

Baptism

(Church Membership & Transfer Request)



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- Submission:** Submit Application and Salvation Testimony (maximum 3 pages) to your minister by the due date.
- Reference Form:** Obtain character references from three (3) active FCBC church members and have them return the forms directly to your minister within one week of submitting your application.
- Salvation 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:** Meet with your minister for a personal interview.
- Attend:** Baptism/Membership Class, Church Members Meeting, Welcome Reception, and Baptismal Service.
- Church Membership:** Effective upon completion of Baptismal Service.

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

First _____ Middle _____

Name in Chinese, if known _____

(2) **Address:** _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

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

Email: _____

(4) **Birthdate:** _____

(5) **Gender:** Male Female

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

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

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

(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? _____

Church location: _____

(11) **Have you been attending worship regularly at FCBCLA, FCBCSGV, or RESTORATION 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 location, language preference, age and life stage.**

FCBCLA - English

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

Cantonese

- Senior Adults 65+ – Rev. Warren Ng
- Adults & Families – Rev. Warren Ng
- Youth – Rev. Benny Wong
- College, Single Adults, Married <2 years – Rev. Joshua Siu

Mandarin

- Rev. Joseph Gong

FCBC San Gabriel Valley - Cantonese/Mandarin

- Adults – Rev. Joseph Chun

English

- Adults & Youth – Min. Ben Wu

RESTORATION - Rev. John Ng

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

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

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

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Minister Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Baptism or Membership transfer date: _____

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