



Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference

Application for: (check **only** one)

- Membership
 Membership Reinstatement
 Leaseholder*

(* applicants seeking leaseholder status must be current **Members in Good Standing**)

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

CELL PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

OCCUPATION _____ EMPLOYER _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AGE _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

SPOUSE NAME (if applying as a couple) _____

ADDRESS (if different than above) _____

CELL PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

OCCUPATION _____ EMPLOYER _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AGE _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

PLEASE LIST THE NAMES AND AGES OF DEPENDENT CHILDREN:

NAME _____ AGE _____

NAME _____ AGE _____

NAME _____ AGE _____

NAME _____ AGE _____

Please attach a recent family photo if available.

NAME OF HOME CHURCH _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PASTORAL REFERENCE _____

REFERENCE EMAIL _____

ARE YOU A MEMBER?

IS YOUR SPOUSE A MEMBER?

IF YES, HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU BEEN A MEMBER? _____

IF NO, HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU ATTENDED? _____

What offices/positions have you (& your spouse) held, and in what activities have you been involved within your church or community?

Why are you applying for Membership/Reinstatement/Leaseholder?

Why did you let your membership lapse? (Membership reinstatement applicants only)

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH (please write one per applicant & use a separate piece of paper if necessary)
Please give a brief biographical sketch including family life, church involvement, missions involvement, skills, talents, abilities, and hobbies that you desire to offer as a Maranatha member or leaseholder.

YOUR PERSONAL TESTIMONY/STATEMENT OF FAITH (Please write one per applicant & use a separate piece of paper if necessary)
Please describe your personal Christian experience and background. Include information about your conversion, church relationship, current opportunities for growth, and present relationship with Jesus Christ.

What do you understand is Maranatha's principal ministry and how Membership or Leaseholder status (select one based on your application type) plays a part in accomplishing this ministry?

How long have you been coming to Maranatha? _____

In a typical week on campus, how many services do you attend? _____

What has been your level of involvement in the past? (Vacation? Giving? Volunteerism? etc.)

What level of involvement and participation do you anticipate will be your experience as a new member or leaseholder?

Please initial below attesting that you have read, understand, agree and are willing to live by:

Maranatha Mission and Vision Statements (Policy 4110.01)

Maranatha Core Values Statement (Policy 4110.01)

Maranatha Statement of Faith (What We Believe) (Policy 4110.01)

Maranatha Code of Conduct Policy (Policy 4110.12)

Maranatha Member in Good Standing Policy (Policy 4130)

Leaseholder Participation Statement

(Leaseholder Applicants Only) Please initial below attesting your commitment to the following:

I will faithfully pray for the Maranatha ministry.

I will regularly attend services and ministries of Maranatha as best I can.

I will financially support the ministry above the required fees.

I will volunteer at Maranatha as I am able.

If you are unable to attest to any of the above, please explain:

All members are required to pay a membership fee. This fee is determined by the Board and is subject to change. The membership fee entitles you to one (1) vote at the Annual Membership meeting each July and must be received by June 1, prior to that meeting.

MEMBERSHIP AND LEASEHOLDER APPLICANTS ONLY

(Membership Reinstatement applicants please note: The Membership Committee reserves the right to request references/sponsorships as necessary for complete and updated information)

Please provide names and addresses of two non-related (to you or to each other) sponsors who are current Maranatha Members in Good Standing. (Note: Leaseholder applicants must include at least one sponsor that is a current leaseholder.) **Please note: It is your responsibility to provide your sponsors with the enclosed forms and request that they complete them on your behalf.**

Sponsor One Name _____ *Sponsor Two* Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

Phone _____ Phone _____

Years Known? _____ Years Known? _____

Relationship to sponsor _____ Relationship to sponsor _____

I hereby authorize the release of the information requested on the Application Sponsor Form by the above named individuals.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

Spouse's signature _____ Date _____

LEASEHOLDER APPLICANTS ONLY

What type of accommodations interest you? (check all that apply)

Mobile Home Cottage Condominium

Please initial below attesting that you have completed the following:

_____ You have connected with the financial officer of Maranatha and understand the fee structures and leaseholder contract and have the ability and commitment to pay the fees associated with the purchase and lease of the desired property.

_____ You have read and understand the Resident Construction Policy. (Policy 4160)

_____ You have read and understand the Mobile Homes Changes Policy (If applicable). (Policy 4170)

_____ You have read and understand the Lakeside Condominium Bylaws (If applicable).

Leaseholders are an essential part of the Maranatha Ministry. They support the ministry with their time through volunteering, and treasure through donating over and above fees approved by the Board of Directors. Is this your commitment? YES / NO

ALL APPLICANTS

I attest to the above information and agree to the policies of Mission, Vision, Statement of Faith, Member in Good Standing and Code of Conduct of Maranatha Bible and Missionary Conference.

Signed _____ Date _____

Signed _____ Date _____

All proceedings subject to full approval by the Maranatha Board of Directors.

Thank you for your application. Once all forms and sponsorships are received, a member of the Membership Committee will contact you to set up an interview.

For Internal Use

Interview Date _____

Interview Conducted by _____

Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference
Membership Application Sponsor Form

(Must be completed by a Maranatha Member in Good Standing other than a family member)

TO BE COMPLETED BY SPONSOR—Please print in ink

The above named person(s) has applied for membership at Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference. As a sponsor reference, please complete the form below to the best of your ability. It is important to us to have your prayerful consideration and personal insights into the character of the applicant. If you are unable or unqualified to answer any specific question, please make an N/A response and continue. **To ensure confidentiality, please return the completed recommendation directly to Member Relations.**

Applicant's Name _____

Sponsor Name _____ Sponsor Phone _____

Sponsor Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what context? _____

Have you spoken with the applicant(s) about the Mission, Vision, Core Values, Purposes and Standards of Conduct and is it your understanding that the applicant(s) is in agreement with all of the above?

Please Explain:

What level of involvement in Maranatha ministry have you observed by the applicant(s)?

What characteristics qualify the applicant for Maranatha membership?

Understanding that Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference grounds is a ministry with the unique opportunity for members with leaseholder status to own a cottage, condo, or mobile home on Maranatha property, and Maranatha's ministry heavily relies on support from leaseholders/residents for financial and volunteers support, Do you believe the applicant(s) will be an active, contributing part of the ministry? Please explain:

Do you have any questions or reservations regarding the applicant(s) desire for Maranatha membership?

Please explain:

Sponsor Signature _____ Date _____

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Leaseholder Application Sponsor Form**

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The above named person(s) has applied for Leaseholder Status at Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference. As a sponsor reference, please complete the form below to the best of your ability. It is important to us to have your prayerful consideration and personal insights into the character of the applicant. If you are unable or unqualified to answer any specific question, please make an N/A response and continue. **To ensure confidentiality, please return the completed recommendation directly to Member Relations.**

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