

# APPLICATION FOR BAPTISM AT COVENANT LIFE CHURCH

We are so glad that you are interested in being baptized! Baptism is an important initial step of obedience commanded by Jesus in Matthew 28:19. It's an act whereby we publicly demonstrate our identification with Christ's death, burial and resurrection.

At Covenant Life Church, we believe that baptism is by immersion (Mark 1:5, John 3:23) and is only for those who have put their trust in the gospel of Jesus Christ—his death on the cross for the forgiveness of sins. We also believe that the New Testament teaches a connection between baptism and church membership (Acts 2:41), so we only baptize members or those pursuing membership here.

Please fill in the information below, answer the questions on the back and return this form to the church office. You will be contacted with information about the next baptism service. We look forward to walking with you through this process in the days ahead.

**Please note: This application is for adults. Parents of youth who wish to be baptized should contact their pastor for instructions.**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Mr/Ms/Mrs) \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address (line 2) \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been a member of Covenant Life? \_\_\_\_\_

Care Group Leader? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been baptized before? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, when? \_\_\_\_\_

During which service would you like to be baptized? \_\_\_\_\_

I have listened to Joshua Harris' message on baptism. Check here:

T-shirt Size (circle one)    Small    Medium    Large    X-Large    XX-Large

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# Your Relationship with God

In your own words, what is the gospel?

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What was your life like before you became a Christian?

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What were the circumstances of your conversion?

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How has Christ's work changed your life?

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Are there specific members of Covenant Life God has used to draw you to himself? If so, please describe.

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