

CHRIST PROCLAMATION CHURCH

CHURCH COVENANT

Having been brought by divine grace to repent and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and to give up ourselves to Him, having been baptized and committing to live consistent with our profession of faith in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, we do now, relying on His gracious aid, solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another as one body in Christ.

- We will work together in order to continue a faithful gospel ministry in this church, as we sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines, and facilitate the growth of gospel-driven churches in the Greater Hartford area and beyond.
- We will meet consistently for Sunday morning worship and make every effort to participate whenever the body is gathered together.
- We will work and pray for the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There are no perfect pastors, elders, staff, or church members. Therefore, one of our greatest contributions is to do all in God's power to help keep the church unified for the sake of the gospel.
- We will contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the local church, and the spread of the gospel to the nations.
- We will support the elders of this church, which includes following their lead while giving constructive input and sharing in the responsibilities of the ministry.
- We will walk together in brotherly love, as becomes the members of a Christian Church; exercising an affectionate care and watchfulness over each other, faithfully admonishing and entreating one another as the occasion may require, and submitting ourselves to church discipline if necessary under the guidelines given by Scripture.
- We will pray for one another regularly and serve one another joyfully as needs arise in the body. We will also rejoice in each other's happiness and endeavor with tenderness and sympathy to bear one another's burdens and sorrows.
- We will endeavor to bring up our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, and by a pure and loving example, seek the salvation of our family and friends.
- We will seek, by God's grace, to live carefully in this world, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, remembering that we have been buried with Christ in baptism and raised to walk in newness of life.
- We will, when we move from this place, unite ourselves with another church family 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.

Printed Name of Member

Signature of Member

Date

Signature of Elder

Date