

ICC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Dear Prospective Member,

The Idaho Chaplains Corps, Inc. (ICC) is a private, non-profit Christian organization formed to coordinate and encourage statewide and local ministry to First Responders as well as the men, women, and youth incarcerated throughout Idaho. Our mission is simple: to bring Christ’s restorative power to the lost and dying world. In order to achieve this mission we have six specific objectives:

- To work side by side with the Church in Idaho as a professional parachurch organization offering pastoral care and faith-based ministry to those in our communities.
- Develop a network for the sharing of information and resources between ICC members, First Responders, criminal justice administrators and their facilities.
- Develop and implement Chaplaincy ministry in our communities and correctional facilities where none exists, and support and encourage such ministry where it already exists.
- Advance the role of Chaplaincy in our communities by developing ongoing training and educational programs leading to recognized certification.
- Communicate the needs and opportunities for ministry in our communities to the greater religious community in Idaho.
- Oversee religious volunteer ministry at the local and regional level through the development of regional ICC chapters.

You are invited to join with us in support of our mission by becoming a Member of the Idaho Chaplains Corps. As a Member of the ICC you will help send out, support, train and encourage those who have been called to this ministry.

BENEFITS

Our objective is to provide you with encouragement, support, training and direction. Membership also grants you a standing invitation to participate in all local, regional and state meetings for fellowship and training. These meetings are available at no cost or at reduced rates to Members. We also encourage you to join together with other Christians from your area to form a Chapter of the ICC. Forming a local Chapter has additional benefits: regular contact with others who share in your calling to ministry, the opportunity for mutual support and encouragement, and the option to raise funding support under the non-profit status of the ICC.

AUTHORITY AND REPRESENTATION

You will have voting authority as a member of a local Chapter. ICC Bylaws require that the state board have one board member representing each Chapter. A Chapter is defined as having a minimum of six Members in good standing. If you would like to see a copy of the ICC Bylaws or a List of Chapters, you may request them from the ICC office.

Membership in the Idaho Chaplains Corps does not confer the official title, or authority of a Chaplain.

Idaho Chaplains Corps-Statement of Faith

About God:

- We believe the Bible to be the inspired, only infallible, authoritative, and inerrant Word of God. 2 *Timothy 3:16,17*
- We believe there is ONE GOD, eternally existent in three persons-Father, Son (Jesus Christ) and Holy Spirit. *Matthew 3:16; 1 Peter 1:1,2; Isaiah 48:16*
- We believe in the deity of Christ, the only begotten son of God. *John 1:14,18*
- We believe in His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles, His death on the cross, His resurrection from the dead, His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory. *Matthew 1:18-21; Hebrews 4:15; 1 Corinthians 15:1-4; John 14:3,4*
- We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, who indwells every believer at conversion and enables the believer to live a godly life. *1 Corinthians 6:19 2 Timothy 1:14 John 16:13*

About Man:

- We believe that man is born sinful and separated from God. *Psalms 51:5; Romans 3:23; Romans 5:12,13*
- We believe that man is saved only through faith in Jesus Christ's substitutionary death on the cross. *John 3:16; John 10:27,28*
- We believe that no one will inherit the kingdom of God except through the shed blood of Jesus Christ alone. *John 10:27,28; Acts 4:12*
- We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; the saved are saved unto the resurrection of eternal life, and the lost are lost unto the resurrection of eternal judgment. *Hebrews 9:27 John 5:29*
- We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ who is the head of the church. *Ephesians 4:3,13*
- We believe in the Bible admonition that marriage is between one biological man and one biological woman. *Genesis 2:22-24; 1 Corinthians 7:1; Ephesians 5:22-23*

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MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Membership is available to anyone who meets the following requirements:

- 1) Completed membership application submitted to the Secretary;
- 2) Signed statement of commitment to the ICC Mission, By Laws and Statement of Faith;
- 3) Submittal of a letter from your Pastor and a letter describing your personal testimony.
- 4) Sponsorship by a member in good standing;
- 5) Payment of applicable annual dues;
- 6) Approval of application for membership by the Executive Committee.

We hope that you will consider joining with us to fulfill the mission that God has called us to. If you have any questions please call at (208) 610-2447. Please allow three to four weeks for your application to be processed.

ANNUAL DUES:

Individual \$40.00

TERM OF MEMBERSHIP:

The term of membership begins on the first day of the month following notification of acceptance for membership.

Membership expires annually on December 31.

MEMBERSHIP CARD:

A membership card will be issued upon acceptance and expire December 31st.

A new card will be issued each year to all members in good standing and will expire annually on December 31st.



SEE BELOW FOR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

*To identify, equip, place, and support the individuals who answer
God's call to minister the Gospel in the Pacific Northwest.*

