

## Immanuel Church

### Membership Covenant

(adapted from the *Covenant of the New Hampshire Baptist Convention, 1833*)

Having been, by faith, brought by God's grace to embrace the Lord Jesus Christ, and to give ourselves completely to Him; and having publicly given witness through believer's baptism; and in full affirmation of the church statement of faith; we solemnly and joyfully covenant with one another, to walk together in Him with brotherly love to His glory as our common Lord. Therefore, in His strength, we commit:

That we will care for one another as members of one body to promote the growth of the whole body in Christian knowledge, holiness, and comfort so that we may all stand perfect and complete in all the will of God.

That for this purpose, we will continue to faithfully worship God together and observe the ordinances of His Church, believer's baptism and communion; that we will cheerfully and sacrificially give of our property for the support of those in need, and for the continuation of the faithful ministry of the gospel among us.

That we will practice both personal and family devotions at home; that we will biblically train our children and those under our care.

That we maintain a godly witness in the world, that we may lead others to faith in Christ; remembering that God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind; that we are the light of the world and the salt of the earth, and that a city set on a hill cannot be hidden.

That we will frequently encourage, and if necessary, rebuke one another, according to Matthew 18, in a spirit of meekness; taking care that we ourselves might not be tempted, as we have been baptized into the death and resurrection of Christ, and therefore have an obligation to live a new life.

And may the God of peace make us perfect in every good work to do His will; working in us that which is pleasing in His sight through Jesus Christ: to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

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