

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Dear Prospective Member,

We are so glad that you have taken this step toward joining our official church membership. Please carefully fill out this application. We look forward to serving the Lord alongside you as partners in this local church.

*Grace to You,
the Elders of Grace Bible Church*

Today's Date: ____/____/____

☐ Male ☐ Female

Name: _____ Birth date: ____/____/____

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Spouse's Name (If applicable): _____

Names & Birthdates of children living at home (If applicable): _____

Have you trusted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior? ☐ Yes ____/____/____ ☐ No ☐ Not Sure

Have you been baptized *after* you professed faith in Christ? ☐ Yes _____ ☐ No

If you have trusted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior but have not yet been baptized as a believer, we would love to walk you through this process. Continue to fill out this membership application and we will contact you concerning baptism.

What was the name of your previous church you attended? _____

Were you a member? ☐ Yes ☐ No Reason for leaving: _____

Why do you want to join Grace Bible Church? _____

Have you thoroughly read our beliefs statement and by-laws? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are there any areas of misunderstanding or disagreement? _____

Have you attended the *Starting Point* class? ☐ Yes ☐ No

PERSONAL TESTIMONY

Briefly share how you came to know Jesus Christ as your Savior:

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Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

Please turn your completed application in to the church office. You will be contacted by a church representative who will arrange for a time to meet with you and personally go over your application. After this meeting, he will give his recommendation to the Pastoral Team and to the congregation. Your name will appear in the bulletin and, pending affirmation from our members, you will be welcomed as a member. We look forward to serving the Lord with you.

Church Representative's Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____