MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

Having received Christ as my Lord and Savior and been baptized, and being in agreement with Revelation City Church's vision, mission, values, and beliefs, I am led by the Holy Spirit to unite with the Revelation City Church. In doing so, I commit myself to God and to the other members to do the following:

1. I WILL MAINTAIN THE UNITY OF REVELATION CITY CHURCH:

- **By acting in love toward other members.** "So let us concentrate on the things which make for harmony, and on the growth of our fellowship together." Rom. 14:19 "Have a sincere love for your fellow believers, love one another earnestly with all your hearts."-1 Peter 1:22
- **By refusing to gossip.** "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
- **By honoring the leadership.** "Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be no advantage to you." Hebrews 13:17

2. I WILL SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MY CHURCH:

- **By praying for its growth.** "To the church...we always thank God for you and pray for you constantly." 1 Thessalonians 1:2
- **By inviting those without a church to attend.** "The Master said to the servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes, and urge the people there to come so my house will be full." Luke 14:23
- By warmly welcoming those who visit. "So, accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you in order to bring praise to God." Romans 15:7 "Do not forget to entertain strangers, for by so doing some people have entertained angels without knowing it." Hebrews 13:2

3. I WILL SERVE THE MINISTRY OF MY CHURCH:

- By discovering and using my gifts and talents. "Serve one another with the particular gifts God has given each of you..." 1 Peter 4:10
- **By being equipped to serve by my leaders.** "So Christ Himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors, and teachers to equip His people for works of service..." Ephesians 4:11-12
- **By developing a servant's heart.** "Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others. Your attitude should be the same as that of Jesus Christ...who took on the very nature of a servant..." Philippians 2:3-4, 7

4. I WILL ADVANCE AND SUPPORT THE LIFE OF MY CHURCH:

- **By attending faithfully.** "Let us not give up the habit of meeting together...but let us encourage one another." Heb. 10:25
- **By living a godly life.** "But whatever happens, make sure that your everyday life is worthy of the gospel of Christ." Phil. 1:27
- By giving regularly and faithfully. "Each one of you, on the first day of each week, should set aside a specific sum of money in proportion to what you have earned and use it for the offering." 1 Cor. 16:2" Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each person should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:6-7 (NIV)
- By praying for my church family and leaders. "And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people." Ephesians 6:18