

CHURCH COVENANT of CROSS KEYS BAPTIST CHURCH

- 1) We** will engage to walk together in Christian love through the power of the Holy Spirit.
- 2) We** submit to Scripture as our final authority, and reject all heretical beliefs and practices.
- 3) Unless** providentially hindered, we will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together, but will faithfully attend the church's gatherings for worship, prayer, study, and fellowship, and will use our spiritual gifts for the common good.
- 4) We** resolve to practice personal and family worship, to train our children in the discipline and instruction of the Lord and intentionally engage relationships based on the Gospel to seek salvation for our family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, acquaintances, and of all the world.
- 5) We** pledge to faithfully participate in the ordinances of the church, and endeavor to attain unity of mind in doctrine. We will 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.
- 6) We** will contribute cheerfully and regularly to this church for its ministry and expenses, the relief of the poor, the cause of reformation and revival, and the spread of the Gospel throughout all nations.

7) 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 holy lives and to be salt and light.

8) We will be just and honest in our dealings and faithful in our responsibilities and commitments.

9) We will abide by the standards of sexual purity, ethical integrity, and spiritual fidelity as taught in Scripture.

10) We will remember one another in prayer, watch over one another in brotherly love, help one another in sickness and distress, and cultivate Christian compassion and courtesy.

11) Believing that the pursuit of peace with others and personal holiness accompany true faith in Christ, we will be slow to take offense, always eager to seek the reconciliation Christ commands, and will work to preserve the unity of the Spirit.

12) We promise that if, in the providence of God, we leave this church we will do so in peace and we will diligently seek to unite with another Christian church where we can continue to carry out the spirit and principles of Scripture.