

# Life Mennonite Fellowship Covenant of Faith and Practice

## Member Covenant

### Confession of Faith

I have accepted Jesus Christ as my personal Savior. By the grace of God and the presence of the Holy Spirit in me, I accept Jesus Christ as Lord of my life. I accept the Bible as the inspired Word of God and the standard for faith and practice in my life.

The 1963 Mennonite Confession of Faith more fully describes my spiritual beliefs.

### Commitment to the Congregation

I am committed to accountability and responsibility as a member of this congregation. I will participate in mutual sharing of joys and sorrows for the welfare of the body of believers. I will work toward reconciliation in all personal relationships. I am committed to being a disciple and participating in discipling others. (Gal. 6:1-2, Mt. 7:1-5, Mt. 18)

I am committed to regularly attending worship services and participating as opportunity arises. I will participate in nurture opportunities such as Sunday school, Bible school, revival meetings, prayer meetings and small groups, for my personal spiritual growth. (Heb. 10:24-25)

I will support evangelism and service activities with gifts of time, prayer and finances as the Lord guides me. (Mt. 28:18-20)

I commit myself to the Vision, Mission and values of Life Mennonite Fellowship

### Commitment to Daily Christian Living

I am committed to maintaining a meaningful daily devotional life. (Ps. 1:2-3)

I am committed to a life characterized by peace, and I will practice nonresistance in all areas. (John 18:36, Mt. 5:38-48, Ro.12:18-21, I Co. 6:1-8)

I am committed to the family as the foundational unit of church and society. I believe in the permanency of marriage (as defined as one man and one woman) terminated only by death. I support the policy of not receiving members who are divorced and remarried while a former spouse is living. (Ro. 7:2-3, Mk. 10:2-10)

I am committed to financial responsibility and a simple lifestyle that avoids extravagance, and the spirit of materialism. (2 Co 9:6-15, Lu 16:10-13)

I support this covenant and by the grace of God will follow it as my guide for Christian living.

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Date

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Signature