



Faith Christian Fellowship Int'l Church, Inc.

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ASSOCIATION REQUIREMENTS FOR CHURCHES

1. The pastor of an FCF Associate church must be ordained with FCF Int'l.
2. Must submit a fee of \$200.00 with the completed application.
3. Must submit:
 - a certified copy of the church's Articles of Incorporation
 - a certified copy of the church's existing Bylaws
 - a photocopy of the "Determination" letter from the Internal Revenue Service indicating that the church has received tax-exempt status
4. Must complete annual Renewal forms and return them to the Int'l Office by January 31st along with the \$200.00 annual Renewal fee. An annual Renewal not postmarked by January 31st will be charged a late fee of \$100. No late Renewal will be accepted until the late fee is paid.
5. FCF is a family within the family of God, called to be a legal and spiritual covering to those who are in relationship with us. Relationship in Christ is a covenant relationship whereby we are blessed to be a blessing. We believe those in relationship with us are blessed and walking in the overflow of God's abundance. It is part of God's plan that those in the family (Affiliate/Associate churches and ministries) apply the principle of the tithe by sending their undesignated tithe to FCF in Tulsa.
6. Must operate exclusively for charitable, religious and educational purposes and maintain tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.
7. Must operate within the meaning of Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i) of the Internal Revenue Code.
8. Must agree with the FCF Int'l Church Tenets of Faith.
9. The Association process is entirely complete when the Associate receives an Associate Certificate, FCF Associate Logo and the Power Resource Pack from the FCF Int'l Office.
11. The FCF Associate Logo may be used on signs, letterheads, bulletins, newsletters, etc. The name Faith Christian Fellowship is reserved for the use of Affiliates only.
12. The FCF attorney is available to give LIMITED advice to the FCF Associates free of charge. Contact can be made through www.fcf.org; click on Member Services.
13. The FCF Int'l Office Staff members are prepared to assist with guidance, counsel and prayer upon request.
14. FCF Representatives are appointed by the Int'l Office to assist Associates with counseling, prayer, fellowship, etc.
15. FCF Int'l reserves the right to terminate Association with any church that does not abide by the FCF Int'l Tenets of Faith.



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Approved by: _____

Date Rec'd: _____ Amt: _____

ASSOCIATE CHURCH APPLICATION

Answer all questions in detail. Use back of this page for additional information. Please type or print **clearly**.

CHURCH INFORMATION

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

E-MAIL _____ WEB SITE _____

Type of church government: () Deacon Board () Elder Board () Pastor () Other (Explain) _____

Date church was established _____ Has it ever split or is it the result of a split? ____ If yes, explain: _____

Has there ever been heresy involved? _____

What is the vision of the church? (Explain in detail.) _____

Average attendance: ____ Is the church incorporated? () Yes () No _____

If yes, the Federal Group Exemption - Employer ID (EIN) number is _____

How does the community view the church? _____

PASTOR INFORMATION

NAME _____

HOME STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

How long have you been a pastor? _____ How long have you pastored this church? _____

Date you were born again: _____ Date you were filled with the Holy Spirit: _____

Describe your background and ministry experience: _____

Are you a credentialed minister? () Yes () No If so, date credentialed: _____

Organization(s) with whom you hold credentials: _____

Are you ordained with FCF Int'l? () Yes () No If not, have you completed FCF's ordination application? () Yes () No

How did you learn about FCF? _____