

3. The prospective member should fill out the application blank and submit it to the Official Board of the Church.

The application blank should be of such a nature that it will provide the church with all the information necessary concerning the prospective members.

B. Requirements for Church Membership

1. The prospective member must agree with the Articles of Faith, Constitution, and Bylaws of the church.
2. The prospective member must attend the Pastor's Class.

a. Number of Classes

There are four classes, during which the Pastor discusses the following subjects:

- (1) The Christian Experience
- (2) The Christian Life
- (3) The Christian Church
- (4) The Christian Stand

b. Time of the Classes

A good time to hold these classes is during the Sunday School hour. They can be held during the same time the Sunday School Lesson is taught.

c. Announcement of the Classes

The Classes should be announced well in advance so that anyone who desires to join the church can attend them.

3. The prospective member must give a personal testimony to the Official Board of the Church.

This testimony must consist of an expression of faith in Jesus Christ as the only Saviour from sin, and it must be supported by a passage of Scripture.

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NOTE: If the Official Board has any questions that they would like to ask the prospective member, they may ask them at this time. If not, the Official Board dismisses the prospective member and proceeds to vote on whether or not to receive the prospective member into the membership of the church. If the vote is favorable, the prospective member becomes a member immediately and will be publicly received into the church at the next service for the reception of new members.

C. Time of the Service

The service should be held immediately before the announcements in the Morning Worship Service whenever the church thinks it's necessary.