



- Baptism, Church Membership, and Membership Transfer** require 6-months of continuous in-person attendance and engagement.
- Attend a FCBCLA Membership Class.** (See church bulletins for class dates and application deadlines.)
- Submit** Application and Salvation Testimony (maximum 3 pages) **to your minister** by the due date.
- Reference Form:** Obtain character references from three (3) active FCBCLA church members and have them return the forms directly to your minister within one week of submitting your application.
- Written Salvation Testimony & Oral Testimony – Include:**
 - How, when, and where you confessed your sins and received Christ.
 - How God has been active in your life since receiving Christ.
 - The reason you want to be baptized (if joining by baptism) and why you want to be a member of FCBCLA.
 - Give a 3-5 minute oral salvation testimony at a time/place to be determined during the interview with your minister.
- Interview** with a pastor.
- Attend** the church member meeting (for approval), a membership reception, and the baptism/membership service.
- Church Membership** is effective upon completion of baptismal/membership service.

(1) **Legal Name:** Last _____

First _____ Middle _____

Name in Chinese, if known _____

(2) **Address:** _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

(3) **Phone:** (_____) _____

Email: _____

(4) **Birthdate (mm/dd/yy):** _____

(5) **Gender:** Male Female

(6) **Marital Status:** Single Married Other

(7) I want to get baptized and become a church member

I want to transfer membership from another church.
I am already baptized.

(8) **When did you receive Christ as your Lord and Savior?**

Date: _____

Location: _____

(9) **Have you been baptized before?** Yes No

If yes, when? _____ Where? _____

If yes, in what manner? Sprinkling Partial Immersion

Total Immersion Other _____

(10) **Do you currently hold membership at another church?**

Yes No If yes, which church? _____

(11) **Have you been attending FCBCLA continuously for the past 6 months?** Yes No

If "No", please explain _____

(12) **Do you have any immediate family members who also attend FCBCLA (please list names) ?**

Spouse: _____

Children: _____

Parents: _____

Siblings: _____

(13) Check the appropriate box based on your church language preference and life stage.

English

- Senior Adults (65+) – Rev. John Chow
- Adults & Families (35 - 64) – Rev. John Chow
- Young Adult (post-grad - 35) – Rev. Casey Young
- College – Rev. Darren Lo
- Youth – Min. John Liu

Cantonese

- Senior Adults (Evergreen) – Rev. Daniel Kwok
- Senior Adults (Eshan, Nissi) – Rev. Abraham Lee
- Families – Rev. Charles Chu
- College, Single Adults, Married < 2 years – Rev. Wayne Chi
- Youth – Min. Candace Chan

Mandarin

- Rev. Zhen Sun

(14) If you are a minor, do your parent(s)/guardian(s) approve of your baptism? Yes No N/A

(15) List names of three (3) references (must be active members of FCBCLA and not members of your immediate family).

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

(16) Membership Class Completion Date:

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Pastoral Signature (to indicate reception): _____ Date: _____

Baptism or Membership transfer date: _____ Application Status: Advance Hold Decline

Membership: Baptism Transfer PCO Date: _____