

# Our Church Covenant

*"Come let us join ourselves to the Lord in a perpetual covenant that shall not be forgotten." Jeremiah 50:5*

We solemnly covenant together, God helping us, that as strangers and pilgrims on the earth we will remember that our citizenship is in heaven;

That we will put away from us all bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, evil speaking and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven us;

That as we have opportunity we will do good unto all men;

That we will have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness but will rather reprove them;

That we will contend earnestly for the faith which was once delivered to the saints;

Will bring up our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord;

Will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together as is the manner of some;

We will keep the ordinances as they are delivered unto us;

Will confess our faults one to another and pray for one another;

That we will remember them which have the rule over us, who speak unto us the Word of God, whose faith we will follow, considering the end of their conversation, Jesus Christ;

That we will give as God hath prospered us, not grudgingly, nor of necessity, for God loveth a cheerful giver;

That whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report, we will think on these things;

And whatsoever we do, in word or in deed, we will do heartily as unto the Lord, striving always in all things to be well pleasing unto Him who "loved us and gave Himself for us."