

PARENTS' DEDICATION OF CHILDREN (PARENTAL COMMITMENT)

At LifePoint Church, we take seriously our call as a church family to be a foundation and example for you as you lead your children into a vital relationship with Jesus Christ (1 Timothy 3:15). So that we can have the information necessary to follow through with this calling by dedicating your child to the Lord, we ask that you carefully read the following statements and demonstrate your agreement by signing:

I (we) have read the enclosed brochure entitled "Parents' Dedication of Children" and agree with the principles stated within.

I (we) have committed our lives to Christ and pledge to raise our child to follow Jesus and to fellowship with a local body of believers (Psalm 149:1; Proverbs 22:6; Hebrews 10:25).

I (we) understand that by dedicating our child at LifePoint, we are acknowledging the church's responsibility to assist us in the process of raising our child by caring for us, praying for us, providing opportunities for corporate worship, fellowship, and teaching, and holding us accountable to provide a positive and biblical upbringing for our child (Deuteronomy 6:6-9; Isaiah 54:13; Ephesians 4:11-16; 5:22-6:4; Acts 2:42-47).

We are married and in full agreement with the Bible's call for one man and one woman to be united in a marriage that is centered on a relationship with God (Genesis 2:24). (Single parents: I agree with the biblical understanding of marriage stated above. Regardless of the reasons for my single parenthood, I pledge to fulfill my role as a single parent in a biblical fashion and to raise my child to follow Christ).

Thank you for seriously considering these statements before signing. We want to encourage you as you take this important step and we rejoice with you in your desire to raise your children to follow the Lord. Congratulations!

Please print baby's full name and date of birth:

Please sign:

Father (if applicable) Date

_____/_____
Phone Number Email Address

Mother (if applicable) Date

_____/_____
Phone Number Email Address

_____/_____
Requested Dedication Date Service Time

*If, for any reason, you do not agree with the prior statements, and would like to speak with a pastor, please feel free to call the church office at 881-4010.

**We realize that life is full of ambiguities. Oftentimes there are "grey" areas in life that can only be figured out through meeting and talking face-to-face. If you feel you need more clarification on a particular matter, please feel free to contact us at the above number.