



A HEART FOR CHRIST, HIS CHURCH, AND THE WORLD

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF BARRINGTON  
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name:		
Birth Date:	Phone:	
Current address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Email:		

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Spouse Name:	Spouse Birthday:
Wedding Date:	Wedding Location:
Child Name:	Child Birthday:
Child Name:	Child Birthday:
Child Name:	Child Birthday:
Child Name:	Child Birthday:
Other Family Information:	

**OTHER INFORMATION**

Previous Church Name:		
Previous Church Dates:	Member?	Phone:
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
How Long at FCCB:		

Membership at FCCB shall be composed of believing individuals who publicly claim their personal salvation through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, who have been publicly baptized, who manifest the fruit of a true Christian life by their conduct, who subscribe to the church's Declaration of Faith, and who are willing to support the church by their prayers, service, contribution and attendance to the best of their ability

Have you read the bylaws of FCCB?

Do you testify that you are a sinner by nature and choice?

Do you testify that you have repented of that sin and have been saved by grace through faith in Jesus Christ apart from any human merit, work, or ritual?

Have you been publicly baptized?

Do you subscribe to the Declaration of Faith of FCCB?

Do you agree to support the church by your prayers, service, contribution, and attendance to the best of your ability?

Do you agree and support the articles of our by-laws concerning qualifications, conduct and duty, absence, withdrawal and removal, restoration and discipline?

## APPLICANT'S TESTIMONY

- What is the reason you wish to become a member of FCCB?
- How and when did your relationship with Jesus begin?
- What did Jesus' death on the cross do for you personally?
- What is the significance of baptism and the Lord's Supper to you?
- How would you describe God's activity in your life now? How is your intimacy with Christ, relationship with other believers, and your love for the lost being influenced currently?
- Do you know your gifts? What are they and how do you seek to express them through Christ's church here?
- Are you confident in your salvation? Why?

## NEW CHURCH MEMBER COVENANT

I acknowledge myself to be a sinner in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy.

I believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God and Savior of sinners, and I receive and depend upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel.

I now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that I will endeavor to live as becomes a follower of Christ.

I promise to serve Christ in this church by supporting and participating in its worship and work to the best of my ability.

I submit myself to the government and discipline of First Congregational Church of Barrington and I promise to further its purity, peace, and unity.

I have presented myself truthfully and present myself as a candidate for membership

Signature

Date