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**SUBJECT:**

**THE CHAPEL LEADERSHIP AGREEMENT**

**POLICY P-3**

**APPLICABLE TO:**

**PASTORS, PROGRAM STAFF, TRUSTEES, CARE DEACONS AND  
DEACONESSES, TEACHERS, TITLED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHURCH**

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**PURPOSE**

Being a leader of The Chapel is a significant privilege and responsibility. Chapel leaders are to be models of Christian maturity and wisdom. They are to live an exemplary lifestyle; one that is above reproach and characterized by joy and spiritual discipline. This is a life that encourages others and strengthens the church.

**PARTICIPANTS**

This agreement is for all pastors, program staff, trustees, care deacons and deaconesses, and teachers of The Chapel, and any other positions of titled leadership or service as designated by pastoral leadership. This will always include teachers for any age group, sponsors, and all who represent the church in a public way.

**MEMBERSHIP BASICS**

1. I trust Christ as my Savior and I seek to follow Him in all areas of my life. His righteousness is mine.
2. I am a member of The Chapel and will live by the “Covenant of Faith” for its members.

**ADDITIONAL SPECIFIC LEADERSHIP AGREEMENTS**

1. I believe and adhere to the “Statement of Faith” (the doctrinal position) of The Chapel and agree to serve in cooperation with policy-based papers that are documents of the church. I will not teach or model any doctrine or practice that contradicts our statement of faith or policies or position papers.
2. I will serve The Chapel with my resources of time, money, and talents.
3. I seek to live according to the biblical standards for godly character and actions. I pursue holiness in all areas of thought and behavior and purpose to put any sin out of my life (Romans 14; I Timothy 3).
4. I am committed to and will pursue the unity of the body. I will contribute to church teamwork and demonstrate a biblical respect for church leadership (Phil. 2:1-4; Heb. 13:7,17).
5. I understand and will pursue the biblical standards for the Christian life as it relates to family and marriage responsibilities or a godly single lifestyle (Eph. 5:22-6:4; I Peter 3:1-7; I Cor. 7:1-9).
6. I understand the principles of Christian liberty and will exercise discretion responsibly within the guidelines of God’s Word, humbly submitting myself to others with a loving regard for their highest good. Choices will be guided by these principles done in faith (Romans 14:22-23), with clear conscience (Acts 24:16), for the glory of God (I Cor 10:31), and to build, not offend, others (Romans 14:21).
7. I support and will regularly participate in The Chapel’s weekly worship services and will seek to be in a “community” (Acts 2:42-47; Hebrews 10:25).

“Let the Word of God dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom...and whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him” (Colossians 3:16-17).

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NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_