

## **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION AND APPLICATION FORM**

**CALVARY BIBLE CHURCH**  
**2587 E. ARMOUR RD, BOURBONNAIS, IL. 60914**  
**932-8733**

**Thank you** for your desire to be an official part of the Calvary Family. The following information will help us to get to know you better. The Elders will each receive a copy before the membership interview. The ministry staff will receive a copy so they can know how to best serve you and involve you in the life of our church. The general information may be used from time to time (unless you request otherwise) to update the church directory and mailing lists.

**Official church membership** is a mutual commitment between the church and the member to common beliefs, practices, and goals, and to each other's growth and well being.

**The church family's commitment to members:** We pledge to teach, preach, and apply the Bible as the Word of God and our only sure guide for faith and practice; to provide a context for meaningful worship, learning, fellowship, and outreach; to rejoice with you when times are good and to encourage you when times are hard; to seek you if you stray and to admonish and restore you if you fall; to love you, care for you, and strive to enrich your life and your household, as fellow believers in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and fellow members in the family of God.

**The member's commitment to the church family:** I pledge to fulfill the responsibilities of membership, including consistent attendance and involvement with church services and meetings, support of the church with my prayers and finances, involvement in service according to my gifts and abilities, respect and cooperation toward the policies and leaders of the church, encouragement and care toward the people of the church, speaking well of the church and its people both within and outside the church family, and living the kind of daily life that will enhance the reputation of the church and of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ SINGLE      \_\_\_ MARRIED (SPOUSE: \_\_\_\_\_) ANNIVERSARY \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN (and their spouses and children, if applicable)

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**PERSONAL PROFILE AND CHRISTIAN TESTIMONY**

Please tell us anything about your self, such as family background, church background, educational background, health issues, and especially religious background and experiences, which you feel would help us to know you better.

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Please explain in your own words how one becomes a Christian.

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Please briefly describe when and how you personally received Jesus Christ as Savior. (Use back if necessary)

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Have you been (or are you willing to be) baptized by immersion since you became a Christian?

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Please explain how you heard about Calvary and what draws you to membership at Calvary.

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Have you read the Constitution of Calvary Bible Church? Are you in agreement with the Constitution, doctrine and policies of Calvary Bible Church? Are there any reservations with the Constitution, doctrines, policies or programs of Calvary Bible Church? If so, please explain.

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Please describe any abilities, talents, training, hobbies, education, interests, church ministry experience, etc., that you have that you might want to use in service for the Lord at Calvary.

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Please list the church (if any) which you most recently attended and/or were a member before coming to Calvary. (As a courtesy between churches, we may contact your most recent church home to inform them of your transfer to this fellowship and to request a letter of recommendation and transfer. Please include its address and phone number.)

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