

Loving people and Making Disciples All for God's glory

Application for Membership for Jeffreys Bay Baptist Church (JBC)

Dear Friend

The Leadership rejoices that you express desire to join the JBC family and assure you of their prayerful interest. In order that we may bring your name forward to our General Church Meeting, please would you fill in the questions and return the forms.

God Bless	
Name:	_
Date of application: _	

Why we Exist (Mission and Vision)

Loving people and (2 Cor 5:18, John 13: 35) making disciples (Mat 28: 18 - 20) all for God's glory (1 Cor 10:31, Col 3:17)

Loving People - We believe God has called us to love all people of all walks of life (within cultural and economic difference). We love through extending the grace and love he has shown us, we can only love because He first loved us.

John 13: 35 "By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another"

Making Disciples - God calls us to make disciples that will grow the kingdom through Jesus, for God's glory. A disciple is someone that has been reconciled into relationship with God through new birth by trust in the gospel and is growing in a love for God and love for others.

"Matthew 28: 19 Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit"

All for God's Glory - Everything we do is for God's Glory. It is all about Him. "Colossians 3: 17 And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

What we Love (Values):

Gospel Centered Gathering: Christ Centered teaching, preaching and worship.

Gospel-centered gathering is the fuel for discipleship.

Gospel Centered Community: Building the kingdom family as we love each other, accept one another (Grace) and seek to be of one mind and Spirit (Unity) for God's glory.

Gospel-centered community is the context for discipleship.

Gospel Centered Service: We are committed to sacrificially serving within our church body and in our neighbourhoods.

Gospel-centered service is the overflow of discipleship.

Gospel-Centered Growth: We believe the more we grow in faith and multiply our presence the more people can hear and see the gospel in action.

Gospel-centered growth is the result of discipleship

(If you require more information regarding the Mission, Vision and Values please contact the Pastor)

Please answer the following Questions:

1.Have you accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as your personal Saviour and Lord, and do you acknowledge Him to be the Son of God? (John 1: 12, Acts 13: 38 - 39, Romans 3: 24)
2.Can you say when and and where you received Christ? If so, please give brief particulars. If not, please say how you came to a knowledge of Salvation?
3.Have you been baptized (immersed)? If so, please say when, where and by whom?
4.Do you wish to be baptized (immersed)? If so please say why. (Acts 2: 38 - 41; 8: 36 - 38, Romans 6: 3 - 7)
5.Are you in membership with any other Church? If so please give particulars and say why you wish to change?

6.Do you accept the full and final authority of the Bible in all matters of faith and conduct?
7.Do you see and accept the necessity as a Christian for a holy life? (Thessalonians 5: 22, James 4: 4, 1 John 2: 15 - 17)
8.Have you read and are you prepared to sign and abide by the Constitution and Bye-Laws of the Church as printed?
9.Are you engaged in any particular Ministry (within the church or externally)? If so which ones?
10.Are you willing to become involved in the life of the church through regular attendance, serving and assisting in various areas and ministries?
11.Do you accept the principle of supporting the finances of the church through freewill offerings and tithing?

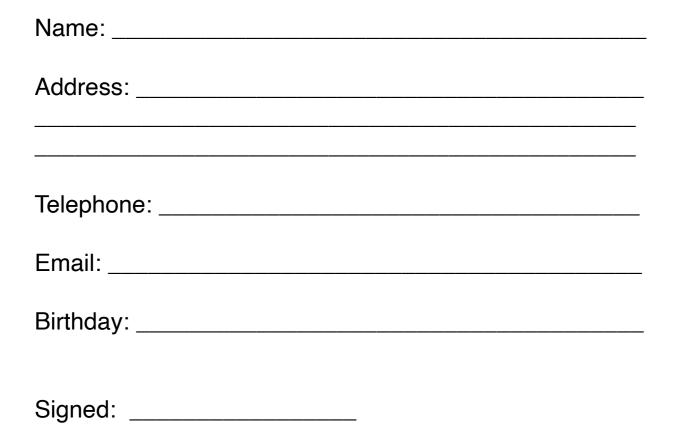


Love people - We believe God has called us to love all people of all walks of life. *John 13: 35*

Make Disciples - God calls us to make disciples through time spent with one another. Matthew 28: 18 - 20

All for God's Glory.

Everything we do is for God's Glory - It's all about him. I Cor 10: 31



If you have any difficulty with the questions, please contact the Pastor or leadership team and they will gladly help you.