

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

## SNOHOMISH COMMUNITY CHURCH

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### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name	Mr/Mrs/Miss _____	Birth Date	_____
Address	_____	Phone	_____
	_____		(Home)
	_____	Phone	_____
			(Work)
Email	_____	Phone	_____
			(Cell)
Names of your children living at home		Birth Date	
_____		_____	
_____		_____	
_____		_____	
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### TESTIMONY

Have you trusted the Lord Jesus Christ as your Savior?

Yes    No    Not Sure   Date of Decision (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Please tell us in your own words when and how you came to trust Christ as your Savior:

(Use back of page or a separate sheet of paper if you need more space)

What changes in your attitudes, desires, or conduct have you observed since you became a Christian?

Have you been baptized by immersion since your decision to receive Christ?

Yes   Date \_\_\_\_\_    No

If no, would you be willing to be baptized as the Lord would give you instruction from God's Word?

Yes    No

NOTE: It is not a requirement for membership that a person have been baptized.

## PREVIOUS CHURCHES

If you are currently a member of another church, please indicate name, address, and how long.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
(Church Name)

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
(Church Address) (City) (State/Zip)

Upon your acceptance as a member at Snohomish Community Church, do you desire us to notify your former church to release your membership?  Yes  No

{Note: We do not provide for dual membership.}

Name and location of any other churches where you have been a member and how long:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Why did you leave your former church or religious associations?

## EXPERIENCE WITH SCC

How long have you been attending Snohomish Community Church? How did you know of the church, and for what reason did you first attend?

Why do you want to join Snohomish Community Church?

Have you taken the Discovery 101/Connections 1 Class?  Yes When? \_\_\_\_\_  No

## CHURCH CONSTITUTION COMMITMENT

Have you read the Church Constitution and are you willing to be governed by it?  Yes  No

(Read online at [www.snocommchurch.org/forms](http://www.snocommchurch.org/forms))

Do you agree to Article II of the Church Constitution entitled "What We Teach?"  Yes  No

If "NO", please describe what you disagree with or do not understand: (attach an extra sheet of paper if you need more space) NOTE: It is not impossible for members to hold what might be termed "minor differences" with our teaching position on some topics. Please discuss any differences you may have with the elders who interview you. It's also possible, especially for newer believers to not understand all of our doctrinal teachings. In that case, don't worry about it. The basic essentials are what's necessary.

## SERVICE COMMITMENT - Serving is part of membership at SCC

In what areas of ministry within the church are you currently serving?

1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
3) \_\_\_\_\_ 4) \_\_\_\_\_

In what areas of ministry within the church do you plan to serve or are actively pursuing service within?

1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
3) \_\_\_\_\_ 4) \_\_\_\_\_

Have you completed the Volunteer Service Survey Form?  Yes  No

(Download at [www.snocommchurch.org/forms](http://www.snocommchurch.org/forms))

## SMALL GROUP INVOLVEMENT

Are you a member of a small group? (eg. Community Group, Bible Study, Youth Group, Adult Class)

Yes  No If yes, which one? \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Please feel free to ask any questions you may have during your interview.

## MEMBERSHIP COVENANT OF SNOHOMISH COMMUNITY CHURCH

This covenant forms the basis for an fellowship.

Those who are received into the membership of the church shall give assent to the following covenant:

Having received Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior and being in agreement with Snohomish Community Church's statement of faith, governance, ministry goals and strategy, I now led by the Holy Spirit, unite with this church family. In doing so, and with God helping me, I commit myself to God and to the other members to the following:

### **1. I will seek to be conformed to the image of my Savior.**

... by **growing** in my relationship to Christ, seeking to reflect a lifestyle of Biblical truth, Christ-like integrity and community outreach<sup>1,2</sup>

... by **worshipping** God regularly with the SCC family in the weekly service.<sup>3</sup>

... by **relating** to other believers in a way that brings mutual support and accountability to my life and to theirs.<sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. *2 Peter 3:18*

<sup>2</sup> Whatever happens, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ *Philippians 1:27*

<sup>3</sup> Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another. *Hebrews 10:25*

<sup>4</sup> Be devoted to one another in brotherly love. *Romans 12:10*

### **2. I will actively support the ministries of my Church.**

... by **servicing** in areas of need as God has equipped me, and doing so with a servant's attitude.<sup>1,2</sup>

... by **praying** for others and bearing their burdens as they have need.<sup>3,4</sup>

... by **giving** regularly, cheerfully and generously, following Christ's example, to financially support this ministry.<sup>5,6</sup>

... by **inviting** the unchurched to attend and warmly welcoming new people who come.<sup>7,8</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Each one of us should use whatever gift he has received to serve others. *1 Peter 4:10*

<sup>2</sup> Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: Who ... (took on) the very nature of a servant. *Philippians 2:5, 7*

<sup>3</sup> And pray in the Spirit on all occasions... With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints. *Ephesians 6:18*

<sup>4</sup> Bear one another's burdens. *Galatians 6:2*

<sup>5</sup> But just as you excel in everything see that you also excel in this grace of giving. *2 Corinthians 8:7*

<sup>6</sup> Not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. *2 Corinthians 9:7*

<sup>7</sup> Then the master told his servant, "Go out to the roads and country lanes and make them come in, so that my house will be full." *Luke 14:23*

<sup>8</sup> The first thing Andrew did was to find his brother Simon and tell him...And he brought him to Jesus. *John 1:41-42*

**3. I will work to preserve the unity of my Church.**

... by **communicating** openly, honestly, and tactfully with appropriate parties when I have concerns.<sup>1,2,3</sup>

... by **protecting** others in love through refusing to gossip.<sup>4</sup>

... by **following** the church leaders as they follow Christ.<sup>5</sup>

... by **keeping** the Biblical principles of church restoration.<sup>6</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Make every effort to preserve the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. *Ephesians 4:3*

<sup>2</sup> Let us therefore make every effort to do what leads to peace and to mutual edification. *Romans 14:19*

<sup>3</sup> Speaking the truth in love we will in all things grow up into Him who is the head, that is, Christ. *Ephesians 4:15*

<sup>4</sup> Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs. *Ephesians 4:29*

<sup>5</sup> Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. *Hebrews 13:17*

<sup>6</sup> If your brother sins against you, go and show him his fault, just between the two of you. If he listen to you, you have won your brother... *Matthew 18:15-17*

I hereby sign this Covenant, without mental reservation, in dependence upon God's strength for holy living.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please turn in your application to the church office or any elder or pastor.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Interviewing Elders \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Elder Board Approval \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Elder notes:

# How and Where Can I Serve at Snohomish Community Church?

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Email (1) \_\_\_\_\_ Email (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

I have taken the following classes:

- Connections (Membership)
- Just Walk Across the Room (evangelism)

I am a:

- Member of SCC (application process completed)
- Regular attendee of SCC (not a member yet, but this is my church)
- Occasional attendee
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently serving in a ministry through SCC?  Yes  No

Which ministry(s)? \_\_\_\_\_ I want to:  change ministry  add ministry

Any physical or other limitation to what you can volunteer to do?  No  Yes Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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■ **Skills and professions you are willing to share:** (We may be able to use some skills immediately. Regardless, however, we record all of them in our database for future reference when needed).

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Design                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aerobics Instructor                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Handyman/woman                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Architect                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Heating/Air Conditioning               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art: Drawing/Painting                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Housekeeper                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Contractor                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Interior Design/Decoration             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry, Finish                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Journalism/Writing                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry, Framing                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping/Excavation                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpet Installer                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Programming/Network management | <input type="checkbox"/> Lawyer                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Graphics                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Lifeguard                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Operator                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Masonry                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concrete (Flatwork, Foundation)         | <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanic                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Counseling (Licensed)                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse (RN, LPN)                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dental                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Painting Interior/Exterior             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Driver (CDL license)                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drywall                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Physician                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Electrician                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Purchasing/Shopping                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Espresso Barista                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Roofing                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance/Accounting                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Sewing                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance/Bookkeeping                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Sign Language (ASL or other)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Floral Design                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Coach                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food Preparer/Service                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Language Fluency                | <input type="checkbox"/> Tech- audio                            |
| ___ Spanish  | <input type="checkbox"/> Tech- video                            |
| ___ French   | <input type="checkbox"/> Web page design/development/management |
| ___ Chinese  | <input type="checkbox"/> Window Washing                         |
| ___ Other _____  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other skills not listed: _____         |

## SNOHOMISH COMMUNITY CHURCH Ongoing Ministry Roles

*Note: These are examples and not a complete listing. Consult ministry director for more information. Check any or all that you would like to find out more about. Or circle a general department.*

### ■ Children

- AWANA Club Worker
- Grade School Teacher (or assist)
- Nursery Care
- Preschool Teacher (or assist)
- Vacation Bible School

### ■ Family Ministry

- Family Camp
- Marriage & Parent Mentors
- Marriage Retreat
- Marriage & Parent Classes

### ■ Youth

- Espresso Barista
- High School Small Grp Ldr
- Junior High Small Grp Ldr
- Mentoring (one-on-one)
- Quiz Team Helper
- Retreats/Special Events Help
- Summer Blast Host Home
- Youth Group Night Volunteer

### ■ Adults/Men/Women

- Administrative Help
- Men's Breakfast set-up
- Men's Breakfast cooking team
- Class Host/Coordinator
- College/Career
- Hospitality/Hosting
- Mentoring (one-on-one)
- Men's Ministries (Quest)
- MOPS(Mothers of Preschoolers)
- Retreats/Special Events
- Prime Timers
- Singles
- Small Group Host Home
- Small Group Leader
- Sports/Outdoor Ministry
- Women's Ministries

### ■ First Impressions Ministries

- Coffee Team
- Greeter/Welcome Team
- Welcome Center Team
- Parking Lot Crew
- Usher

### ■ Newcomer Ministries

- Phone Calling/Follow-up
- Connecting volunteers to service

### ■ Missions (local and international)

- Lead community service team
- Help with community-service
- Host Home for visiting missionary
- Missions Conference Help
- Missions Education
- Personal Evangelism
- Short-term Mission Project
- Tech-computer
- Tech-video
- Journalism/writing

### ■ Music/Drama Ministries

- Administrative  
(Copying, Phone, Filing)
- Band/Instrumental
- Vocal/Choral
- Choreography/Dance
- Drama Performance
- Drama Sets/Costumes/Support

### ■ Audio/Visual/Lighting

- Light Tech
- Multimedia/Computer Help
- Sound Technician

### ■ Decorative Arts

- Artist
- Crafts
- Decorations Team

### ■ Congregational Care

- Banquet/Decorations
- Cooking/Kitchen Help
- Funeral/Wedding Help
- Grief Share support group
- Hospital Visitation
- Meals for people in need
- Needy Assistance
- Prayer ministry
- Baptism Setup
- Shut-in Transportation
- Shut-in Visitation
- Support Groups
- Widow Support
- Work/Labor Crew

### ■ Operations/Support

- Bulk Mail Help
- Chair pocket refilling
- Data Entry
- Facilities Crew (set up/down)
- Landscape Maintenance
- Newsletter Preparation
- Office Work
- Phone Call Help
- Fill-in Receptionist

### ■ Kitchen

- Cleaning
- Event Help
- Organization/Storage

### ■ Other Outreach ministry

- Addiction recovery
- Adoption/foster care
- Affordable Housing
- Child Sponsorship
- Disaster relief
- Divorce recovery
- Food banks
- Grief recovery
- Local schools
- Prison Ministries
- Senior Care
- Shelters/Homelessness
- Unplanned pregnancy
- Youth outreach
- Other\_\_\_\_\_

### ■ List Other Ministry Interests:

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