

## **CHURCH MEMBER CHECK LIST**

### **FRIENDLINESS**

- I seek out, shake hands and greet newcomers, and write down their name to remember it.
- I help them locate classes, sit with them, and invite them to other activities.
- I give any information to the minister and leaders, so they may follow-up.

### **STEWARDSHIP**

- I give regularly, proportionately and systematically to the finances of the church.
- I make sure my church also benefits, when my income increases, and when I miss a service, I make up the offering the next week.
- I keep informed about where the money is going and the special needs of the church.

### **SUPPORT**

- I give my spiritual and prayer support to the leaders of the church.
- I offer to do my part, to help with projects, classes, and activities of the church.
- I make suggestions kindly and offer to initiate programs that might be needed.

### **UNITY**

- I seek to encourage all those involved in church activities, looking for the best in others and refusing to participate in gossip, backbiting and criticism.
- I strive to work well with others, in a loving, Christ-like, polite manner.
- I share any concerns I have directly with those leaders or individuals involved.

### **WORSHIP**

- I attend and approach each service in a reverent and prayerful manner, giving my full attention.
- I participate in the service enthusiastically and focus my thoughts on Christ.
- I offer to use my talents, music or other, to enhance services.

### **KNOWLEDGE**

- I utilize every opportunity to attend classes to improve my knowledge of the Bible.
- I read my Bible and other good Christian literature regularly.
- I understand the ordinances of the church- Baptism (immersion of penitent believer for remission of sins) and Lord's supper- (weekly observance of the memorial emblems)

### **EVANGELISM**

- I seek to further the mission of the church by inviting friends, neighbors to services each week, and contact absent members to let them know they are missed.
- I know how to show, from the Bible, what a person must do to be saved.
- I support all mission efforts to reach the world and fulfill Christ's great commission.

### **BENEVOLENCE**

- I understand the call, as a Christian, to help others in time of need, in the name of Jesus.
- I visit, pray for, and minister to the sick, shut-in, the troubled, imprisoned, the needy.
- I give of my time and resources to relieve suffering worldwide.

### **PERSONAL LIFE**

- I realize others are watching my life as a Christian, and understand my duty to live in accordance with the moral principles of the Bible and the guidance of the Holy Spirit.
- I repent and pray for forgiveness of my sin with humility and forgive others who may wrong me.
- I work to keep my family life strong, and business and personal dealings honest and pure.

