



PARK UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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To know Christ and make him known"

APPLICATION FOR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Name(s): _____
First Middle Last Maiden

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Birth Date(s): _____

Baptism Date(s): _____

Place(s) of Baptism(s): _____

Children

Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Baptism date: _____ Baptism Place: _____

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Baptism date: _____ Baptism Place: _____

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If you are transferring your membership, which congregation(s) should we contact?

Gifts, Talents and Abilities Assessment

As Christians, we affirm that the Church is the Body of Christ. The Apostle Paul describes the Body in the following way in Romans 12:4-8:

Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. If a man's gift is prophesying, let him use it in proportion to his faith. If it is serving, let him serve; if it is teaching, let him teach; if it is encouraging, let him encourage; if it is contributing to the needs of others, let him give generously; if it is leadership, let him govern diligently; if it is showing mercy, let him do it cheerfully.

It is our hope that we at Park UPC will all find a way to exercise the gifts that God has given us for the benefit of the Church. In order for us to do that, we need to know what everyone's gifts, talents and abilities are. Let us know where you sense the Lord is leading you to serve in our midst.

Spiritual Leadership

- Prayer ministry
- Bible teaching ministry
- Small group leadership
- Mentoring disciples

Special Skills

- Computer skills
- Internet design
- Writing skills

Sunday School/Youth Group/VBS

- Teacher (indicate age range)
- Substitute/Helper
- Craft Supervision
- Music
- Nursery

Administrative Assistance

- Bulletin board organization
- Data entry
- Other (please specify)

Denominational Service

- Presbytery Committee
- Synod Committee
- Other (please specify)

Miscellaneous

- Men's/Women's ministry
- Leadership position
- Other (please specify)

Mission

- Local
- International
- Support efforts in mission
- Participate in a mission trip

Visitation

- Sick or aged
- Newcomers
- Non-members

Church Maintenance

- Carpentry
- Electrical Work
- Painting
- Yard work
- Other (please specify)

Community Concerns

- Salvation Army
- Food cupboard
- Other (please specify)

Music/Drama/Worship

- Choir
- Dramatics
- Sound Board
- Power Point operator
- Solo or Duet
- Instrument (please specify)
- Usher/Greeter

General Information:

Which of our congregation's ministries interests you?

What are your special interests and abilities (please list your current or former profession as well)?

If applicable, what services did you perform in your former congregation?

If you, and/or your spouse, are joining by profession of faith, please write your own history(ies) of how you came to know Jesus as your personal Lord and Savior on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this application. If either you, and/or or your spouse, have never been baptized either as a child or adult in a Christian Church, please obtain and complete an application for adult baptism for each adult family member from our Church Secretary and attach it to this application.

Everyone desiring membership in Park United Presbyterian Church must be baptized, either in this church or another of the Christian faith, and give an affirmative answer to the following questions in good faith and with a clear conscience before God and man:

1. Do you believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit as revealed in the Bible? _____
2. Do you believe that the Bible is the Word of God; teaching us everything that we need to know for faith and life? _____
3. Do you realize that you are a sinner like the rest of humanity and confess your need for Jesus Christ and accept Him as your personal Savior and Lord? _____
4. Will you be a loyal member of Christ's Church, giving of yourself in every way and remaining active in the Christian life until the Lord comes again? _____
5. Will you seek to serve this congregation with energy, imagination, and love for as long as you are a member of it? _____
6. Will you seek to grow in your love and knowledge of Christ through prayer, Bible Study and fellowship? _____

Talents, Interests and Hobbies of each family member:

Have you ever held a church office? _____ If yes, which one? _____

List areas in which you feel called to help this congregation:

Is there anything else that you would like us to know about you?

Applicant's signature(s): _____

Pastor's signature: _____

Clerk of Session's signature: _____

Date: _____