



**Lakeshore Baptist Church
Application for Membership**

Pastoral Interview

Pastors: _____

Date: _____

Name: Mr. Mrs. Miss _____

Phone (home / cell): _____ Birth date: _____

Home Address: _____

Work place: _____ Work phone: _____

Email: _____

I desire to join by: _____ testimony of faith

_____ baptism

When saved: _____

Date baptized: _____

Place baptized: _____

Previous Church: _____

and

Church Address: _____

The pastors will need a written/typed testimony of faith. Please include a verse of Scripture that gives you assurance of your salvation.

MEMBERSHIP COVENANT

We, the members of Lakeshore Baptist Church, do covenant together to give the Lord Jesus Christ the place of leadership among us with faithful attention to these four values:

TEXT

We will read, study, and meditate upon the Scripture. We will give careful attention when the Bible is preached or taught. We will endeavor to live according to its truths and authority, and we will encourage one another to do so as well.

COMMUNITY

We believe that God has gathered believers together to reflect the wisdom, grace, and glory of the Lord Jesus Christ. Since God has called Christians to unite themselves in the church, which is his beloved bride, we will not neglect the assembling of ourselves together. Within our local community of faith we believe we must love, serve, exhort, and receive admonition from one another. And if God should lead us to leave this church, we will attempt as soon as possible to unite with another local church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MISSIONS

Since Jesus himself has commanded us to make disciples of all nations, we will give ourselves to the proclamation of the gospel locally and globally, and we will prayerfully, financially, and graciously support the missionaries of this church.

PRAYER

Since God has commanded us to pray for our leaders and for one another, we will pray individually and corporately as we seek to know God and make Him known until He comes.

As a follower of Jesus Christ, desiring to obey him, I hereby apply for membership in Lakeshore Baptist Church. I have received a copy of the LBC Church Members Handbook. I promise that with God’s help I will endeavor to fulfill the Membership Covenant. Furthermore, as God may prosper me, I will contribute to the support of the church and do all in my power to promote its peace and progress.

Signature

Date

Please list the names and birthdates of the members of your immediate family.

Spouse and birth date: _____

Children (living at home) and birth dates: _____

Wedding Anniversary: _____

New Member Survey

We’re delighted that you made the decision to join our church family and it is our hope that you will “serve Him with gladness.” Please check below your areas of special interest. This will give us a better understanding of how your interests and abilities might best be used.

Areas of special interest:

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| _____ Sunday school teaching (list ages or grades) | _____ _____ |
| _____ AWANA | _____ Small Group Ministry |
| _____ Youth | _____ Men’s Ministry |
| _____ Nursery | _____ Women’s Ministry |
| _____ Worship Team | _____ Kitchen Ministry |
| _____ Usher | _____ Grounds / Lawn Care |
| _____ Greeter | _____ Jail Ministry |
| _____ Audio / Visual | _____ Other (please explain) |