

## **White Mountain Bible Church Covenant of Fellowship**

By the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit, we covenant:

1. To walk together in exercising Christian love . (Ephesians 4:1-3; 5:2)
2. To exercise Christian care & watchfulness over one another (Matthew 25:34-36; Galatians 6:1-3; James 2:15-16)
3. To pray with and for one another, sharing our burdens, sorrows and joys. (Romans 12:15; James 5:13-16)
4. To be thoughtful and courteous to one another, to be slow to take offense, and be quick to forgive and to seek forgiveness. (Ephesians 4:30-32; Colossians 3:12-14)
5. To guard the spiritual and scriptural purity, peace, and prosperity of the Church and to promote its growth in Scriptural knowledge and godliness. (1 Timothy 4:1-8, 13-16; Ephesians 4:1-3; Hebrews 5:12-6:2; Psalm 1:3; 2 Timothy 2:22)
6. To assist as the Lord enables, in the work of the Church and to promote its usefulness as a witness to the saving grace of God in Christ Jesus. (Ephesians 4:11-16; 1 Corinthians 12:4-11; Matthew 5:16; 28:19-20)
7. To contribute, as the Lord directs, to the financial support of White Mountain Bible Church, the relief of the needy, and the evangelization of all peoples. (Matthew 6:19-21; 19:21; Romans 12:6-8; 1 Corinthians 9:7; 2 Corinthians 9:7; Galatians 6:6)
8. To engage regularly in personal Bible reading and prayer, and to establish family devotions where possible. (Deuteronomy 6:5-9; Psalm 1:1-3; Luke 5:16; Philippians 4:6-7; 2 Timothy 2:15)
9. To bring up such children as may be entrusted to our care in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. (Deuteronomy 6:4-7; Proverbs 22:6; Ephesians 6:4)
10. To walk cautiously and carefully in the world, to provide things honest in the sight of all men, to be faithful in engagements, exemplary in behavior, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts. (Joshua 9:3-27; 2 Samuel 21:1-9; Ephesians 5:15-16; Philippians 1:9-11; Titus 2:11-12)
11. To endeavor by example, by word, and by prayer, to win others to an acceptance of Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. (Acts 1:8; Matthew 28:19-20; John 15:5)
12. To submit to those serving as ministry leaders. (Hebrews 13:17)
13. To exercise and submit to church discipline according to scripture. (Matthew 18:15-17)
14. To encourage and practice regularly the New Testament ordinances of believer's baptism by immersion and the Lord's Supper. (Matthew 28:19; 1 Corinthians 11:23-32)

*But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.*

(1 John 1:7)