

BETHEL CHURCH COVENANT

Having entrusted our lives to our Savior and Lord Jesus Christ, having subsequently been baptized in obedience to Him, desiring to glorify God by becoming fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ who make a redemptive impact on their relationships, and being in agreement with Bethel's core values and stated beliefs, therefore now willingly and joyfully, with God and with each other...

We covenant together to:

- be diligent to protect Bethel's unity
 - ...by fulfilling Christ's great commandment to love one another
 - ...by refusing gossip, pettiness, bitterness and a critical and judgmental spirit
 - ...by treating each other with humility, gentleness, patience and forbearance
 - ...by being responsive followers of Bethel's leadership

We covenant together to:

- assume personal responsibilities toward Bethel
 - ...by praying faithfully
 - ...by giving generously
 - ...by attending regularly
 - ...by growing spiritually

We covenant together to:

- serve Christ and others through the ministries of Bethel
 - ...by discovering how God has uniquely gifted and designed each of us for ministry
 - ...by developing our spiritual gifts and abilities
 - ...by cultivating the heart of a servant
 - ...by accepting a suitable place of service

We covenant together to:

- further the witness of Bethel
 - ...by living a godly life
 - ...by personal readiness to tell others about Jesus
 - ...by inviting the unchurched to attend
 - ...by warmly welcoming those who visit