

# Hodgson Bible Church

Box 277, Hodgson, MB R0C 1N0

Thank you for expressing your interest in becoming a member of Hodgson Bible Church. “It is the purpose of Hodgson Bible Church to be a family of believers who are passionate about worshipping God, presenting Jesus Christ, and equipping people to become fully devoted followers of Jesus.” As members of the church we desire to do whatever possible to fulfill this purpose. The following responsibilities of our membership help fulfill this purpose.

1. Strive for Christian growth in personal Bible study and prayer. Psalm 1:1-3, Phil. 4:6-7
2. Regular worship and prayer with the church family. Hebrews 10:25
3. Influence others to become disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ by personal witness. Romans 1:16
4. Be loyal to the fellowship and its people. Acts 2:42, Galatians 6:10
5. Support the church financially through giving as God prospers them. Proverbs 3:9, 2 Corinthians 9:6-12
6. Faithful ministry of the spiritual gifts God has given them. 1 Cor. 12:7, Ephesians 4:16
7. Participate in the business of the church, respect the leadership of the church. Hebrews 13:17
8. Agree to support the doctrine and principles of the church as outlined in the church constitution. Phil. 2:1-3
9. Disagreements are expressed in away as to not undermine the unity of the church. Rom.15:5-6
10. Sexual activity will be limited to a heterosexual relationship within marriage. 1 Cor. 6:9

If you should join hands in fellowship with us we expect that you would see these responsibilities as a minimum of your ministry among us. Any member who is serving in any children’s ministry will be required to provide a criminal record and reference check.

If you have any questions feel free to ask one of our elders or pastor.

In Christ,  
Ted Hartog (Elder board, chairman, 372-6379)  
John Plett (Elder, 372-6700)  
James Thiessen (Pastor, 372-6990)

## APPLICATION for MEMBERSHIP

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please describe your conversion to Jesus Christ:
2. Have you been baptized upon your faith? If so, please state the date and place.
3. Why do you want to become a member of Hodgson Bible Church?
4. What are your expectations of Hodgson Bible Church?
5. How do you want to become involved in Hodgson Bible Church? What do you see as your abilities, talents, interest, and spiritual gift(s)?
6. Please describe your previous church involvement.
7. Do you accept the "Membership Responsibilities" as on the cover letter?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Comments:
8. Do you agree with the constitution of Hodgson Bible Church? Please state any areas of concern or question.

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