

TRIUNITY TEMPLE

MEMBERSHIP COVENANT AND AGREEMENT

His Law Upon Our Hearts

"I will put My law within them, and I will write it upon their hearts. I will be their God, and they shall be My people."

— Jeremiah 31:33

WELCOME

Welcome to Triunity Temple.

Membership in Triunity Temple is a voluntary covenant to participate in the life of Christ under the New Covenant, bearing witness to His finished work and seeking continual transformation into His image through the Holy Spirit.

We believe that through the finished work of Jesus Christ, God has inaugurated the New Covenant, writing His law upon the hearts of His people and calling them into lives of love, truth, faithful stewardship, and continual transformation into the image and likeness of Christ.

Membership is not merely enrollment within an organization, but a voluntary commitment to walk together as brothers and sisters in Christ, encouraging one another in worship, discipleship, charity, reconciliation, stewardship, and love.

ARTICLE I

VOLUNTARY AFFIRMATION

By applying for membership, I freely affirm that:

- I am at least eighteen (18) years of age and voluntarily enter into this Membership Covenant as a responsible adult, acting of my own free will and accepting personal responsibility for my decisions, beliefs, conduct, and participation within Triunity Temple.
 - To the best of my knowledge, I possess sufficient mental capacity to understand the nature and significance of this Membership Covenant.
 - I am not acting under unlawful coercion, fraud, or material misrepresentation by Triunity Temple or its representatives.
 - I understand that membership within Triunity Temple is entirely voluntary.
 - I understand that I may voluntarily withdraw from membership at any time.
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ARTICLE II

ESSENTIAL STATEMENT OF FAITH

By entering this Membership Covenant, I affirm that I sincerely desire to worship and participate within a Christian Church holding the following foundational beliefs:

- There is one Almighty God, Creator of Heaven and Earth, eternally worthy of worship, honor, and glory.
- Jesus Christ is the incarnate Son of God, the promised Messiah, the Savior of the world, and the eternal Head of His Church.
- Through the life, death, resurrection, and exaltation of Jesus Christ, God accomplished the finished work of reconciliation, offering salvation and eternal life through His grace.
- Under the New Covenant, God writes His law upon the hearts of His people through the transforming work of the Holy Spirit.
- Holy Scripture is the inspired witness to God's revelation and the primary authority for the faith, doctrine, worship, and life of this Church.
- The foremost commandment is to love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and to love our neighbor as ourselves.
- The Christian life is one of continual transformation into the image and likeness of Jesus Christ through worship, prayer, Holy Scripture, faithful service, repentance, forgiveness, charity, and the work of the Holy Spirit.
- Every human being bears the image of God and possesses inherent dignity deserving of love, compassion, truth, justice, and respect.
- The Church exists to proclaim the Gospel, cultivate faithful disciples, exercise Christian charity, preserve liberty of conscience, steward God's creation, and faithfully bear witness to Jesus Christ.

- Jesus Christ alone is the Head of His Church. Triunity Temple prayerfully interprets Holy Scripture under the guidance of the Holy Spirit according to its sincerely held religious convictions while maintaining the preeminence of Christ in all matters of faith and practice.
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ARTICLE III

MEMBERSHIP COVENANT

As a Member of Triunity Temple, I voluntarily covenant:

- To worship Almighty God through Jesus Christ.
 - To seek first the Kingdom of God.
 - To pursue continual transformation into the image and likeness of Jesus Christ through prayer, worship, Holy Scripture, faithful service, and dependence upon the Holy Spirit.
 - To love the Lord my God with all my heart, soul, mind, and strength.
 - To love my neighbor as myself.
 - To preserve the unity of the Church.
 - To seek peace, forgiveness, reconciliation, and restoration whenever conflict arises.
 - To faithfully steward my time, abilities, resources, relationships, and opportunities for the glory of God.
 - To encourage and support the ministries of the Church according to my gifts and circumstances.
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ARTICLE IV

ECCLESIASTICAL UNDERSTANDING

I understand that Triunity Temple is an independent Christian Church.

I acknowledge that Jesus Christ alone is recognized as the Head of His Church.

I understand that the Church prayerfully interprets Holy Scripture under the guidance of the Holy Spirit according to its sincerely held religious convictions and maintains the preeminence of Christ above every earthly denomination, convention, council, hierarchy, or ecclesiastical body.

Upon acceptance into membership I understand that I will receive the Constitution of Triunity Temple, its complete Statement of Faith, Church Covenant, and additional governing and educational materials adopted by the Church.

ARTICLE V

PARTICIPATION

Membership encourages faithful participation in:

- Worship
- Prayer
- Fellowship
- Education
- Service
- Stewardship
- Charity
- Evangelism
- Mutual Care

Participation shall always remain consistent with each Member's gifts, calling, health, family responsibilities, vocation, and circumstances.

ARTICLE VI

STEWARDSHIP

I understand that the ministries of Triunity Temple are sustained through voluntary stewardship.

The Church may invite Members to support its Mission through voluntary financial contributions according to their ability.

Financial hardship alone shall never prevent sincere participation within the life of the Church.

ARTICLE VII

PRIVACY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

I acknowledge that Triunity Temple regards personal information, pastoral communications, prayer requests, membership information, and confidential matters as subjects of faithful stewardship.

Likewise, I covenant to respect the privacy, dignity, and confidential matters entrusted to the Church and to other Members.

ARTICLE VIII

STEWARDSHIP OF MINISTRY RESOURCES

Triunity Temple develops sermons, teachings, educational materials, publications, artwork, music, digital media, software, curricula, ministry resources, symbols, trademarks, and other original works in furtherance of its Mission.

I acknowledge that these resources are prepared and maintained for the benefit of the Church and its continuing ministry.

I agree to faithfully steward these resources and not knowingly:

- Represent official Church materials as my own.
- Materially alter official Church teachings while presenting them as official teachings of Triunity Temple.
- Distribute confidential internal Church documents, pastoral communications, or ministry resources without authorization.
- Use the Church's name, identity, trademarks, ministry resources, or public reputation in a manner likely to imply official Church endorsement when none exists.

Triunity Temple encourages the faithful dissemination of its publicly released sermons, teachings, educational materials, publications, software, digital media, and other ministry resources for the advancement of the Gospel, provided they are shared accurately, preserve appropriate attribution where applicable, and remain consistent with the Mission of the Church.

Where I voluntarily contribute original works specifically for publication or ministry use by the Church, ownership, licensing, or stewardship of such works shall be determined by any separate written agreement between myself and the Church.

Nothing within this Agreement shall be interpreted to transfer ownership of works independently created by me outside the scope of any ministry assignment or separate written agreement.

ARTICLE IX

MEMBERSHIP WITHDRAWAL

Membership within Triunity Temple remains voluntary.

Any Member may voluntarily withdraw from membership at any time by providing notice to the Church.

The Church may suspend or terminate membership in accordance with its Constitution following appropriate pastoral care and ecclesiastical process, always seeking reconciliation, restoration, forgiveness, and peace whenever reasonably possible.

ARTICLE X

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

By signing below, I affirm that:

- I have read and understand this Membership Covenant and Agreement.
- I have entered this Covenant voluntarily and of my own free will.
- I desire to participate in the life and Mission of Triunity Temple.
- I understand that I will receive the Constitution of Triunity Temple, the Church Covenant, the complete Statement of Faith, and additional orientation materials upon acceptance into membership.
- I have had the opportunity to ask questions concerning membership and the Church's foundational beliefs.

I pray that Almighty God may continue to write His law upon my heart, transform me into the likeness of Jesus Christ, and enable me to faithfully serve Him in truth, humility, charity, stewardship, and love.

Applicant

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Received on behalf of Triunity Temple

Minister / Elder: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____