

HVWC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Who is a member? Someone called to **partner with HVWC** and who meets the following:

1. Salvation – Know Christ as your personal Savior and Lord. Church membership can be meaningful only if a person has joined to Christ first.
2. Water Baptism – Be water baptized. Water Baptism is a first step in your spiritual growth.
3. Minimum Age – Be at least high school 16 years old.
4. All-In Journey Completion – Complete all four steps of the All-In Journey.
5. Pastoral Meeting – Once your application has been reviewed you will meet with a Pastor to discuss current partnership desires and potential Church Membership.

What is asked of a member?

Members commit to the church and its leadership to building the Kingdom of Heaven in unity.

Members can lead teams, small groups, and events.

Members get to voice their opinion at annual meetings as well as vote on major pastoral changes, financial decisions, and Harvest Valley projects.

Members are expected to attend, tithe, serve, and honor the values of our culture.

The information within this application is personal and confidential. This is to help ensure the safety of every person at HVWC and maintain ministry and biblical standards. This document also helps the leadership know those serving in the church better. Pastors will review the application. Please answer all questions to the best of your ability with complete honesty.

Name: First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Nickname or preferred name to be _____

Birth date ____ / ____ / ____ Gender MALE FEMALE

Physical Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Cell Phone _____ Home Phone _____

Email Address _____

Present Occupation _____

Name of Company/Business _____

Current Legal Marital Status: Single Engaged Married Widowed Separated Divorced

Spouse's Name _____ Birth date ____ / ____ / ____

Is your spouse in agreement with your becoming a Partner with this ministry? Y N

Why or Why not _____

Children(s) Names and Ages: _____

If you are not married, are you living with someone of the opposite sex that is not a family member?

N Y Explain _____

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SPIRITUAL BACKGROUND

How long have you been attending? _____ Are you born again? Y How long ago? _____

N Explain _____

Have you been water baptized? Y N If Yes, when? _____

If No, why? _____

Have you been filled with the Holy Spirit and speak in tongues? Y N Explain _____

Do you choose to forgive others and yourself as a lifestyle practice? Y N Explain _____

Do you tithe to Harvest Valley? Y N Explain _____

STATEMENT OF FAITH

I have read the Statement of Faith provided in the All-Journey or at hvwc.com

I agree with the Statement of Faith.

If not checked, please list any reasons or concerns on the back of the application.

PREVIOUS MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

Previous Church _____

Pastor's Name _____

What ministries did you serve in? _____

Why did you leave? _____

Have you ever been asked to leave a church? Y N Explain _____

Can we contact your previous ministry leaders for a reference? Y N Who? _____

Have you ever participated in or been part of any religion other than Christianity? Y N Explain _____

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PERSONAL HISTORY

Have you ever been involved/struggled with or been set free from addictive or dangerous behaviors (i.e. tobacco use, prescription drug abuse, illegal drug use, eating disorders, alcohol, pornography, promiscuous sexual behavior, occult practices)? Have you struggled with or been set free from severe depression or other mental health issues?

Note that how you answer will not necessarily prevent you from participating in ministry.

Explain: _____

Background Checks are mandatory for all who choose to become a Member at Harvest Valley Worship Center. Background Checks are mandatory for all who serve with Children, Youth, Finances, or

MORE NOTE SPACE ON REVERSE

SIGNATURE

I declare that my answers in this application are true and I have not intended to deceive in my responses.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please return the completed application to Chris Bassett to maintain confidentiality. If you need to mail the completed and signed questionnaire, please mail to Harvest Valley c/o Chris Bassett.

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NOTICE – BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION ADULT

In connection with your employment/partnership with [Harvest Valley Worship Center] (the “Company”), notice is hereby given that a consumer report and/or investigative consumer report may be obtained from a consumer reporting agency for employment purposes. These reports may contain information about your character, general reputation, personal characteristics and mode of living, whichever are applicable. They may involve personal interviews with sources such as your neighbors, friends or associates. The reports may also contain information about you relating to your criminal history, credit history, driving and/or motor vehicle records, education or employment history, or other background checks.

You have the right, upon written request made within a reasonable time after the receipt of this notice, to request disclosure of the nature and scope of any investigative consumer report prepared by contacting the Company and Protect My Ministry 14499 N. Dale Mabry Hwy., Suite 201 South, Tampa, FL 33618; Phone: 1-800-319-5581. For information about Protect My Ministry’s privacy practices, see www.protectmyministry.com. The scope of this notice and below authorization is not limited to the present and, if you are hired, will continue throughout the course of your employment and allow the Company to conduct future screenings for retention, promotion or reassignment, as permitted by law and unless revoked by you in writing.

BACKGROUND CHECK

First, Middle, Last Name: _____

Other Names Used: _____

Social Security: _____ - _____ - _____ D.O.B.: _____

Gender: _____ Ethnicity: _____ Phone: _____

Driver’s License No: _____ DL State: _____

Email: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION

By signing below I hereby authorize the obtaining of consumer reports and/or investigative consumer reports by the Company at any time after receipt of this authorization and throughout the course of my employment, if applicable.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____

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