Coquitlam Chinese Baptist Church

CHURCH COVENANT

Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the
Holy Spirit. We do now in the presence of God and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of the Church in knowledge, holiness and comfort; to promote its properity and spirituality, to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline, and support of the ministry, the expenses of the Church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of Gospel throughout all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and private devotions; to educate our children religiously, to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagement, and exemplary in our deportment; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember one another in prayer; to aid one another in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Saviour, to secure such reconciliation without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place, we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church of same faith, where we can carry out the spirit of the covenant and the principles of God's word.