



# CHURCH COVENANT



HAVING, AS WE TRUST, BEEN BROUGHT BY DIVINE GRACE TO REPENT AND BELIEVE IN THE LORD JESUS CHRIST AND TO GIVE UP OURSELVES TO HIM, AND HAVING BEEN BAPTIZED UPON OUR PROFESSION OF FAITH, IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON AND THE HOLY SPIRIT, WE DO NOW, RELYING ON HIS GRACIOUS AID SOLEMNLY AND JOYFULLY RENEW OUR COVENANT WITH EACH OTHER.

WE WILL WORK AND PRAY

FOR A SPIRIT OF **UNITY** IN THIS CHURCH.

WE WILL WALK TOGETHER IN BROTHERLY LOVE, EXERCISING CARE AND WATCHFULNESS OVER EACH OTHER FAITHFULLY ADMONISHING ONE ANOTHER AS OCCASION MAY REQUIRE. WE WILL REJOICE AT EACH OTHER'S HAPPINESS AND ENDEAVOR WITH TENDERNESS AND SYMPATHY TO BEAR EACH OTHER'S BURDENS AND SORROWS.

WE WILL NOT FORSAKE THE ASSEMBLING OF  
OURSELVES TOGETHER, BUT PROMISE TO

**ATTEND** THE MEETINGS OF THE CHURCH FAITHFULLY.

WE WILL **CONTRIBUTE**

CHEERFULLY, REGULARLY, AND PROPORTIONATELY

TO THE SUPPORT OF THE MINISTRY, AND EXPENSES OF THE CHURCH.

WE WILL **WORK** TOGETHER FOR FAITHFUL MINISTRY

IN THIS CHURCH, AS WE SUSTAIN ITS

WORSHIP, ORDINANCES, DISCIPLINE, AND DOCTRINES.

WE AGREE TO ABIDE BY THIS COVENANT, THE CHURCH CONSTITUTION, AND THE 2000 BAPTIST FAITH AND MESSAGE.  
WE AGREE TO SERVE AND WORK IN KEEPING WITH OUR GIFTS AND ABILITIES.

WE WILL SEEK TO **LIVE** CAREFULLY IN THE WORLD,

A LIFE PLEASING TO GOD NOT BRINGING SHAME ON

HIS NAME OR THE NAME OF THE CHURCH.

WE WILL ENDEAVOR TO BRING UP SUCH A MAY AT ANY TIME BE UNDER OUR CARE,

IN THE NURTURE AND ADMONITION OF THE LORD,

AND TO **SEEK** THE SALVATION OF OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

WE WILL, WHEN WE MOVE FROM THIS PLACE, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, UNITE WITH SOME

OTHER CHURCH WHERE WE CAN **CARRY OUT**

THE SPIRIT OF THIS COVENANT AND THE PRINCIPLES OF GOD'S WORD.