

# Congregational Membership Qualifications and Process

## Qualifications

1. Saved, spirit filled and water baptized (Acts 2:38)
2. Understands and accepts the five points of Covenant Theology (Deut. 29:9)
  - a. Transcendence
  - b. Hierarchy
  - c. Ethics
  - d. Continuity
  - e. Sanctions
3. Regular participation in Sunday morning service (Hebrews 10:25)
4. Understands and accepts the biblical command of tithes and offerings; Faithful in these and all other commandments of God and Kingdom principles which govern our lives (Malachi 4:8-10)
5. Understands and embraces the vision of the church; Willingly committed to serve in whatever capacity needed as long as needed to fulfill the vision (Habakkuk 2:2)
6. Understands and embraces divine placement (I Corinthians 12:18)
7. Understands and embraces biblical standards of self-government in relationship to holiness and righteous conduct. (Romans 12:1-2)

## Process

1. Complete membership application
2. Subscribe without reservation to the Statements of Faith, Participation, and Doctrine found herein
3. Meet with pastors; Submit to the biblical authority and accountability of the Victory Fellowship pastoral staff
4. Baptism (if applicable)
5. Attend Victory Foundations 101 (Christian-life Foundations Course)
6. Attend this course, Victory Foundations 102 (Introduction to Victory Purpose, Vision, and Transferable Concepts)
7. Assignment of mentor
8. Be formally introduced to the Congregation
9. Regular participation in church life for at least one year

Congregational members will receive a certificate of identification. Identification qualifies the individual to enter into the process of citizenship, if they so choose. If not, they remain a member in good standing. Membership in the spiritual family qualifies one for the privileges of covenantal community.)

- A. Belonging: Covering of the Spiritual Family
- B. Participation in Home Groups, Sunday school, Youth, Singles, and Ministry Teams.
- C. Short Term mission service trips