



Why Membership

Thank you so much for taking the time to learn about Bethel Cincinnati. Perhaps you are wondering why we have a membership class or what is a membership commitment. Our desire is to help give you a more intimate look at who we are as a church and some of the core biblical foundations we believe. You should know what you can expect from this church and the leadership here.

There are also things this congregation expects from you as a potential member. Membership in the church is not like membership in the local country club. In fact, it is actually more the opposite. In a culture where commitment is often low, we ask for high commitment and ownership amongst our leaders: serving, giving, engaging. This is not Pastor Brian's church that you attend. This is our church that Jesus is building that we have an opportunity to be a part of.

Going to membership class does not obligate you to continue as a member. However, the next and final step of your membership process is a one to one meeting with a pastor or staff member where you will have the chance to complete your "Membership Commitment." Your completion of this process lets us know that you are in alignment with us as a church. With any relationship, the clearer the expectations, the better the relationship.

As questions arise, please feel free to ask. We are excited that we are getting to know each other, and we hope to build with you down the road.

Blessings,

Pastor Brian and Chavonne and the Bethel Cincinnati Team