

HMC LEADERSHIP COVENANT

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I am a Person of Faith...

- I am a committed follower of Jesus who proclaims his gospel
- I am consistent in spiritual disciplines in an ever-growing relationship with Jesus
- I am committed to bearing the fruit of the Spirit through life's challenges and triumphs

I am a Person of Accountability...

- I willingly and happily live in community with other disciples of Jesus who are formed through ongoing relationships of mutual love and accountability
- I am supportive of the local church, its mission and leadership
- I am familiar and supportive of the Articles of Faith and Practice of the Evangelical Missionary Church of Canada

I am a Person of the Scriptures...

- I am living in submission to God's Story and self-revelation (Genesis to Revelation) as led by the Holy Spirit
- I am living as a New Testament disciple believing and committed to the ordinances of Jesus: baptism and the Lord's Supper
- I maintain a Christ-centered approach to biblical interpretation—as defined by the EMCC Christ at the Centre position paper (www.emcc.ca/about/christ-at-thecentre)—by defending the essentials of doctrine and practice, celebrating personal liberty in the non-essentials and striving for love in all things

I am a Person of Community...

- I am active in the congregation and surrounding community though service, participation and meaningful contribution
- I am shaped by the scriptures in the context of congregational life, one that is cross generational, multi-ethnic and theologically diverse
- I am supportive of the holistic life of the congregation through acts of generosity, personal connectivity and overall engagement

Acceptance