (1) The members of this Church shall consist of believers in Christ who have given testimony of the new birth, have been baptized by immersion upon profession of their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, are in agreement with the covenant and Articles of Faith of this church and will abide by its form of government.
- (2) All new applications for membership shall be made through the Board of Elders. Upon an affirmative vote by the Board, new members will be presented to the congregation.