

To these individuals, I ask the following questions. Please respond with one voice:

“Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in need of salvation by Christ, and do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, receiving and resting upon Him alone as He is offered in the gospel?”

We Do

“Have you been baptized in accordance with His Word?”

We Have

“Will you endeavor, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, to live in a way that becomes followers of Christ?”

We Will

“Will you endeavor, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, to support the ministry of this church in its worship and work, submitting to its government and discipline, while pursuing its purity and peace?”

We Will

To the congregation of Providence Church, please answer with a loud Amen:

“As a congregation of Christ, do you receive these families into the covenant fellowship of this local church together with you, renewing your membership vows as you do so?”

Amen!

Church Covenant

Providence Church

By the grace of God we have been led to repent of our sin and believe in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior. We have confessed our faith and been baptized in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Now, therefore, in the presence of God and by His grace, we joyfully and solemnly enter into a covenant with the members of Providence Church.

- We commit to walk together in Christian love through the power of the Holy Spirit and to strive for the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
- We purpose to watch over one another in brotherly love, to remember one another in prayer, to help one another in sickness and distress, and to cultivate Christian compassion and courtesy.
- We commit to sustain the church's worship, discipline, doctrine, and sacraments, which are Baptism and the Lord's Supper.
- We will reject all heretical beliefs and practices, using Scripture as our final authority.
- We will strive by God's grace and power to live as Christ in the world; and denying ungodliness and worldly lusts we will seek to fulfill our calling to lead a holy life and to be salt and light.
- We will both submit to the church's discipline upon ourselves and lovingly assume our responsibility to participate in the discipline of other members, as taught in Scripture.
- We resolve to raise our children in the training and admonition of the Lord, and to seek the salvation of our family, friends, and neighbors, and of all the world.
- We will contribute cheerfully and regularly to this church for its general ministry and expenses, the relief of the poor, the cause of reformation and revival, and the spread of the Gospel throughout all nations.
- We commit to seek and spread a passion for the supremacy of God in all things by the power of the Holy Spirit for the glory of Jesus Christ.