



CONNECT GROUP LEADER APPLICATION

Date: ___/___/___

Name: _____

Birth Date: ___/___/___ Male Female

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____

Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

Marital status (circle one): Single Engaged Married Divorced Widowed

Spouse's name: _____

Children:

Name: _____ Age: _____ M F Name: _____ Age: _____ M F

Name: _____ Age: _____ M F Name: _____ Age: _____ M F

If you have attended a Citymark Connect Group, please list the name of the connect group and the connect group leader. _____

CHURCH HISTORY AND WHAT YOU BELIEVE

How long have you regularly attended Citymark Church? _____

Have you attended Discovery 101 and become a member of Citymark Church? Yes No

Name of previous church: _____ City/State of church: _____

How long did you attend this church?: _____ Name of pastor: _____

Are you a born again Christian? Yes No How Long? _____

Please check the statements that apply to you. I believe:

- the virgin birth and deity of Jesus Christ.
- that Jesus is God's Son and only sacrifice for sin.
- that Jesus rose bodily from the dead.
- that a person must be born again to receive eternal life.
- in the infallibility of the Holy Bible.
- in eternal life for the saved and eternal separation from God for the lost.

Because we believe leaders must lead by biblical example, do you currently and consistently tithe a minimum of 10% of your income to the Lord and His Kingdom work through Citymark? Yes No

If not, are you willing to begin faithfully tithing 10% if you are placed into leadership?

Yes No Would like to discuss with a Pastor.

Briefly explain why you would like to be a small group leader: _____

Please list any references that we may contact.

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Are you currently serving on the Dream Team? Yes No

If yes, please list what team you are serving on: _____



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Please circle the general Hub your group would fall under:

Outreach

Marriage or Family/Parenting

Recovery & Restoration

Financial

Men

Student Ministries

LIFE/Freedom

Prayer

Women

What is the specific purpose/focus of your group? _____

What curriculum do you plan to use/study? _____

1) Day and time your group will meet? _____

2) Location your group will meet? _____

3) Will there be childcare on site? ___Yes ___No

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Has anyone ever brought or threatened to bring a civil or criminal claim against you alleging physical or sexual abuse or sexual harassment? ___Yes ___No

Have you ever been charged, arrested, or convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? ___Yes ___No

Have you ever terminated your employment or had your employment terminated or has your employer ever reprimanded you for reasons relating to allegations of physical or sexual abuse or sexual harassment by you? ___Yes ___No

Have you ever been reprimanded as a student for harassment of another individual or other inappropriate behavior with another individual? ___Yes ___No

Is there anything in your current lifestyle that might create a question in the minds of others about whether you should be involved in a leadership role at Citymark Church? ___Yes ___No

If yes, please explain: _____

QUALIFICATIONS & LEADERSHIP COMMITMENT

“Deacons, likewise, are to be men worthy of respect, sincere, not indulging in much wine, and not pursuing dishonest gain. They must keep hold of the deep truths of the faith with a clear conscience... They must first be tested; and then if there is nothing against them, let them serve as deacons.” 1 Timothy 3:8-10

1. Sincere, worthy of respect, and of a good reputation.
2. Tithe regularly to Citymark Church.
3. Have a genuine desire to serve and minister to other people.
4. Able to lead, motivate, and teach other people.
5. Able to create positive group dynamics and resolve conflict within the group.

I believe that I meet the qualifications for serving, and I have read and agree to the following (please write your initials beside each statement):

_____ to fulfill the responsibilities outlined in the Connect Group training.

_____ to abide by the Citymark Church Connect Group Leader Honor Code

_____ to help fulfill the Mission, Vision, and Purpose of Citymark Church.

_____ to embrace and teach Christian principles as stated in Citymark Church Statement of Faith.

_____ to practice the biblical principle of returning the tithe (10%) as worship to the Lord.

By signing below, I certify that the information contained in this application is complete, accurate, and not misleading in any way. Should my application be accepted, I agree to submit to the policies and procedures of Citymark Church Connect Groups, and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of Citymark Church.

Signature of Applicant: _____ **Date:** ___/___/___



CONNECT GROUP LEADER HONOR CODE

As an essential part of the Citymark Church servant-leadership family, I recognize that I have a responsibility to develop and exhibit mature Christian behavior. I understand that this should be the basic premise of my desire to participate in a servant-leader position here at Citymark Church.

While serving the Body of Christ as a servant-leader at Citymark Church, I pledge to present a good, godly appearance at all times. In both attire and behavior, I will strive to demonstrate Biblical standards of modesty and excellence in all situations.

As a Christ-follower, I understand that the way I present myself to others is of vital importance to the way others perceive Christ. I realize my conduct should never be an embarrassment to Christ, but should exemplify the best qualities of a mature believer and servant-leader.

Exemplifying the highest moral commitment, I embrace the value that Citymark Church's servant-leaders are to maintain a disciplined life of Bible reading, prayer, tithing and giving of my time, talent, and resources. I also commit to grow in a life of purity in Christ and through the Holy Spirit's empowerment will seek to refrain from any behavior that might cause Christ to grieve and others to stumble.

By providing an example in speech, online social forums, and in action and dress, I want to represent Christ and Citymark well, encouraging others to grow in Christ and become servants-leaders themselves.

This is a way of life measured by the heart and commitment of each leader in the Citymark Church family. I accept this responsibility as an essential part of my spiritual growth in Christ, not as an imposition or restriction.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: ____/____/____