

## Winthrop Street Baptist Church Covenant

As we trust we have been brought by Divine grace to embrace the Lord Jesus Christ, and by the influence of His Spirit to give ourselves up to Him, so we do now solemnly covenant with each other:

1. That, God enabling us, we will walk together in brotherly love, exercising a Christian care and watchfulness over each other, and faithfully warning, rebuking, and admonishing one another as the case may require;
2. That we will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together, nor omit the great duty of prayer, both for ourselves and others;
3. That we will participate in each other's joys, and endeavor, with tenderness and sympathy, to bear each other's burdens and sorrows;
4. That we will earnestly endeavor to bring up such as may be under our care in the nurture and admonition of the Lord;
5. That we will seek divine aid to enable us to walk circumspectly and watchfully in the world, denying ungodliness and every worldly lust;
6. That we will strive together for the support of a faithful evangelical ministry among us;
7. That we will endeavor by example and effort to win souls to Christ; and through life, amidst evil report and good report, seek to live to the glory of Him who has called us out of darkness into His marvelous light;
8. That, if we remove from this place, we will unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this our covenant and the principles of God's word.