



## The Bridge Application

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Your spiritual journey: please feel free to use additional paper to answer the questions.

1) Briefly describe your faith walk (how you came to Christ)

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2) What is God currently teaching you?

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Personal Questions:

1) Why do you want to participate in the Bridge program?

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2) What are you hoping to get out of participating in the program?

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3) Is there an area within the church that you would like to volunteer?

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4) Is there an area in the church that you already serve in?

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5) How long have you been attending PCC? \_\_\_\_\_

6) Do you agree with the MB Confession of Faith (attached)? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

By joining The Bridge program, you are committing to attending classes during the worship service twice a month, serving in a church-based ministry, at home bible studies and as opportunities arise serving once a month in a service capacity outside of church ministry.

I \_\_\_\_\_ (full name) acknowledge the commitment level that is required for participating in the Bridge program. I commit to do my best to meet the requirements and will let Kristen or Chris Reimer know when I am unable to participate.

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Signature of Student

Date

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Signature of parents. By signing this you are acknowledging the commitment level required of your child.

## THE MB CONFESSION OF FAITH (ABBREVIATED VERSION)

The MB Confession of Faith Sidewalk edition gives a concise introduction of our Confession of Faith introducing MB beliefs and distinctives.

We believe in God as eternal Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. God created and sustains the universe. The eternal purpose of God the Father is to create a people who will bring glory to God forever. God alone is worthy of worship.

We believe that God became human in Jesus Christ. Jesus came to restore the world because humans have rejected God in disobedience. Jesus taught and modeled the way of God's kingdom. He died on the cross, making it possible for us to accept a renewed relationship with God. He rose from the dead, broke the power of sin and death, and frees us to live in obedience to God's will.

We believe that God the Holy Spirit invites all people to be reconciled with God and to join the global family of faith. Believers confess their faith, are baptized, and join in the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Through the power of the Holy Spirit and guided by the Bible, members of the church seek to live as followers of Christ and invite others to experience this new life.

As Christians, we are called to turn:

- from ignorance of God to a personal relationship with God
- from bondage of sin and past mistakes to freedom, forgiveness, and healing
- from individualism to interdependence with others in the local church
- from lifestyle choices that harm us, others, and the earth to choices that nurture wholeness, healing, joy, and peace
- from hating enemies and ignoring neighbours to showing love and justice to all
- from loving possessions to sharing with all in need
- from aimless existence to a mission of representing and proclaiming God's kingdom on earth

As Christians, we look forward to the day when God will once again send Jesus to bring all things under God's eternal rule.